Police and Crime Commissioners | Electoral Commission Search Police and Crime Commissioners You are in the Types of elections section Home Voter Types of elections Your location: Change England Northern Ireland Scotland Wales Overseas We're showing you content for . Select 'change' to choose a different location. On this page Who can vote in these elections Find your candidates First published: 12 September 2019 Last updated: 28 June 2023 Summary Police and Crime Commissioners (PCCs) make sure that the local police in their area are meeting the needs of the community. There are 41 areas across England and Wales with a PCC. Each area has one commissioner. Who can vote in these elections If you are eligible to vote and are registered to vote in an area that has a PCC, you can vote in the Police and Crime Commissioner elections. Check if you're eligible to vote Voting in these elections Elections for PCCs take place every four years. Police and Crime Commissioner elections will use first-past-the-post. The ballot paper will list the PCC candidates. You will only be able to vote for one candidate, by putting a cross [X] in the box next to your choice. Find your candidates Looking for the candidates standing in your area? Enter your postcode to view a list. Your candidates will be available a few weeks before polling day. Enter a postcode Submit Postcode Your location: Change England Northern Ireland Scotland Wales Overseas We're showing you content for . Select 'change' to choose a different location. Related content Register to vote All you need to register to vote is 5 minutes and your National Insurance number. Elections in your area Enter your postcode to find your electoral services team at your local council. You need to send your postal and proxy vote application forms to them. Which elections you can vote in Learn more about which elections you can vote in. Voting in person Voting in person on polling day? Learn more about what to expect when you go to the polling station.