

## **The Role of GP Members on NHS Liverpool CCG Governing Body**

The Governing Body of NHS Liverpool CCG has 16 full members –

- 9 GPs
- 1 Practice Nurse
- 1 Chief Nurse
- 1 Secondary Care Doctor
- 2 Lay Members
- 1 Chief Finance Officer
- 1 Chief Officer

As a member of the CCG's Governing Body each individual will share responsibility as part of the team to ensure that the CCG exercises its functions effectively, efficiently, economically, with good governance and in accordance with the terms of the CCG Constitution as agreed by its members.

A full description of the role, competencies and experience required is set out in the document ***“Clinical Commissioning Group Governing Body Members – Role Outline, Attributes and Skills”*** (NHS Commissioning Board, April 2012).

In Liverpool, the clinical members of the Governing Body take the lead for one or more clinical programme areas, which in turn feed into the Healthy Liverpool programme. This leadership role will ensure that services are shaped for the future, and transformed where required, to deliver improved health outcomes, ensure first class services and affect sustainability. Transformation will always be evidence based, and will require high level leadership to achieve the changes across the system, working with clinicians from primary, community & hospital services, our partners in the Local Authority, patients and the public.

GP Governing Body members are expected to commit a minimum of 3 sessions (and typically 4) per week to the role and to be able to attend key sessions, including Governing Body meetings and relevant committees. Whilst on the whole the sessions are fixed each week, some flexibility is required in order to attend strategic planning sessions and other commitments. Induction and training would be available for successful candidates.

Remuneration is at £320 per session, which can be paid either via payroll or directly to the practice.

If you wish to have an informal discussion about the role, please contact Dr Nadim Fazlani on [nadim.fazlani@liverpoolccg.nhs.uk](mailto:nadim.fazlani@liverpoolccg.nhs.uk)