Community Partnerships Supporting and working with community groups and clubs to promote a

deeper understanding of local health and care needs and experiences

Spotlight on



Air Ambulance Charity Kent Surrey Sussex

Your local air ambulance charity that doesn't stop 24/7, 365 days a year.

A team of skilled, sector-leading experts responding to over 3,300 incidents annually across Kent, Surrey, and Sussex that can reach any location within 30 minutes.

Their helicopters are flying emergency rooms. Whether it's on the road, beach, or park.

And they get there, fast and bring specialised doctors, paramedics and treatment to those who need it most.

At Team KSS, they're all lifesavers. Dispatchers, Doctors, Paramedics, Pilots, Non-clinical Teams, Trustees, and Volunteers – united in their purpose to save lives and ensure the best possible patient outcomes.



Air Ambulance Charity Kent Surrey Sussex

- **Dispatchers** identify which patients need our care the most. They assess over 4,000 calls per shift and ensure our team have all the information they need before arriving on scene.
- **Doctors and Paramedics** perform lifesaving procedures anywhere on the road, beach, or park. When every second counts, their expert crews bring immediate lifesaving treatment to the scene. Fast.
- **Pilots** navigate with precision, getting them where we need to be as quickly and safely as possible.
- Their **non-clinical teams** work tirelessly behind the scenes, supporting their daily operations, fundraising and engagement activities.
- The leadership and expertise of their **Trustees**, together with their supportive approach and strategic oversight, enables them to consistently deliver their world-leading service.
- Their team of over 150 **volunteers** from Kent, Surrey and Sussex, work alongside them to raise awareness and funds for their lifesaving service.

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For help, advice, and information or to share your story

Healthwatch is your health and social care champion.

If you use GPs and hospitals, dentists, pharmacies, care homes or other support services, we want to hear about your experiences. We have the power to make sure NHS leaders and other decision makers listen to your feedback and improve standards of care. We also help people to find reliable and trustworthy information and advice



Last year, we helped nearly a million people like you to have your say and get the support you need.



If you are setting up or would like to share news of a similar project we would be interested to hear from you. Please contact Cheryl Berry, Community Partnership Lead: cheryl.berry@healthwatchwestsussex.co.uk

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