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How would you like to get involved?

If you would like to become involved with Healthwatch Blackburn with Darwen, please complete this form, detach it from the leaflet and post it back to us.



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Join us



Become a member of Healthwatch Bwd or share your views and experiences of local services.

The more local people and voluntary groups that join the bigger our influence is.

Get involved

Talk to us - We want to know what you think of Health and Social Care services.

Volunteers are really important to us. We have a number of volunteering opportunities available, so if you'd like to get involved please get in touch. Could you give some of your time to:

- Gather views from local people
- Visit services
- Look at plans for services

What we do

Healthwatch Bwd is your independent health and social care champion in Blackburn with Darwen. We gather and represent public views of what works well and what needs to be changed to help improve your services.

We have a role at both a local and national level, and will make sure that the opinions of the public are taken into account in planning and delivering NHS and social care services.

We also provide information to the public about local health and social care services and support available within Blackburn with Darwen.

Influencing - We work with service providers to make sure that the services are designed and delivered to meet the needs of local residents. We enable people to share their views about their health and social care services in Bwd, and ensure services listen.

Signposting - We can help you find and understand services available to you. We have regular weekly access points across the Borough, so please visit our website or get in touch to find out where we are.

Complaints Advocacy - If you wish to make a complaint about the care you have received you can contact the Independent Complaints Advocacy service on 0808 8010 390.



Find out more

Joining Healthwatch Bwd is free and easy. You will receive information and opportunities to give your views.

Membership is open to:

- People who live in Blackburn with Darwen or care for someone who lives in Blackburn with Darwen
- People who live outside Bwd but have a GP in Blackburn with Darwen
- Voluntary and community groups

To find out more please return this slip.

