

Call for expressions of interest for membership of the Greater Manchester, Lancashire and South Cumbria Clinical Senate Council

Message from Prof Donal O'Donoghue, Greater Manchester, Lancashire & South Cumbria Clinical Senate Chair:

'Following on from the successful launch of the Greater Manchester, Lancashire & South Cumbria Clinical Senate on the 12th December 2013 I wanted to announce that we are now offering the opportunity for leaders of our health and social care system to become member of the Clinical Senate Council. The Senate will bring together expertise from across our care system to provide independent advice, support assurance of large scale change and promote system improvement.

To use a sporting analogy, the Senate will be as good as the squad we assemble, so I do hope that we can encourage leaders to put themselves forward. Details of how to apply are outlined below and I would be happy to speak interested colleagues by telephone to discuss, please email sarah.ward22@nhs.net to arrange a mutually convenient time.'



Prof Donal O'Donoghue, Consultant in Renal Medicine & Senate Chair

Information about how to submit an expression of interest for Clinical Senate Council

The Senate Council is a small multi-professional steering group of broad subject experts that will perform the business functions of the Clinical Senate; developing activities, products and managing the outputs of the Clinical Senate. Membership of the council is voluntary and time commitment is 1-2 days per month, all reasonable expenses will be covered. Members of the Council will have access to development opportunities that they can apply to their senior leadership roles. Application to the Senate Council is by sending an updated CV and covering letter outlining what you are able to bring to the Clinical Senate Council. For professionals from NHS Trusts a supporting reference from an executive level director or CEO is required. Please email this information to sarah.ward22@nhs.net, closing date for the Clinical Senate Council membership is 17th January and interview dates are set for 7th and 14th February 2014. Interviews will be held in both Manchester and Lancashire.

The Senate Assembly is a wider and diverse multi professional forum providing the Council with ready access to content experts from a broad range of health and care professionals. Membership of the assembly is voluntary and time commitment is attendance at an annual conference, and ad hoc meetings as Senate topics dictate. Application to the Senate Assembly is by sending your CV to sarah.ward22@nhs.net.