

NEWSLETTER

Hello Sutton Healthwatchers!



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MONDAY 6TH DECEMBER**

**MEET OUR NEW HEALTH
ENGAGEMENT AND
PROJECTS OFFICER**

**HAVE YOUR SAY ON
HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE
SERVICES**

Annual General Meeting

We will be holding our AGM on **Monday 6th December from 2pm - 3:30pm** at **Granfers Community Centre, 73-79 Oakhill Road, Sutton, SM1 3AA.**

It has been a while since we've seen you and we would love it if you could join us as we reflect on our year and celebrate our achievements.

Places are limited due to social distancing.

You can book your spot online by following this link: <https://bit.ly/hwsagm2021>
Or by calling us on **020 8641 9540** and leaving a message.

We can send you a hard copy of our Annual Report and Accounts upon request.

Finally, if you are unable to attend, you can still vote on each issue or appoint a proxy to vote on your behalf. Please complete the enclosed AGM Voting Form and return using the Freepost envelope provided.



Your story has the power to make a difference.

The more people share their ideas, experiences and concerns about NHS and social care, the more services can understand what works, what doesn't and what people want from care in the future.

If it matters to you, it's likely it matters to someone else too. We want to hear your views. **Tell us your story by completing and returning the enclosed survey in the Freepost envelope provided.**

Meet Andrew!

Hi everyone. I joined Healthwatch Sutton in March 2021 having previously been involved in the Voluntary and Community Sector in Sutton.

So far, I have been involved in a variety of different projects. I have presented patient survey results to Sutton GP surgeries, interviewed people about their experiences of living with diabetes, and organised a conference for NHS, Council and Voluntary and Community Sector staff.

I am also responsible for supporting Patient Participation Groups and the Patient Reference Group. In other words, I am the new Pam for those of you who knew her. It is great to work with people who are so invested in representing NHS service users.

Outside of work, my main interests are the outdoors and cooking. I managed to go on holiday to Scotland in October and would recommend the Highlands to anyone who enjoys spectacular scenery.



How are we doing?

We would love to hear from you. Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or comments or suggestions on how we can better communicate with you. Please get in touch with **Gemma** on **07726 874 282** or via email gemma@communityactionsutton.org.uk.