

**SHEFFIELD TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST**

**ELECTIONS TO COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS  
2015**

**The attached report provides details of the Election process, timetable and  
seats to be elected to**

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The Trust's Constitution provides for an annual election to some seats on the Council of Governors.

## 2. PROCESS

The Trust has engaged Electoral Reform Services to conduct the Elections in accordance with the rules set out in the Trust's Constitution

## 3. TIMETABLE

Election stage	Date
Information session for potential candidates	25 March
Nominations Open	10 April
Nominations Deadline	27 April
Ballot papers despatched	15 May
Election Closes	4 June
Results Announced	5 June
Governor term of office starts	1 July

## 4. CONTESTED SEATS

Constituency	Number of Seats
<b>Public Constituencies</b>	
South East Sheffield	Two
South West Sheffield	One
West Sheffield	One
Patient Constituency	Three
<b>Staff</b>	
Admin, Management & Clerical	One
AHPs, Scientists & Technicians	One
Ancillary, Works & Maintenance	One
Medical & Dental	One
Nurses & Midwives	One