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## **APPOINTMENTS OF CHAIRS TO NHS WALES HEALTH BOARDS AND TRUSTS**

We have some exciting opportunities to help shape the future of health care in NHS Wales through undertaking the role of a health board or trust chair, so why not show that you have the ability to lead and inspire in order to make a difference to health services in NHS Wales?

We are recruiting 3 new chairs to the following Health Boards and Trusts:-

**Aneurin Bevan University Health Board** – Blaenau Gwent, Caerphilly, Monmouthshire, Newport, Torfaen and South Powys.

**Cwm Taf University Health Board** – Merthyr Tydfil, Rhondda Cynon Taff, Upper Rhymney Valley, South Powys, North Cardiff and the Western Vale.

**Public Health Wales NHS Trust** - All Wales

We are recruiting for 3 Chair roles in the above organisations. Details of the roles are below. If you have a genuine desire to make a real difference in these areas in terms of leadership and inspiration, we would like to hear from you.

In order to meet the challenge of planning and delivering a wide range of primary, community and secondary health services to the populations of communities listed above as well as working with partners to promote health and well-being in these areas, we are looking for three dynamic individuals to undertake the role of Chair. You will need to have an understanding of the health issues and priorities in the area for which you are applying, the ability to hold executives to account, the ability to provide knowledgeable, impartial and balanced perspectives on a range of sensitive and complex issues. You will have the ability to lead and inspire staff. You will also have drive and determination, excellent inter-personal and communication skills, sound judgment, sensitivity, political awareness and the capacity to be independent and resilient.

### **Chairs**

Chairs hold the Chief Executive of the Health Board or Trust to account and are themselves accountable to the Cabinet Secretary for Health, Well-being and Sport for the performance and effective governance of their Health Board or Trust. They will uphold the values of NHS Wales, promoting the confidence of the public.

They provide strong, effective and visible leadership, ensure the effective delivery the strategic and operational aims of the Health Board or Trust, maintain the highest quality of health standards and practices, improve the quality and safety of healthcare, work effectively with partners to ensure safe and effective delivery of service, are responsible for public money and undertake an ambassador role.

Why not utilise your skills and experience to make a contribution? NHS Wales is currently looking for Chairs to undertake the following roles:-

### Chairs

- **Aneurin Bevan University Board (1 post) – Chair**
- **Cwm Taf University Health Board (1 post) – Chair**
- **Public Health Wales NHS Trust (1 post) – Chair**

Appointments will be made on merit although consideration will be given to the need to establish a balanced skills mix.

Chairs will be appointed for up to a four (4) year period. The posts of Chair of the Aneurin Bevan and Cwm Taf University Health Boards are based on a notional time commitment of a minimum of fifteen (15) days per month while the post of Chair of Public Health Wales is fourteen and a half (14.5) days per month. Each will be subject to organisational demands.

We are particularly interested in hearing from under-represented groups such as women, disabled people and ethnic minority individuals and the skills you have to make a contribution in these roles.

For more information or to apply go to [www.gov.wales/publicappointments](http://www.gov.wales/publicappointments) or for queries contact the Shared Service Helpdesk at the Welsh Government by e-mail: [sharedservicehelpdesk@wales.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:sharedservicehelpdesk@wales.gsi.gov.uk) or telephone: 029 2082 5454.

Please note that the closing date is **9<sup>th</sup> March 2017**

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