The Medical Research Involvement Group

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN MEDICAL EDUCATION RESEARCH?

The Medical Education Research Involvement (MERI) group is a group of patients, carers and medical students who also have an interest in medical education.

We work with researchers at Brighton and Sussex Medical School who are undertaking medical education research. The purpose of the group is to talk to researchers about their research and to advise them from a lived experience whether that be as a medical student, or as a patient/carer.

Our meetings are friendly and informal. You do not need to have prior knowledge about research - it is your experience as a medical student that will help to shape research. We will also provide training about research as necessary. We will ask for your thoughts on general ideas of proposed studies, or perhaps the wording of information sent to participants. Our meetings are held on Zoom and happen when there is a need - usually once every other month. There is no pressure for you to attend more meetings than you are happy to do so.

Being involved with research can be very rewarding, can help with career development, and can help you feel that you are doing something positive to shape medical education research.

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