

Members' news

Issue 1



This is the easy read version of Bradford Teaching Hospitals Foundation Trust member's newsletter issue 1.

It is your insight into the world of Bradford's Hospitals.

Mel's weekly round-up.



Mel Pickup is the Chief Executive Officer Bradford Teaching Hospitals Foundation Trust.

Every week she does a round-up of news. You can see it here <https://youtu.be/hKrBsrFinak>



These are some of the things she talks about this week:

Mel hears from some of our research nurses about their exciting and important work at the Trust.



There's news about a great scheme for people with hidden disabilities.

These are disabilities that can't be seen like autism, learning disability and others.



A new kit that helps patients who take medication intravenously. This is medication that goes straight into your veins.



We also celebrate the amazing career of Dr Chris Day. Dr Day is retiring later this month after working at Bradford Royal Infirmary for over 40 years.



There is also lots of other news about things that are happening at all of our hospitals.

People Powered Research



We celebrated International Clinical Trials Day with by launching our new website www.cityofresearch.org



The website is to help us recruit more members of our community to take part in healthcare research.

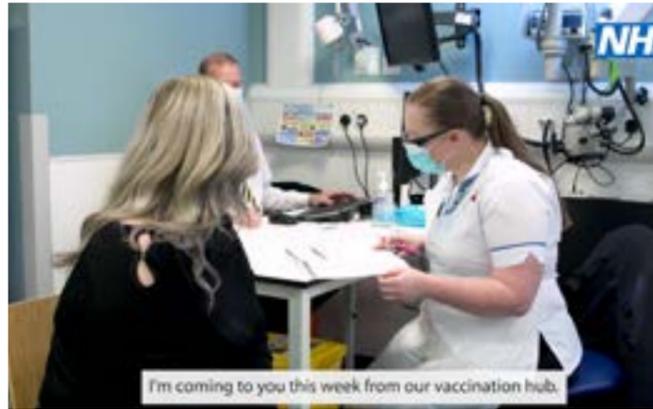


Please take a look and tell your family and friends.



Our Director of Research, Professor John Wright tells you more in this video <https://vimeo.com/530137774>

Last week's vlog from Mel



Last week Mel was at our Covid-19 vaccination hub.

There is some important news about it's work and the next steps <https://youtu.be/8ZfxL0cvv1U>

There is also an announcement about a new, major research trial starting here in Bradford.



We hear from our ICU nurses who have been at the front line of our Covid -19 care at the trust.

They are looking after themselves too and coming up with some great ideas to make sure the teams stay fit and well.

There are also lots of other things too, including a fantastic young fundraiser for our charity.

Unit's new home opens its doors



Our haematology (blood) and oncology (cancer) services have moved to Eccleshill Community Hospital.



A large area has been decorated, renovated and designed so all our patients will be comfortable.

You can have a look here: <https://bit.ly/3wknoMj>

Nurses praised



Ruth May is the Chief Nursing Officer for NHS England. She surprised a group of our nurses when she announced they were all winners of special awards for nurses.

Click here for the full story <https://bit.ly/3v7Wg2Z>

Motor Milestone



Our electric car charging point has been used over 1,000 times by staff and members of the public.



You can use an app or membership card to use it. There is a guide on the outside of the charging point.

Trees of Kindness



As part of our new [#EmbeddingKindness](#) campaign, staff can say what kindness means to them and hang it on our tree.