



Department of
**Health, Social Services
and Public Safety**

An Roinn
**Sláinte, Seirbhísí Sóisialta
agus Sábháilteachta Poiblí**

Public Appointments Non-Executive Directors of New Health and Social Services Trusts

The Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety is seeking to appoint up to 7 Non-Executive Directors (the specific number is under review) to each of the five new Health and Social Services (HSS) Trusts which will be operational from 1 April 2007.

The new Trusts will be known as the: Belfast HSS Trust; Northern HSS Trust; Southern HSS Trust; South Eastern HSS Trust; and Western HSS Trust.

Essential Criteria:- Making an impact with others; Committing to the non-executive role; Thinking strategically; Knowledge and understanding of the health service in Northern Ireland; and, Experience of senior management.

Remuneration:- £7,500 per annum. Time Commitment:- Around one day per week.

For further information and to receive a nomination form, please contact DHSSPS Public Appointments Unit, D1 Castle Buildings, Stormont Estate, Belfast BT4 3SQ; Tel: (028) 9052 3250; Text phone: (028) 9052 8343; Fax: (028) 9052 3206 or E-mail: public.appointments@dhsspsni.gov.uk

Information packs and nomination forms can be provided in alternative formats and candidates who require assistance will be facilitated on request. Nominees invited for interview will be eligible for reimbursement of reasonable travelling expenses.

Closing Date:- Completed nomination forms must be received at the above address by 5.00pm on Friday 24 November 2006.

The Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety is committed to the principles of public appointments based on merit with independent assessment, openness and transparency of process. The Department is committed to providing equality of opportunity for all nominees. Nominations are welcomed regardless of age, gender, disability, religion, ethnic origin, political opinion, sexual orientation or whether or not you have dependants. Women are currently under-represented on public bodies sponsored by the Department and nominations from women would therefore be particularly welcome.



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