



## Help shape Maternity services in Devon

### Process for Election of Partnership Chair Summer 2019

To ensure the independence of the MVP in Devon, the election will be managed by and the role will be hosted by [Devon Communities Together](#)

If you are interested in the role of Devon MVP Chair, please complete the Election Nomination Form and return to [info@devoncommunities.org.uk](mailto:info@devoncommunities.org.uk) by **5pm Monday 12<sup>th</sup> August 2019**. Please put MVP Chair Nomination in your subject header.

Election nomination forms received will be reviewed on **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2019**.

Copies of eligible election nominations will be circulated to members of the MVP Board by the current MVP chair on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2019**.

Devon Communities Together will facilitate the election for the chair position at the MVP partnership board meeting on **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2019**.

At the MVP partnership board meeting, candidates standing for election will be given two minutes to talk about their suitability for the role and what they would like to achieve. After their presentations, candidates will be asked to withdraw from the partnership board.

A member of Devon Communities Together will act as the returning officer for the election. Ballot papers will be circulated to members of the MVP partnership board and the person with the most votes will be elected to the role.

The new chair will immediately take over the role and Devon Communities Together will provide induction and ongoing support to the elected Chair.