# Are you interested in being a Community Design Lead?

# Help us to design our future south west London lay representative roles

**What are Community Design Leads?**

Community Design Leads will help Royal Marsden Partners cancer alliance design future south west London lay representative roles for various cancer meetings.

We are looking for people who live in Richmond, Wandsworth, Merton, Kingston, Croydon and Sutton.

You will need to be able to attend:

* Three 1.5 hour meetings – these will be online on Microsoft Teams on the following dates:
	+ Thursday 14th September 1.45pm – 3.15pm, South West London Cancer Board
	+ Thursday 12th October 3.30pm – 5pm, Clinical and Operational Board
	+ Thursday 19th October 10.00-11.00am, Executive Board Meeting
* Join a pre-meet for one hour before each meeting – to help you prepare
* Join a follow up meeting for one hour after each meeting.

As a thank you for your time you will receive a £150 voucher.

**Why we want to co-design these roles with you:**

By working with local people to design these new lay member roles we can make sure they work well, that lay reps are supported, that they are able to contribute to the meetings effectively and make a difference.

**You:**

You don’t have to have had significant experience of using the NHS or being involved in formal board meetings to undertake this work.

This is a great opportunity to:

* share your experiences of the meetings,
* make a difference and help us improve how we hear from local people, acting as lay members, in these meetings
* help us understand what matters to people and our communities
* enhance cancer related services for people across south west London.

To find out more about the role please contact Kath Malhotra for further information:  07801216768

**If you are interested in the role please download and complete the form below and send to** rmpartners.admin@nhs.net

**Deadlines for applications: 30th August**

**Informal interviews will take place virtually on Wednesday 6th September**

About RM Partners:

* RM Partners is one of 21 Cancer Alliances established by NHS England to transform cancer care by working collaboratively with local hospital Trusts and other health and social care organisations.
* Our aim is to improve cancer experience across north west and south west London by speeding up diagnosis and access to treatment, and supporting people affected by cancer to live as long and as well as possible.

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| **Community design lead application** |
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| **Organisation (if relevant)** |  |
| **Contact address** |  |
| **Telephone** |  |
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| **e-mail** |  |
| **Preferred method of contact:** |  |
| **Do you have any access needs we should be aware of, in order to fully participate**  |  |

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| **Please give us a brief overview (250 words) of any relevant experience and why you are interested in this role?**  |
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