# Members' update summer 2019



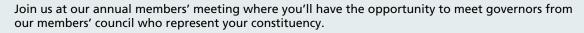
**NHS Foundation Trust** 

# Dear member,

Thank you for your continued membership and support of the Trust. We'd like to send you a short update.

## Our annual members' meeting

Monday 16 September 2019 from 12 noon in the wellbeing and learning centre, Fieldhead, Ouchthorpe Lane, Wakefield WF1 3SP





At the meeting we will also showcase the Trust's services from 12 noon, and present our annual report, quality account and overview of our finances for 2018/19 from 1pm. You'll also hear about key pieces of work the Trust completed and contributed to during 2018/19; what 2019/20 holds for us, and we'll celebrate 10 years as a foundation trust.

If there are services you would like to hear more about at the event or to book a place please let us know on **01924 316462** or <a href="mailto:membership@swyt.nhs.uk">membership@swyt.nhs.uk</a> - a light lunch and refreshments will be provided.

More information about events can be found on our website: www.southwestyorkshire.nhs.uk/events

## **Introducing our new governors**

Our members' council elections took place in May. This year there were eight public and two staff governor vacancies. We received a great response with four governors re-elected and six new governors elected to our members' council. The elected governors are:

Public	Staff
Barnsley – Keith Stuart-Clarke	Nursing support – Debs Teale
Calderdale – Adam Jhugroo and Phil Shire (re-elected)	Social care staff working in integrated teams – Paul Batty
Kirklees – Carol Irving (re-elected), Hannah Jackson, John Laville and Jeremy Smith (re-elected)	
Wakefield – Bob Clayden (re-elected)	

At the Members' Council meeting on 2 August the recommendation to appoint Jackie Craven as Lead Governor until the end of her current term as a governor on 30 April 2020 was approved.

If you would like to engage with the Governor who represents your local community, please email <a href="mailto:governors@swyt.nhs.uk">governors@swyt.nhs.uk</a>



## **Members' council meetings**

The date for the next members' council meeting held in public is: Friday 1 November 2019, morning meeting, at Fieldhead, Ouchthorpe Lane, Wakefield WF1 3SP



Dates confirmed for 2020 so far are: Friday 31 January 2020, morning meeting, Barnsley Football Club, Barnsley S71 1ET.

#### The Members' Council recently discussed:

- The appointment of a new Non-Executive Director. The recommendation to appoint Chris Jones was approved at the meeting on 2 August and Chris joined the Trust on 5 August.
- Suicide prevention governors were involved in a session led by the suicide prevention team to update them on the work the Trust is involved with across West Yorkshire and Harrogate.
- National governor conference two governors attended the conference and shared their experience with their colleagues.

More information about our members' council can be found on our website: www.southwestyorkshire.nhs.uk/members-council

## **Trust Board meetings**

The dates for the next Trust Board meetings held in public are:

- Tuesday 24 September 2019 at Fieldhead, Wakefield WF1 3SP
- Tuesday 29 October 2019 at Folly Hall, Huddersfield HD1 3LT
- Tuesday 26 November 2019 at Kendray Hospital, Barnsley S70 3RD
- Tuesday 28 January 2020 at Fieldhead, Wakefield WF1 3SP
- Tuesday 31 March 2020 at Laura Mitchell Health and Wellbeing Centre, Halifax HX1 1YR

More information about our Trust Board can be found at: www.southwestyorkshire.nhs.uk/trust-board

## **Our Care Quality Commission (CQC) well-led review**

We received our core services and well-led draft report on 26 July. The Trust will complete a factual accuracy check before the reports are made final.



This check allows us to tell the CQC:

- Where information is factually incorrect
- Where evidence in the report may be incomplete

Once the CQC have considered our points and any supporting information, they will decide whether to amend the draft report and / or rating before it is published. Once the report is published it will be available here: <a href="https://www.southwestyorkshire.nhs.uk/about-us/performance/care-quality-commission/">www.southwestyorkshire.nhs.uk/about-us/performance/care-quality-commission/</a>



#### We're searching for volunteers

By volunteering with us, you can give your community a voice in everything we do whilst building new friendships, improving your confidence and boosting your CV with experience in a health and care environment. To find out more contact the team for an informal chat on 01924 316426 or email volunteer@swyt.nhs.uk

### Keep up to date with our latest job vacancies

Want to join our great team? Follow our 'NHSYorksJobs' Twitter and Facebook to see our current opportunities.

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#### **General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)**

GDPR is a new Europe-wide law in place since May 2018. Any membership information the Trust holds about you will be held in accordance with GDPR and Data Protection Act 2018.

If you would like to update your information, please contact the membership office on 01924 316462 or membership@swyt.nhs.uk

