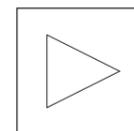


# CANDIDATES' ELECTION STATEMENTS

## Election to the Council of Governors Patient: Local

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## Kathy Baxter



### Why do you wish to carry out this role?

I would like to give something back to the NHS. I am proud of our NHS and have great respect for the entire team involved in giving this amazing service, from catering, cleaning up to doctors and consultants. I feel I can contribute a great deal to the Trust. Can help listen to and improve patients experiences.

### What skills do you feel you bring to the role?

I feel I can see both sides of the story as an ex-employee and a patient. I can offer great insight into the patient/trust relationship, including disability, carer and visually impaired, dementia. Am confident in public speaking.

### Any other information that you feel is relevant?

I am fortunate in being aware of things that can be improved. As a visually impaired lady myself and a qualified lecturer in Sight Awareness and able to give insight and training to all concerned.

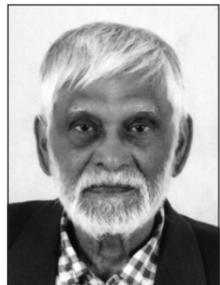
### Declaration of Interests:

**Political Party:** None

**Financial or other interest in the Trust:** None

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## Abdoor Rashid Joomun



### Why do you wish to carry out this role?

I was a patient of the Heart Institute in December 2014 and I am still being treated at the Oncology Center and BEH and therefore feel that I have a good knowledge of care provided by University Hospitals Bristol. This would enable me to represent my views as a patient and hopefully the views of other patients at Trust Board meetings.

I have also worked for UHB NHS Trust for 28 years as the Trust Information Manager and I feel that my working experience of the NHS would help me to be an effective Governor.

### What skills do you feel you bring to the role?

I am a graduate in Mathematics with special interest in Statistics and I, therefore, possess very good numerical and statistical analytical skills. This is further enhanced by my particular knowledge of the Trust and NHS Statistical Information.

As the Trust Information Manager I have acquired good skills as an NHS Senior Manager which would be of use as an NHS Governor.

### Any other information that you feel is relevant.

I was a School Governor at Westbury-on-Trym C of E Primary School (now an Academy) for 11 years. I helped in running the School Finance and was elected Chairman of the Board of Governors in my 11th year of service.

I was a member of the Commission for Patient and Public Involvement in Health for 2 years, with responsibility to help in shaping better health for the public.

I am a member of support groups for patients including Prostate Cancer, Heart Diseases and Motor Neurone Disease.

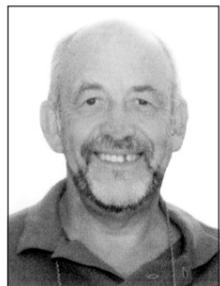
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**Political Party:** None

**Financial or other interest in the Trust:** None

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## Ray Orgill



As a youngster I was diagnosed with tuberculosis. This was in the days before the NHS. I saw how financially devastating this was to my family. This taught me to believe that the NHS should always be preserved, I still believe this and I want to help where I can.

My working life began in the Derbyshire Constabulary until I was called up under The National Service Act and was drafted into the RAF as a Police, Security and Criminal Investigator and served for twelve years. Upon discharge I joined a family concern where I subsequently became General Manager.

In a voluntary role I have served as a Special Constable in Surrey Police for 10 years, a member of Surrey Police Choir for 6 years, an advisor with Age Concern in Bristol for about 4 years, a member of Nailsea Town Council for about 5 years and as Chairman of The Town Council Sub-committee, and for the last

18 months I have been helping in the BRI in various voluntary roles.

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Thus I have worked at all levels of employment and am experienced in dealing with and listening to with most types of people. I believe I have shown that I am honest and trustworthy and fully committed to the NHS.

### Declaration of Interests:

**Political Party:** None

**Financial or other interest in the Trust:** None

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## Ray Phipps



### Why do you wish to carry out this role?

As a lifetime resident of Bristol I have experience as a patient on many occasions. My family and friends have benefitted from excellent healthcare provided by highly skilled and compassionate doctors and staff. Personal experience has given me a good understanding of the wide range of healthcare issues and the resources needed to deal with them. I believe that care of the highest standard with good integration of all the agencies involved should be available to everyone. I have a keen interest in the future work of UHBT and in continuing to serve on the council of governors. It would be a privilege to contribute to the effective running of the Trust.

### What skills do you feel you bring to the role?

I have successfully held a wide range of positions from Engineer to Divisional Manager. Serving on company executive control committees gave me experience of the day to day operation of Divisions within an international corporation. Roles have included responsibility for contract negotiation, financial performance, technical and strategic development. Dealing with large capital projects I visited many countries to precisely identify customer needs and the means to satisfy them. In achieving profitable results, I developed good interpersonal and communication skills. I am a Member of The Institution of Engineering and Technology.

### Any other information that you feel is relevant.

UHBT provides essential healthcare from birth through childhood to our later years. Developing and sustaining this in context of future challenges is crucial. As a Member of the Council I will use my best endeavours on behalf of patients to help achieve that outcome.

### Declaration of Interests:

**Political Party:** None

**Financial or other interest in the Trust:** None

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## Belinda Sully



I have ongoing first hand experience of five of the Trusts' Hospitals both as an in patient and out patient over many years. I have seen the changes that have happened during this time and have an insight and understanding of the consequences of these for users of the services. I feel this would help me identify and represent the views of patients and carers when new developments are being discussed.

I have experience of serving as a school governor, being a member of the Management Committee of a local voluntary organization and successfully seeing it through a time of economic crisis.

I have overseen obtaining major capital grants and managing the delivery of two major projects in our local community both of which involved consultation with local people and extensive liaising with local and national public bodies.

I am currently an Independent Custody Visitor for Avon and Somerset Police and an active volunteer for the RVS.

I have brought to all these roles an ability to identify the underlying issues and what realistically can be done to deliver improvements.

As a former teacher of law and psychology I have the skills of communication and representation required for this role.

### Declaration of Interests:

**Political Party:** None

**Financial or other interest in the Trust:** None

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