TRUSTEE ELECTIONS MARCH 2017



MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD

The time has come to elect two member Trustees to the Society's Board of Trustees. Have your say, and make sure the right people are elected to manage the BP Medical Aid Society.

The Board of Trustees manages the affairs of the Society, ensuring it meets members' needs as far as possible and remains financially strong. Three employer-appointed Trustees, three member-elected Trustees and one trade union-elected Trustee sit on the board. The member-elected Trustees' terms of office run for three years.

THE ELECTION PROCESS CONSISTS OF TWO STEPS:

STEP ONE Candidates are nominated.

STEP TWO You vote in the election for nominated candidates.

Right now, suitable candidates need to be nominated.

WHO CAN NOMINATE A POTENTIAL TRUSTEE

Any principal member may nominate fellow principal members to stand for election. The person who nominates a member to stand for election is called the Proposer. Another principal member must second (or support) the nomination. This person is called the Seconder.

THE NOMINEE MUST ACCEPT THE NOMINATION.

For the nomination to be valid, the person nominated (nominee) must formally accept the nomination by signing the nomination form and agreeing to fulfil the duties of a Trustee, if elected.

DEADLINE. 16:30 ON 31 MARCH 2017!

THIS IS THE TIME AND DATE NOMINATION FORMS NEED TO REACH THE ELECTION OFFICER.

A nomination form, as well as more detail on the nomination process and the duties of the Trustee board, was supplied in your February newsletter. Or visit the newsletters section on the <u>BPMAS website</u> for a nomination form.



QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS? TALK TO US

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