



Community Engagement Officer

Healthwatch is an independent organisation which amplifies the public and service-user voice to improve and shape health and social care services. We are a small, friendly, and fast-moving charity who have held the contract since 2013 in North Somerset and were contracted across Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire in 2019.

We are delighted to be recruiting a part-time community engagement specialist to work in Healthwatch Bristol among its 500,000 residents. You will listen to and represent the voices of people from all walks of life, including minority groups, to help shape services to meet the needs of our diverse populations. Our team across the three Healthwatch areas work on strategic planning, engagement, communications, volunteer coordination and administration. Our charity has an active Board of Directors and benefits from national support from Healthwatch England with training and branding.

As the Community Engagement Officer you will be responsible for developing and implementing Healthwatch activities and relationships with communities in Bristol. You will be a problem-solver and a self-starter, ready to work with Healthwatch peers, agencies, and volunteers. In return, we can offer you creative, flexible, and home-based working, with the opportunity to really make a difference for local people and inform commissioning decisions for NHS and Social Care services.

How to Apply

Please send your completed application form and equality monitoring form to Vicky@healthwatchbnssg.co.uk

Deadline for applications: 8am on Monday 5th July 2021

We encourage applications from under-represented groups and plan to interview successful candidates face-to-face in Bristol in mid-July 2021. Applicants will be interviewed by a small panel made up of the Area Manager and members of the Board of Trustees.

Downloads

Community Engagement Officer - Job Description and Person Specification

Monitoring Form

Application Form (no CVs please)