

The shape of future primary health and social care in Sunderland

Listening to and involving voluntary and community organisations

- Is your organisation representative or supportive of particular groups of people?
- Would you like your organisation/members to be represented on a Public Patient Carer Panel (PPCP) emerging from the All Together Better vanguard programme?
- Is your organisation interested in appointing an appropriate person from your staff team to contribute to several PPCP meetings (October 2017 – March 2018)?

If you answered YES to these questions, then you might just be the sort of organisation we're looking for to help establish our Public Patient and Carers Panel!

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Better Health and Care
for Sunderland

Since September 2015, health and social care services in Sunderland have joined together with other providers, including third sector partners, to reshape and deliver a new way of working under an NHS 'vanguard' programme known as 'All Together Better'.

One of 50 vanguard sites, Sunderland has been in the forefront of developing proactive; rapid response and co-ordinated care to the people who need it most, and continues to radically change the way health and social care services are structured and delivered across the city.

Organisations who commission (choose and buy) and those who provide health and social care services across Sunderland are now looking at the potential development of a Multispecialty Community Provider (MCP) which will bring further integration beyond the vanguard programme.

Based on what we have learned over the last few years, the proposed MCP will bring significant benefits to service delivery and we want to ensure we bring communities with us on this journey of change.

To achieve this we are seeking to develop a Public Patient and Carers Panel.



Public, Patient and Carers Panel (PPCP)

The PPC Panel will serve as an important reference group for both the vanguard programme (All Together Better) in its final year, but crucially the ongoing development of a proposed MCP.

Who can become a PPC Panel member?

We are seeking to recruit a diverse PPC Panel of volunteers to include a number of city wide representatives including members of the public, voluntary sector organisations and members of GP patient practice panels.

What will a PPC Panel member do?

As a member of the PPC panel you will review and comment on service improvement in relation to the vanguard programme and potential MCP development.

To bring diversity to the PPC Panel, it will be formed from a number of city wide representatives including members of the public, voluntary sector organisations and members of GP patient practice panels.

If you would like to find out more, or would like to request a formal application pack, then please contact:

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