

Pan London Cancer User Partnership New Member Recruitment Information

The Pan London Cancer User Partnership (PLCUP) would like to recruit new members to its board. The PLCUP was formed in 2012 to inform and advise the commissioning of cancer services across London.

The Transforming Cancer Services Team and other cancer-specific teams work closely with the Pan London Cancer User Partnership (PLCUP) to ensure that services commissioned across London are of a high quality and patient-centred. Members of the PLCUP use their experience and knowledge to influence cancer services to improve patient experience.

NHS England and the Transforming Cancer Services Team are committed to ensuring that public and patient voices are at the centre of shaping cancer services in London. Every level of cancer commissioning needs to be informed by the views of patients and carers.

The present Transforming Cancer Services programme was established April 2014 to provide strategic leadership, clinical advice, oversight and guidance for implementing the Five Year Cancer Strategy for London. It aims to improve outcomes for patients - including the saving of 1,000 additional lives currently lost to cancer - and to improve patient experience.

The NHS vision is for all Londoners to have access to world class patient centred cancer services.

The TCSTs mission is to enable the delivery of world class patient centred services and outcomes through collaboration, supporting commissioning, clinical leadership, expertise and engagement informed by user's views, experience and knowledge.

The PLCUP currently has sixteen members with a further eight vacancies.

The TCST seeks to reflect the rich diversity of London's population within the members of the PLCUP that we recruit. The selection process will therefore consider criteria such as gender, age and ethnicity and the groups or communities in London that applicants represent.

Given the nature of reviews that PLCUP members are asked to participate in, we are also looking to ensure membership covers the geography of London.

If you are a person affected by cancer and are interested in applying to be a member of the PLCUP or would like more information about the PLCUP please contact:

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An application form and role description will be sent to you on request.