

## Further Information

To enable the Trust to represent the whole community, under the Equalities Act, we would ask you to tick the appropriate boxes below.

**Answering is entirely voluntary.**

### What is your ethnic group?

#### White

- ☐ English/Welsh/  
Scottish/Northern Irish/  
British  
☐ Irish  
☐ White - Gypsy or Irish  
Traveller  
☐ Other White  
background

#### Mixed/multiple ethnic groups

- ☐ White & Black  
Caribbean  
☐ White & Black African  
☐ White & Asian  
☐ Any other Mixed/  
multiple ethnic  
background

#### Asian/Asian British

- ☐ Indian  
☐ Pakistani  
☐ Bangladeshi  
☐ Chinese  
☐ Any other Asian  
background

#### Black/African/Caribbean/ Black British

- ☐ African  
☐ Caribbean  
☐ Any other Black/  
African/Caribbean  
background

### Status

- ☐ Civil partner  
☐ Divorced  
☐ Engaged  
☐ Married  
☐ Separated  
☐ Single  
☐ Surviving civil partner  
☐ Widowed  
☐ Prefer not to say

### Which of the following options best describes how you think of yourself?

- ☐ Heterosexual or  
Straight  
☐ Lesbian  
☐ Gay  
☐ Bisexual  
☐ Other  
☐ Prefer not to say

### Do you consider yourself to have a disability?

- ☐ No  
☐ Yes  
☐ Prefer not to say

### What is your religion?

- ☐ No religion  
☐ Christian  
☐ Muslim  
☐ Hindu  
☐ Jewish  
☐ Sikh  
☐ Buddhist  
☐ Other religion  
☐ Prefer not to say

## Facts about the Trust

- The first Foundation Trust in Norfolk and Suffolk
- Over 3000 staff, the largest local employer in the area
- Award winning staff and services - see Trust website for more information
- Good rating with the Care Quality Commission, outstanding in two areas.

## What can members do?

- Be consulted about proposed changes.
- Receive information on a regular basis.
- Have the chance to vote for Governors OR personally stand for election.
- If a Governor, represent the views and wishes of the community, local organisations and wider public.
- Attend the Annual General Meeting/ members' meetings.

## For more information contact

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**We need young members too!**



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## Become a Public member

and have a say in the future of  
your hospital



**Not applicable for James Paget Staff**

Send via email, Membership Box in hospital  
foyer, or by post to the address  
on the back of the leaflet.



James Paget University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust is inviting you to become a member of the Trust and to

play an important part in shaping and improving our services.

## Being a member you can...

- Help shape the future services at JPUH.
- Be able to express your views on local healthcare issues.
- Get a broader view of the work of the NHS.
- Be able to elect public Governors.
- Qualify for discounts at [NHSdiscounts.com](http://NHSdiscounts.com)

## Membership is free

You may attend Council of Governors meetings if you wish. (Details can be found on the JPUH website/foyer).

It does NOT allow preferential NHS treatment.



Where you come first

The Council of Governors works closely with the Board of Directors, who are responsible for the running of the Trust.

**Members need to be 16 years of age or over and live within Norfolk or Suffolk.**

### Please note:

**If you are a current member of staff you cannot also be a public member.**

## What to do next

- Complete the application form opposite (also available online at [www.jpaget.nhs.uk](http://www.jpaget.nhs.uk)).
- If you provide your email address, we will acknowledge receipt of your application: otherwise proof of your membership will be when you receive the next Your Trust News newsletter published in April and October.
- If not becoming a member of the Trust, you may like to consider being a volunteer at the hospital - details can be found on our website [www.jpaget.nhs.uk](http://www.jpaget.nhs.uk)
- If you log-on to the hospital's website this will give you further information about all the work that JPUH does in Great Yarmouth, Waveney and the surrounding areas.



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## Membership Form

Your membership details will be stored in accordance with the Data Protection Act. The data will be used only to contact you about the Trust or other health issues.

*Please tick here ☐ if you do not want your name to be made available to the public in any register of members.*

**Remember you need to be 16 years old or over.**

### Contact Details

**Please fill in your details and tick the appropriate boxes.**

Title: Mr / Miss / Ms / Mrs / Dr / Other

First name \_\_\_\_\_

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No. Home \_\_\_\_\_

Work \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

email \_\_\_\_\_

### Ensuring Representative Membership

We are keen to ensure membership represents the full diversity of the whole community.

Are you: ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Prefer not to say

Age group: ☐ 16-35 ☐ 36-50 ☐ 51-65 ☐ 66-80 ☐ 81+

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

### How do you wish to be contacted?

☐ Email ☐ Post ☐ Phone (Home, Work or Mobile)

☐ Don't Mind

### What areas interest you the most?

(Please tick)

☐ Becoming a governor

☐ Children's services

☐ Older people services

☐ Stroke prevention

☐ Infection prevention

☐ Volunteering

☐ Future service planning

Thank you for supporting our local hospital