





# Research Opportunity

## The Parent Carer Empowerment Project

We are developing a programme to support parent carer empowerment and we need your help

#### What is Empowerment?

Empowerment is defined as the strengthening of parent carers' influence and control over the decisions and actions affecting their child's care.

### Is this project for you?

- You work directly with children and their families who are accessing services from East Kent Hospitals University Foundation Trust.
- You manage services for children in East Kent Hospitals University Foundation Trust.

#### What will it involve?

Working with parent carers, other health professionals and researchers to develop a programme to support parent carer empowerment.

Depending on your preference, this might include:

- Joining a focus group
- Being interviewed
- Completing a questionnaire
- Participating in a workshop.



Participants will receive a £15 gift voucher and any travel/child care expenses incurred.

If you would like to be involved in this project, or would like more information, please contact Jim Reeder (lead researcher).

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