Theme Public Advisor

Our research at ARC KSS is focused around eight topics or themes. <u>Click here</u> to see the entire list. There are one or two Public Advisors aligned to each Theme, where they get to know the members of the team and work with them to give opinions and ideas that represent those of the general public.

As well as being involved in the same way as the Public Contributors, Theme Public Advisors take on the additional role of helping with the organisational work (governance) of ARC KSS, making sure the research we support is relevant to our local communities and that it meets our objectives.

As a Theme Public Advisor, you will help us meet our aims by:

- Being a member of the Public Involvement Network (PIN) in PIN meetings the Theme Public Advisors get to meet together and share what they have been doing with their specific themes. Through these friendly meetings we can support each other and find out what work is going on across the ARC KSS. They also give us a chance to make sure that the themes are listening to the public voice and meeting the wider aims too.
- Being a member of the Theme Teams this will involve you working closely with your theme and the
 different staff members working there. You will join meetings with them to bring a public point of view
 to the overall direction of the Theme and the work they are doing.

Meet our current team of **Theme Public Advisors**:

Keith Turner Primary & Community Health Services Theme

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Paul Burchett Social Care Theme

<u>Karin Webb</u> Living Well with Dementia Theme

<u>Sarah Giles</u>
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