

Special Edition Autumn 2022

# Young People's Foundation Focus Newsflash

Manchester & Trafford Local Care Organisations
Royal Manchester Children's Hospital
University Dental Hospital of Manchester
North Manchester General Hospital
Manchester Royal Eye Hospital
Manchester Royal Infirmary
Withington Community Hospital
Wythenshawe Hospital
Trafford General Hospital
Saint Mary's Hospital
Altrincham Hospital

## Find out about exciting NHS careers and give your views

Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust (MFT) is the largest NHS Foundation Trust in the country, with **ten hospitals** in Manchester and Trafford and a wide range of **community services** across Manchester.

As an NHS Foundation Trust with a large children's hospital, we are committed to hearing from young people. We have Governors who are elected to represent you, including a Youth Governor role. Our Governors will be at the event to hear your opinions and we'll also be asking you to fill in a really short questionnaire to share your views.

Over ten years ago we started our popular Open Day for young people where you can find out more about careers in the NHS, discover ways that you can get more involved with our Trust, and and make your views about health care heard!

Join us on Wednesday 30th November 2022 between 10am to 3pm at the Nowgen Centre, 29 Grafton Street, Manchester M13 9WU (next to Manchester Royal Infirmary).

#### Your views matter to us

Kathy Cowell OBE DL, the Trust's Chairman, hosts the event and shares why this event and young people's views are so important to us.

#### Kathy said:

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Young people are the future of our services so we very much need to know about your views, your concerns, your hopes. Our Board of Directors and Governors highly value young people's opinions and I would be delighted if you would join me and also find out about all the great careers available in the NHS and find out other fantastic ways that you can get involved with our Trust.





### Don't miss it - book a place today

Our Young People's Event is completely free and open to our members, children and young people (aged 11–21 years) plus groups of students from any schools and colleges. NHS staff are also welcome to bring their children along to take part in the activities!

To attend our free event, or if you are a school or college teacher and would like to bring a group of students, please contact **Danielle Morrison** on **0161 276 68661** or **danielle.morrison@mft.nhs.uk** 

#### At the Open Day, you'll be able to:

- ★ Tell us your views about health care, to help us make important future decisions
- ★ Hear from our expert staff about how they got into the NHS and loads of exciting and varied jobs you probably never knew existed!
- ★ Talk to the NHS Careers Hub and Patient Experience teams about volunteering and work experience
- ★ Find out how you can become more involved in our NHS Foundation Trust by becoming a Member and/or joining our Youth Forum (if you're aged 11 years or over).

#### **Get involved**

Learn about a huge range of NHS careers, from nursing and midwifery, medicine and radiology to ophthalmology, and play therapists. The interactive activities our orthopaedic plastering team provide are always popular! Our special 'Looking After You' section has lots of information about keeping healthy including tips from our mental health team.



#### There are brand new stands for 2022 which include...





Medical illustration



**Mental Health Services** 







Specialised Play Services



Radiology





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Our students did benefit from this event and they enjoyed the interactive side of the event rather than just sitting or standing around. - Teacher

The stands which we visited were filled with many useful things such as leaflets and information packs which we could take back to school. - Teacher



#### **Translation and Interpretation Service**

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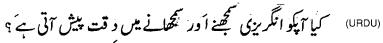
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你有困難講英語或明白英語嗎? (CANTONESE)







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#### Become a member

If you or a family member or friend are not currently a public member of our NHS Foundation Trust and are interested in becoming one, an online application form can be found and completed via the following link: https://secure.membra.co.uk/Join/MFT and/or QR code:



If you would like a paper form, please contact the Foundation Trust Membership Office via email: ft.enquiries@mft.nhs.uk or telephone 0161 276 8661.