

# Support your local hospitals

## Become a member



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# We care about our local hospitals, do you?

Yes – then you can support us by becoming a public member as we prepare to become an NHS Foundation Trust, giving you more say in health care locally.

You don't have to wear a uniform to make a difference to the way health care is provided. As a public member, you can benefit by getting involved. You can be involved in several ways:

**Just receive the twice yearly newsletter:**

To keep up to date with what is happening at our hospitals.

**Occasionally:**

By taking part in surveys on hospital services and developments and being invited to member events.

**Often:**

As well as all of the above you can also be invited to participate in workshops and working groups and help us to recruit more members.

You can even think about standing for election as a public governor to represent members who live in the same area as you.

## So why are we becoming an NHS Foundation Trust?

By becoming an NHS Foundation Trust we will have more control of the money we have to spend and the way we run our hospitals in future.

We will still be committed to meeting NHS quality and performance targets but we will also be making ourselves more accountable to the community we serve by involving you in the decisions we make about the care we provide. We believe becoming a Foundation Trust will mean real benefits for local people, patients and staff.

## How do you become a public member?

Just fill in the attached form and send it back to us freepost using the address provided.

Membership is free and you can change the way you would like to be involved at any time.

## We're here to help

If you would like more information about becoming a member before signing up please:

**Call us:** 01438 781846

**Email us:** [ftmembership.enh-tr@nhs.net](mailto:ftmembership.enh-tr@nhs.net)

**Visit:** [www.enherts-tr.nhs.uk](http://www.enherts-tr.nhs.uk)

**Thank you for your support**

[Already a member? Why not sign up family and friends](#)



# Becoming a member is as easy as 1, 2, 3:

1. Fill in this form
2. Send it back to us freepost
3. Get involved

East and North Hertfordshire **NHS**  
NHS Trust

We will only use this information to update you on issues related to our Trust and will store it in accordance with the Data Protection Act. \*Indicates a required field

## About You

\*Title  \*First name  \*Surname

\*Gender (please tick)

Male ☐ Female ☐ \*Date of birth  (date/month/year)

\*I am over 14 and do not work for the East & North Hertfordshire NHS Trust (please tick) ☐

\*Address   
 \*Postcode

If you do not want to appear on the public register please tick ☐

## Other ways to contact you (please give details of at least one)

Phone  Mobile

Email

## Do you have special contact requirements (please tick)

Large print ☐ Audio ☐ Braille ☐ Other language (please state)

## Do you have a disability (please tick)

Yes ☐ No ☐ (please state)

## \*Ethnicity (please tick one)

<b>White:</b> British <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Mixed</b> Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Asian</b> Indian <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Black</b> Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/>
Irish <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>White:</b> Black African <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>British:</b> Pakistani <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>British:</b> African <input type="checkbox"/>
Other <input type="checkbox"/>	Asian <input type="checkbox"/>	Bangladeshi <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other:</b> Chinese <input type="checkbox"/>
			Other ethnicity (please state) <input type="text"/>

## Your Membership

### I would like to be involved (please tick one)

Often (updates, surveys, workshops, working groups, events, recruiting members) ☐  
Occasionally (updates, surveys, events) ☐  
Just send me the newsletter ☐

I would be interested in information about standing as a governor (please tick) ☐

### I am interested in (please tick at least one)

All hospital services <input type="checkbox"/>	Emergency medicine <input type="checkbox"/>	Renal <input type="checkbox"/>	Women's & children's services <input type="checkbox"/>
Cancer care <input type="checkbox"/>	Finance <input type="checkbox"/>	Radiology <input type="checkbox"/>	Workforce <input type="checkbox"/>
Chronic conditions <input type="checkbox"/>	Fundraising <input type="checkbox"/>	Surgery <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (please state) <input type="text"/>
Elderly care <input type="checkbox"/>	Heart services <input type="checkbox"/>	Volunteering <input type="checkbox"/>	

### I am (please tick if applicable)

A patient ☐ A carer ☐ A volunteer with the Trust ☐  
A member of a local health-related group (please give details)

**Please return completed forms to:** Freepost RRBA-KEKX-BLHH,  
East and North Hertfordshire NHS Trust, Lister Hospital (L70),  
Coreys Mill Lane, STEVENAGE, SG1 4AB.



# You can make a difference

## Sign up Get involved



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