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1. What is PPI?
2. Why and how did I get involved?
3. How have I helped?
4. What have I gained?
5. Could you get involved too?

1. What is PPI? 1/2

- Patient and Public Involvement
 - NIHR defines public involvement in research as research being carried out ‘with’ or ‘by’ members of the public rather than ‘to’, ‘about’ or ‘for’ them.
 - It is an active partnership between patients, carers and members of the public with researchers that influences and shapes research.

1. What is PPI? 2/2

- Examples of involvement
 - Advising on how to improve patient & carer experience
 - Helping researchers write about their research in a clear and understandable way
 - Commenting on & developing patient information leaflets or other research materials

2. Why and how did I get involved?

- Brain Health Clinic's PPI group
- Two close family members diagnosed with dementia
- Dementia Oxfordshire
- Shona Forster (PPI Manager NIHR Oxford Health Biomedical Research Centre)

3. How have I helped? 1/3

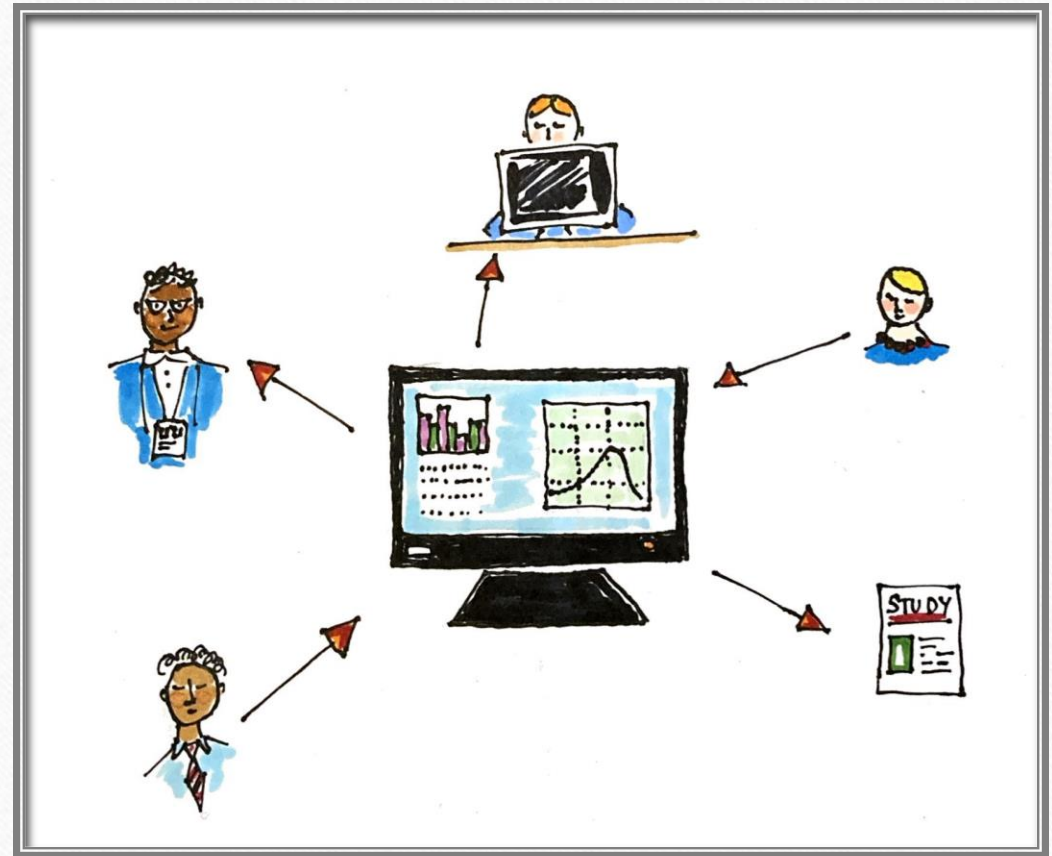
Reviewed a funding application to ensure it
was

“in simple English so that it is accessible to a
lay audience”



3. How have I helped? 2/3

Advised on the creation of a UK-wide register of volunteers who are happy for their anonymised health information to be available to dementia researchers



3. How have I helped? 3/3

Reviewing and contributing to ethics documents relating to OBHC research study



4. What have I gained?

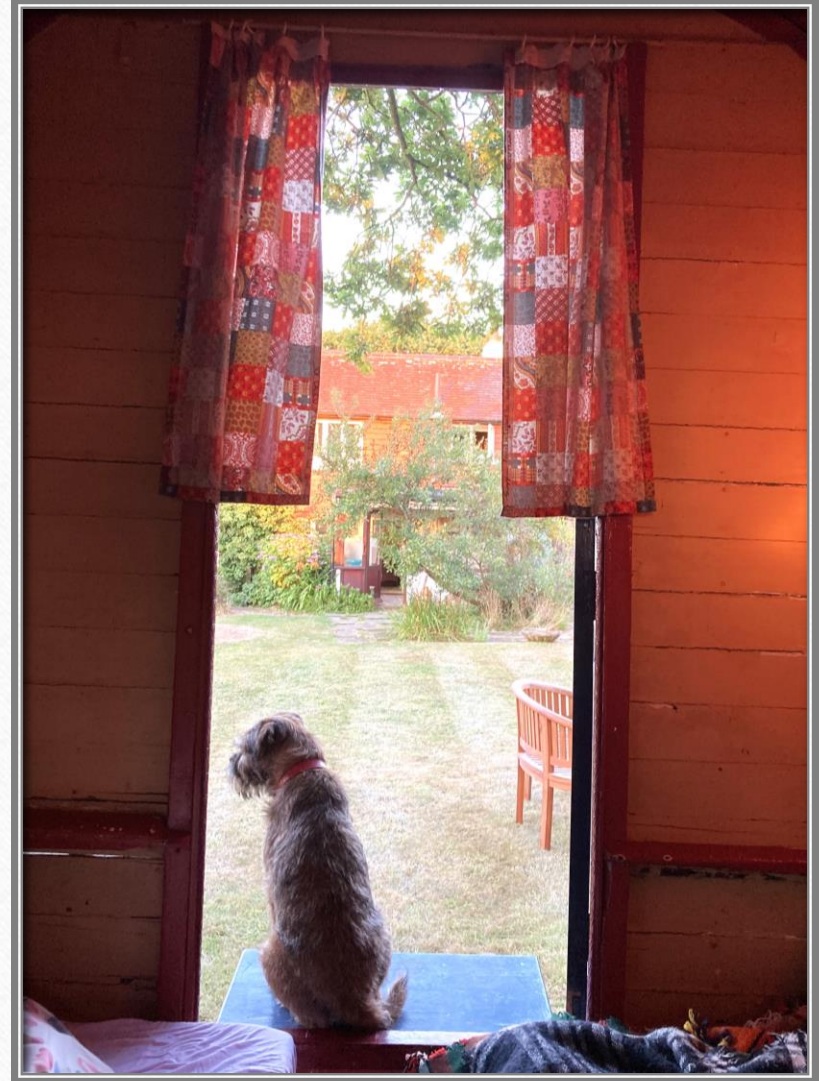
Hope

Insight

Knowledge

Support

Inspiration



5. Could you get involved too?

YES!

