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Trust appoints new Non Executive Director

Birmingham Women's NHS Foundation Trust is pleased to announce the appointment of Marianne Skelcher to serve as a Non Executive Director on the Board of Directors. Marianne joined the Trust on 1st April 2010 and will serve on the Trust Board for three years.

Marianne, who was appointed by the Members Council, is a Human Resources professional with over 30 years experience in people development and organisational change. Her background is in the public and not for profit sectors, most recently as Group HR director in a large housing association.

Trust Chair, Helen Hemberg commented, *"I am delighted to welcome Marianne to our Trust. She joins us at an exciting time as we look forward to the completion of our new neonatal unit in September, and as we look towards new and better ways of working across the organisation. Marianne's skills and expertise in human resources will be of real benefit and I look forward to working with her over the coming years."*

On her appointment, Marianne commented, *"Both my son and grandson were born here, so I am particularly delighted to have the chance to be of service to 'Birmingham Women's, as the Trust continues to develop as a centre of excellence."*

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