

REGISTER OF GOVERNORS' INTERESTS

2025/26

NAME	GOVERNOR POSITION	INTERESTS DECLARED
Dr Khadija Ali	Staff Governor (Medical & Dental)	04.11.25: Charity Chair – Headway Stockport Board Trustee – Headway UK Board Trustee – CSF Leak Association Vice Chair – Guys & St Thomas Kidney Patient Association
Aysha Ahmad	Public Governor (Manchester)	21.12.25: No interests to declare.
Dr Syed Nayyer Abidi	Public Governor (Manchester)	18.04.25: No interests to declare.
Brian Baker	Public Governor (Greater Manchester)	05.11.25: No interests to declare.
Ann Balfour	Public Governor (Trafford)	12.12.25: Chair of Governors – Altrincham Grammar School for Boys Vice Chair of Governors – The Kingsway School, Stockport
Dr Ivan Benett	Lead & Public Governor (Manchester)	15.12.25: Director of Primary Care Cardiology Society a C.I.C with the aim of educating Primary Care Clinicians looking after people with cardiology problems.
Jake Buckingham	Public Governor (Manchester)	30.10.25: No interests to declare.
Dr Helen Burgess	Public Governor (Manchester)	15.04.25: No interests to declare.
Luke Carine	Staff Governor (Other Clinical)	01.11.25: No interests to declare.
Dr Connie Chen	Public Governor (Trafford)	11.04.25: Daughter is an honorary consultant at MFT. Volunteers for the Royal Voluntary Service in the ACE study (research programme with University of Manchester, NIHR funded.) Volunteer for the Altrincham Child Contact Centre.
Christopher Christopher	Staff Governor (Nursing & Midwifery)	12.01.26: No interests to declare.
Nazir Choonara	Nominated Governor (Volunteer Services)	13.04.25: Committee member of the Ticker Club at Wythenshawe Hospital (patient support voluntary organisation). Director/Trustee of Old Trafford Muslim Society.

Jerome Cook	Staff Governor (Non-Clinical & Support)	28.04.25: No interests to declare.
Clr. Mike Cordingley	Nominated Governor (Trafford Borough Council)	14.04.25: Trafford Council – Councillor Member of Planning. Member of accounts and audit. Member of Unite the Union. Member of the Labour party (property occupier). Member of the Co-operative party.
Donald Dimitroff	Staff Governor (Non-Clinical & Support)	01.11.25: Husband works for LGBT Foundation which receives funding from MFT.

Lois Dobson	Nominated Governor (Youth Forum)	20.04.25: No interests to declare.
Dr Peter Gibson	Public Governor (Manchester)	11.04.25 No interests to declare.
Prof Anne-Marie Glenny	Nominated Governor (University of Manchester)	09.12.25 Associate Dean for research and innovation within school of medical sciences, UoM. Co-App on NIHR grant held by MFT. Academic within division of Dentistry Students Trained in collaboration with MFT (e.g., BDS, MbChB).
Ashley Jones	Public Governor (Greater Manchester)	02.05.25: No interests to declare.
Sarah Jones	Staff Governor (Nursing & Midwifery)	11.11.25: Unpaid Pensions Trustee – Royal College of Midwives Staff Pension
Prof. Manisha Kumar	Nominated Governor (GM Integrated Care Board)	07.05.25 Chief Medical Officer – NHS Greater Manchester Integrated Care Board. GP Robert Darbshire Practice – 2004-Present. Husband – Operations Director at Primary Eye Care Services Ltd.
Mustapha Koriba	Public Governor (Rest of England & Wales)	03.11.25: No interests to declare.
Rev. Charles Kwaku-Odoi	Nominated Governor (CAHN – Caribbean & African Health Network)	29.04.25: Deputy Lieutenant – Greater Manchester Country. Chief Executive – Caribbean & African Health Network (CAHN) CIC. Trustee – Faith Network for Manchester. PPV Partner – NHS HIV Clinical Reference Group. PPV Partner – NHS Quality Governance Group. Trustee – Macc (Manchester Community Central). Member – GM VCSE Leadership Group. Member – GM VCSE Mental Health Leadership Group. Trustee – Manchester City Centre Street Pastors. Trustee – Manchester Healthwatch.

		<p>Chair – Manchester South Street Pastors. Minister & Trustee - Command Prayer Centre Ministers International. Member – Governance SAGE Ethnicity Subgroup. Board Member – NHS Race and Health Observatory. Honorary Ecumenical Canon, Manchester Cathedral. Trustee, Terrence Higgins Trust. Trustee, National Churches Trust. Member, GM Population Health Committee.</p>
Lynn Moore	Public Governor (Manchester)	<p>14.04.25: No interests to declare.</p>
Harold Myers	Public Governor (Greater Manchester)	<p>17.11.25 No interests to declare.</p>
Rohina Oram	Nominated Governor (Manchester BME Network)	<p>11.04.25: Manchester Black Ethics Minority Network CIC</p> <p>Robert Oram (Husband) Chair: Morning Star Newspaper</p>
Colin Owen	Public Governor (Greater Manchester)	<p>14.04.25: Director/Volunteer – Wythenshawe Community Media – WFM Radio feature MFT in news items. Spouse if Director of a company providing digital consultant to the NHS – IRIS Digital Health Consultant Ltd.</p>
Cllr. Julie Reid	Nominated Governor (Manchester City Council)	<p>29.04.25: Councillor and Executive Member for Early Years, Children and Young People at Manchester City Council.</p> <p>Member of the Labour Party</p> <p>Member of the Cooperative Party</p> <p>Member of UNITE the Union</p>
Carol Shacklady	Public Governor (Greater Manchester)	<p>13.04.25: No interests to declare.</p>
Stephen Smurthwaite	Public Governor (Rest of England & Wales)	<p>10.04.25: No interests to declare.</p>
Chris Templar	Public Governor (Eastern Cheshire)	<p>12.04.25: Director – Equitable Members’ Action Group.</p>
Geraldine Thompson	Staff Governor (Other Clinical)	<p>28.04.25 Trustee Northwest Pain Relief Foundation.</p>