

**Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust****ELECTION TO THE COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS****CLOSE OF POLL: 5PM ON 13 November 2023**

It is hereby declared that elections are to be held in the following constituencies:

<b>Public: Patient/ Out of Area 1 TO ELECT</b>	
<i>Candidates</i>	Mike Jackson
	Agatha Kanyangu

<b>Public: Western 2 TO ELECT</b>	
<i>Candidates</i>	John Bewley
	Lakkur Murthy
	Geoffrey Riddell

Voting will open on 19 October 2023 and voting instructions will be distributed to qualifying members by post or by email.

Members who have received their voting instructions by post have the choice of casting their vote by returning the ballot paper by post or casting a vote online. Members who have received their voting instructions by email can cast a vote online only.

Votes can be cast by returning the ballot paper by post to:  
Civica Election Services  
The Election Centre  
33 Clarendon Road  
LONDON  
N8 0NW

Votes can be cast online at the following website: <http://www.cesvotes.com/gateshead2023>

All votes must be received by the Independent Scrutineer (Civica Election Services), at the address or website, above no later than 5pm on 13 November 2023.

Inquiries about replacement ballot papers or voting instructions should be directed by telephone to the Returning Officer on 020 8889 9203 no later than 5pm on 10 November 2023.

The contact address for each of these candidates is C/O James Mackins, The Returning Officer, Civica Election Services, The Election Centre, 33 Clarendon Road, London, N8 0NW and the email address is [fnominationenquiries@cesvotes.com](mailto:fnominationenquiries@cesvotes.com)

**James Mackins**  
**Returning Officer**  
**On behalf of Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust**