



Representative one page profile – Jez Newton

My strengths:

I am a creative problem solver and I have a wealth of analytical, project management and quality improvement skills. I love meeting people and finding ways to connect with them, both in my work and my personal lives. I have a good sense of humour and love working with groups to approach new challenges.

What working style works for me:

I have an analytical working style. This means that I am precise and attentive to detail and that I like organisation and structure. I have good problem-solving skills and prefer objective, intellectual work, systems and procedures. I have a desire to be correct so tend to collect as much data as possible to provide evidence.

This is why I'm interested in cancer:

I have known lots of people affected by cancer and tragically lost my father to it as well. I know how big an issue it is for the population of the UK and feel like this role offers me a chance to be a part of the solution to some of the issues faced by the NHS.

I have been involved in a lot of work around health inequalities and would like to use the knowledge I have gained in making sure that the services available to cancer patients are of an equally high standard no matter where they come from or how they live their lives.

These are the groups and networks I am involved in:

I am the lead for Treatment, Pathways and Personalised Care and as such am involved in all the Clinical Delivery Groups (CDGs) and a number of groups that look at improving personalised care. I am also part of a network of project and programme managers across the area that seeks to improve the communication of projects.

I am also a facilitator for Andy's Man Club so have a real desire to improve the link between mental health and cancer services.

This is what is important to me:

Making the most effective use of the resources we have in the NHS is something that I am passionate about. I am proud to work for the NHS and want it to be the best it can be.



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What I am like when I am not at work:

I am a father to a teenage boy who takes up a lot of my time and most of my money. I enjoy watching films and spending time socialising with friends.

Volleyball has been an important part of my life for a long time, and I still turn up to play the occasional game or tournament despite my ever-failing knees.

Any other information you should know about me: