

PSC Strategy



To drive the alignment of the healthcare system to deliver a just and learning safety culture

We will call for a Safety Management System for the healthcare sector to reduce patient harm to as low as reasonably possible

We will call for improvements in signal detection through the MedTech strategy and mandatory reporting of Yellow Cards

We will call for an overhaul of the complaints process and clinical negligence in the healthcare system, promoting restorative practice to support patients, families and healthcare workers



To support initiatives which amplify all patient voices and empower patients to make informed decisions about their care

We will drive the design and development of Martha's Rule to empower patients and families to seek a rapid review

We will call for informed consent and supported decision making so all patients are fully informed about the benefits, risks and alternatives when a medicine or medical device is used

We will support calls for greater transparency of payments and for registers of interest of healthcare professionals



To advocate for partnerships which embed patient safety and patient voice throughout the healthcare system

We will work with healthcare organisations to ensure Patient Safety Partners are embedded across England and are upskilled as required

We will advocate for the promotion of a safety culture across the health system including training in patient safety for board members

We will join cross-system and global initiatives to advocate for all patient voices to be central to the design and delivery of healthcare