

Dear CCG Stakeholder

We hope this email finds you well.

Last week, the Accord Steering Group met virtually to further develop their plans for the Accord Annual Meeting – Getting Better Together, which is due to be held on Thursday 17th September (time to be confirmed). Due to social distancing, this year's meeting will be very different to previous years, with the Steering Group planning to hold the event using a virtual platform.

The Steering Group have many great ideas on how we can involve Accord members at this year's event, and we are now working hard to take these forward ready for September. To help us with our plans, we would like to hear from Accord members & our local partners to find out how they have been keeping in touch with their family and friends during lockdown (for example; Skype, Zoom etc.) It would also be helpful for us to know whether you would be interested in joining us for a virtual meeting. You can help us with our planning by completing this short [survey](#).

Towards the end of June, the Steering Group will be meeting again to look at the survey responses so that we can decide on the best technology to use, ensuring that as many people as possible can take part. Later in the summer, we will be announcing the agenda and confirming the time of the meeting. These details will be included in our Accord email bulletins, along with details on how you can continue to have your say on health & care matters, as well as other issues in North East Lincolnshire. There are lots of opportunities to get involved on the Accord website, which you can view by clicking [here](#).

If you would like to get more involved as an Accord member, and want to help us to develop over the coming months and years, becoming a member of the Accord Steering Group might just be the thing for you. Our Steering Group help us to plan the CCGs' two main public engagement events each year, and have the very important role of ensuring that the CCG uses the Accord membership scheme appropriately and gives Accord members the opportunity to get involved and have their say. You can find out much more on the [Accord website](#), or by giving the Engagement Team a call on 0300 3000 567.

The CCG is posting lots of information and advice on social media to help people in North East Lincolnshire to stay safe during the Coronavirus outbreak. We want to ensure that this information reaches as many people in the area as possible, and would welcome the help of Accord members to do this. If you are on Twitter, Facebook or Instagram, please follow us and share or retweet our posts.

Twitter: @NELincsCCG

Instagram: nhs\_nelccg

Facebook: 'NHS North East Lincolnshire CCG'

Kind Regards,  
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