Manchester University
NHS Foundation Trust

GOVERNOR ELECTION TIMETABLE – 2020

Election Stage	Date
Notice of Election issued - Nomination forms made available to Trust Members (aged 16 years or over where Governor seats are open for election)	**Friday, 17th July 2020**
Deadline for receipt of completed nominations	5pm on Monday, 3rd August 2020
Summary of valid nominated candidates published	Tuesday, 4th August 2020
Final date for candidate withdrawal	Thursday, 6th August 2020
Notice of Poll published	Thursday, 20th August 2020
Voting packs despatched to Trust Members (where Governor seats are contested)	Friday, 21st August 2020
Closing date for election (deadline for receipt of completed voting packs)	5pm on Friday, 11th September 2020
Declaration of results	**Monday, 14th September 2020**
Successfully elected candidates formally start in office following closure of our Annual Members' Meeting*	**Tuesday, 22nd September 2020**

*Annual Members' Meeting – scheduled for Tuesday, 22nd September 2020 at 1.00 pm - 4.00 pm
(To be confirmed - Post-Graduate Centre, Manchester Royal Infirmary, M13 9WL)

In light of the current, ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, a decision around the format of the aforementioned Annual Members' Meeting will be taken over the coming weeks to determine whether the meeting will be held in a similar format to previous years, or, if alternative channels of communication with members will need to be introduced.