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What is Healthwatch?

Healthwatch Gloucestershire is one of 148 local Healthwatch organisations working with Healthwatch England, to ensure your voice is heard at a local and national level. Healthwatch gives children, young people and adults a powerful voice on health and social care services. Healthwatch works because you support us, work with us, give us your views and take part.

What does Healthwatch Gloucestershire do?

We act as a single point of access for health and social care information and have three main functions:

- To gather your views and experiences of health and social care locally. In this way, independently collected views will have a real influence on those who plan and provide services, helping them to be more responsive to what matters to you and to make sure that services are designed around local needs
- To provide you with local information and advice to help you make informed choices
- To provide you with access to the Independent Health Complaints Advocacy Service, SEAP (Support, Empower, Advocate and Promote) who can help you make a complaint about NHS services.



How can I get involved?

By becoming a member of Healthwatch Gloucestershire, you will have the chance to use your voice to have real influence. There are lots of opportunities for you to get involved in ways that suit you. The more people that join us, the more impact Healthwatch will have. To find out more about these opportunities please register now as a member.

Membership is FREE.

Click on the 'Membership' tab on the website to find out more or call us.



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