

Where to find help and advice on PPI

For health and social care researchers in the Oxford and Thames Valley region

I want to involve patients or the public

Is my project already defined and funded?

Yes

No

RESOURCES FOR EVERYBODY

Extensive resources and advice are available at www.phc.ox.ac.uk/ppi/information-for-researchers

and

oxfordbrc.nihr.ac.uk/research-themes-overview/partnerships-for-health-wealth-and-innovation/ppi-resources-for-researchers

and

www.clahrc-oxford.nihr.ac.uk/for-researchers/public-involvement-for-researchers

NIHR national PPI standards may be helpful www.nihr.ac.uk/news-and-events/documents/Public_Involvement_Standards_March%202018_WEB.pdf

For all: NIHR Research Design Service www.rds-sc.nihr.ac.uk offers extensive advice, and has a very limited budget for PPI undertaken in the development of a research proposal

For University departments: Research Support researchsupport.admin.ox.ac.uk

NB need for adequate PPI budget in the proposal www.invo.org.uk/budgeting-for-involvement

and

www.invo.org.uk/resources-centre/involvement-cost-calculator

I have looked online

If you are Oxford BRC-funded and have read the online resources, further help may be available

PRACTICAL SUPPORT

(helping with recruiting participants, organising / funding meetings, etc.)

or

METHODOLOGICAL ADVICE

(what is PPI, how does it work, how and when might I do it, etc.)

Am I funded by Oxford BRC?

Yes

No

Advice may be available from www.invo.org.uk and www.oxfordahsn.org/our-work/patient-and-public-engagement-involvement-and-experience

For help recruiting patients

Local resource:

patientsactiveinresearch.org.uk

National resource:

www.peopleinresearch.org

What kind of help do I need?

Practical support

RESOURCES FOR OXFORD BRC RESEARCHERS

Methodological advice

Each BRC theme is responsible for organising, funding and supporting its own PPI activities.

For these contacts, find your theme at oxfordbrc.nihr.ac.uk/research-themes-overview and click through to Contacts

General methodological advice for Oxford BRC researchers is available from the Partnerships theme.

Find PPI contacts at: oxfordbrc.nihr.ac.uk/research-themes-overview/partnerships-for-health-wealth-and-innovation/contacts

GOOD LUCK WITH YOUR PROJECT!