

# Chairman's Announcements

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Healthwatch Wiltshire is working in partnership with Wiltshire Council to manage and develop *Your Care Your Support Wiltshire*, the new health and social care information website for the county.

The website contains:-

- Information about different topics such as, dementia, keeping well and paying for care as well as explanations of an overview of how the NHS and social care work in Wiltshire.
- A service directory that provides details of local organisations, clubs, societies, GPs, dentists and care homes.

## **Your Care Your Support Wiltshire's First Birthday**

The site launched on April 1<sup>st</sup> 2015 and so has now been up and running for a year. In this year, it has been viewed 164,669 times and has been visited by 20,669 users. Of those who visited, 67% were new to the site whilst approximately 33% were return users. The most popular pages on the site were:

1. Paying for Care
2. How do I get care and support in Wiltshire?
3. Living with a disability/learning disability

## **Future plans and how you can help.**

Future plans include adding more detailed, localised information on end of life care and mental health services, updating and building on existing information and adding more videos and easy read pages. In addition we will continue to engage with local communities to ensure that the service directory contains all the information they need to access services and groups in their area.

Healthwatch Wiltshire will continue to involve local people in the development of the site so that we can make sure that it meets their needs. We would like to hear your views on the site. You can tell us about groups and clubs in your community or

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suggest topics that we can add to the site. This site is for Wiltshire people – make your voice heard!