



**Hambleton, Richmondshire
and Whitby**
Clinical Commissioning Group

Join the HEN membership

Join a membership of other local people with interests in health services funded by NHS Hambleton, Richmondshire and Whitby Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG). It's free to join and you get first-hand information about the work of the CCG and developments to health services across Hambleton, Richmondshire and Whitby areas. The Health Engagement Network or 'HEN' helps to CCG to reach local communities and is the 'go to' resource for feedback on services and our plans for the future. Choose your level of involvement:

Advocate membership

Actively participating in projects, surveys and invited to volunteer at engagement events. You will receive appropriate training. There may be the opportunity to sit on committees or attend

meetings that will support the CCG in its provision of health and social care services. You will be kept fully informed of any time commitment required. You will receive regular updates and newsletters.

Associate membership

Actively participating in surveys or questionnaires, invited to engagement events and receive newsletter and general updates.

From time to time, you may receive surveys from us on behalf of other related agencies (e.g. North Yorkshire County Council).

Information only membership

Only receive newsletters and general updates.

Your HEN Network representatives

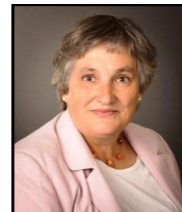
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Please feel free to get in touch with us!

Alternatively you can contact the CCG via
hrwccg.hrwcgenquiries@nhs.net or
01609 767600

@HRW_CCG

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Application to join NHS Hambleton, Richmondshire and Whitby CCG's Health Engagement Network (HEN)

Contact details: Title: Dr Mr Mrs Ms Other

Registered GP Practice:

Are you a member of your GP practice Patient Participation Group (PPG)? Yes No Unsure

First Name:

Surname:

Address:

Telephone (home):

Mobile:

Postcode:

Where did you hear about us?

Email:

As part of our commitment to the environment, we prefer to keep HEN members up to date via email. If you don't use email please tick this box: We will then endeavour to communicate with you via Royal Mail.

Please indicate your level of interest as a member of the Network:

Advocate membership

Actively participating in projects, surveys and volunteering time at engagement events (some training involved). Receive newsletter and general updates.

Associate membership

Participation in surveys and questionnaires, receive newsletter and general updates.

Information only membership

Only receive newsletters and general updates.

Special interests

Do you have experience or a special interest in any of the areas below (please tick all which apply):

- Community services
- Dementia
- End of life care
- Gastro care
- Hospital care
- Learning disability services
- Maternity services
- Mental health services
- Primary care (e.g. doctors, dentists, opticians and pharmacists)
- Services for black and minority ethnic groups
- Services for children
- Services for older people
- NHS services in general

Any of the following chronic (long term) conditions:

- Asthma Diabetes Heart failure Chronic respiratory disease Other (please state):



Monitoring information (optional)
We would like to ensure that our membership is representative of the communities we serve and sometimes may want to seek views from specific types of groups. Please help us to do this by completing the following section:

Age: 16-20 21-30 31-49 50-64 65-74 75+

Gender: Male Female Prefer not to say
 Any other group (please state)

Disability: Yes No Prefer not to say

Ethnic group

White
 British Irish Other white background (please state)

Asian or Asian British
 Bangladeshi Indian Pakistani Other Asian background (please state)
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Black or Black British
 African Caribbean Other Black background (please state)
.....

Mixed Race
 White & Asian White & Black African White & Black Caribbean Other mixed background (please state):

Chinese and other ethnic group:
 Chinese Any other ethnic group (please state)
.....
 Prefer not to say

IMPORTANT SHARING INFORMATION: I CONSENT to my name, location (either Hambleton, Richmondshire or Whitby areas), interests and contact details to be shared with my Health Engagement Network representative of the CCG. If consent is given, this information will be used to develop special interest networks and enhance the contribution HEN members can make to the CCG. Your details would not be shared with any third parties.

Signature:

Date signed:

Name if signed on behalf of member:

Confidentiality
The information you have provided is kept strictly confidential by NHS Hambleton, Richmondshire and Whitby Clinical Commissioning Group in compliance with current Data Protection Legislation. Your personal information will not be shared with any other agencies. The information will help us contact you on local health matters of most interest to you. The information we obtain from surveys will not disclose the view of you as an individual within any surveyed group. If at any time you wish to leave the network please use the contact information below to let us know.

Please return to (no stamp needed):
Freepost Plus RTER-KESE-BGCH, NHS Hambleton Richmondshire and Whitby
Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG)
Civic Centre, Stone Cross, Northallerton, North Yorkshire DL6 2UU



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- Do you have views or suggestions on how your local NHS services could be improved?
- Do you live in the Hambleton, Richmondshire or Whitby areas or are you registered with a Hambleton, Richmondshire or Whitby area GP?

If so, we would like to hear from you.

About our Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG)

We are responsible for planning and purchasing the vast majority of health services across the area. This includes hospital care, mental health and community services. We are a group of 22 GP practices serving a population of around 144,000 people. At the heart of all of our plans, is our determination to ensure we commission high quality, safe, sustainable services.

What is the Health Engagement Network?

We want to work with our local communities to make sure health services in our area are responsive to people's needs. We have set up a **Health Engagement Network (HEN)** for local residents who care about the NHS, so we can gather your views, through surveys, focus groups and conversations. We can then use this information to improve services in our area. We will also use the information to help make decisions about planning new services.

What does membership involve?

You can choose how much you get involved with the Network. Depending on your chosen level of involvement, we may send surveys, you may be invited to focus groups to discuss specific issues or you may be asked to help develop patient leaflets.

We are always looking at new ways to encourage people have their say about local health services and we'll let you know all the ways you can take part. We're planning to work with you on two possible levels which are described overleaf.

Whichever level of membership you choose, the benefit is that you can become involved in the planning and development of local services. If you would like to join, please complete the online application by going to our website (see below) and click on "get involved" or complete and return the form overleaf using the address given.

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