

# NOTICE OF POLL

**Derbyshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust**

**ELECTION TO THE COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS**

**CLOSE OF POLL: 5PM ON 29 January 2026**

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

Public: Derby City East 2 TO ELECT	
Candidates	Donna Batchelor
	Thomas Bladen
	Sarah Tupling

Staff: Admin and Allied Support 1 TO ELECT	
Candidates	Nicole Ellis
	Osmar Hamed-Fontanilla
	Pascal Okenwa

Voting will open on 09 January 2026 and voting instructions will be distributed to qualifying members by email or by post.

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: [www.cesvotes.com/dhft2026](http://www.cesvotes.com/dhft2026)

All votes must be received by the Independent Scrutineer (Civica Election Services), at the address or website, above no later than 5pm on 29 January 2026.

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 27 January 2026.

The contact address for each of these candidates is C/O Ciara Hutchinson, 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)

**Ciara Hutchinson**  
**Returning Officer**  
**On behalf of Derbyshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust**