

LGBT+ VIDEO BOOTH: INFORMATION FOR EVENT ATTENDEES



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WHAT IS IT?

We are researchers from the University of York using a **video booth to document the experiences of staff who identify as LGBT+ and their allies.**

Video clips are a way to bring experiences alive for audiences. **You will have the opportunity to record a brief message (max 30 second) about your working life. If you have had experiences of LGBT+ networks we would like to hear about those too.**

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WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

We have been funded to carry out a major study into **LGBT+ employee networks within the NHS.** So far, we have worked with **9 LGBT+ employee networks** across the U.K., interviewed network members, allies, EDI leads and senior management, and surveyed over **4000 NHS staff.** This has provided insights into how networks operate, who is involved, and their aims and influence.

The video-booth is designed to **give more people a voice to further develop our understanding of LGBT+ identifying staff and their allies within the NHS.**

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WHERE ARE RECORDINGS STORED & HOW WILL THEY BE USED?

By making this recording you consent to the clip or parts of the clip being used for training, on our website, in presentations and publications. You also consent to the recordings to be archived and made available to other researchers in the future. Your identity will not be disguised but organisations will not be named.

The video recordings will **be stored on a secure server at the University of York.** For impact, a resource bank with a selection of the video clips will be published on the project website.

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WHAT APPROVALS ARE IN PLACE & WHO DO I CONTACT?

The project has **received ethical approval from the University of York and HRA approval.**

If you have any questions or would like further information about the project:

- **contact the project lead, Dr Anna Einarsdóttir** (anna.einarsdottir@york.ac.uk)
- **visit our website** (lgbtnetworks.org.uk)
- **contact University of York Ethics Committee** (elmps-ethics-group@york.ac.uk)