

# Election to the Council of Governors 2018

The Trust gives notice that it will hold elections to the Council of Governors of the Trust to be known as East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation Trust when Colchester Hospital University NHS Trust and Ipswich Hospital NHS Trust come together as a single organisation. Elections are to be held for the following number of governors in the following Public and Patient Constituencies, and Classes of the Staff Constituency:

Public Constituency / Class	Number of Seats
Colchester	4
Rest of Essex	5
Ipswich	4
Rest of Suffolk and South Norfolk	5

  

Staff Constituency / Class	Number of Seats
Colchester and Essex	3
Ipswich and Suffolk	3

To stand for election you must be a member of the Trust within the Constituency and Class for which you wish to stand as a candidate. If you do not know which Constituency or Class you are in, please contact the Returning Officer using the contact details below.

If you have any questions about the nomination process or would like the nomination form in another format please contact us:



**text:** 07800 005280



**email:** [support@mi-voice.com](mailto:support@mi-voice.com)



**post:** Mi-Voice, Gamma House,  
Enterprise Road,  
Southampton,  
SO16 7NS



**phone:** 023 8076 3987

Submit your nomination online using your computer, smartphone or tablet by visiting [www.mi-nomination.com/colchesterhospital](http://www.mi-nomination.com/colchesterhospital)



## Want to know more?

If you would like to have an informal chat about the Governor role please contact the membership office at:  
Tel: 01206 742347 Email: [FT.Membership@colchesterhospital.nhs.uk](mailto:FT.Membership@colchesterhospital.nhs.uk) or [lh-tr.membership@nhs.net](mailto:lh-tr.membership@nhs.net)



Notice of withdrawal of candidates must be given to the Returning Officer in writing by 5.00pm on Friday 11 May 2018. In the event of a contested election voting information will be sent to members. Completed votes must be received by the Returning Officer no later than 5.00pm on Monday 18 June.

**Completed nominations must be received by the Returning Officer by 5.00pm on Tuesday 8 May 2018.**

Simon Thomson (Returning Officer)  
11 April 2018