

electoral administration bulletin



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May 2024 elections: gathering feedback

As part of our statutory responsibilities, the Commission will be reporting on the May 2024 elections. Our reports depend heavily on the feedback and information we receive from the people who run and participate in the polls. We very much appreciate your help in either responding to or distributing these surveys.

Polling station staff survey

We are carrying out a survey of polling station staff to collect feedback about their polling day experiences. We would appreciate your help in highlighting the survey to your polling station staff.

There will be two ways for staff to access the survey:

- The polling station handbook (hard copy and digital) features a QR code which staff can use a smart phone to scan to access the survey.
- We will provide a link to the online survey closer to polling day which you can circulate to your polling station staff.

In both cases, the link to the survey will go live on the afternoon of polling day. If you have any queries about the survey, please contact research@electoralcommission.org.uk.

Feedback from electoral administrators

We would also like feedback from administrators and Returning Officers responsible for running the polls. This not only informs our post-election reporting but will also help us to improve how we support you in delivering well-run elections in the future. This year it will be particularly useful to hear about your experience of implementing the voter ID requirement, as well as information on the accessibility measures in place in your area.

We will provide a link to the survey closer to polling day. It will be made live on Friday 3 May and the deadline for completion will be Friday 7 June. If you have any queries about the feedback survey, please contact researchsurvey@electoralcommission.org.uk.

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Please [keep us informed](#) of any staff changes within your team. This will help us to keep our mailing lists up to date.

If there is a new RO/ERO appointment in your authority, please contact the team in Wales by e-mailing infowales@electoralcommission.org.uk

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Job Vacancy at the Electoral Commission

We are currently recruiting to the following position in our Support & Improvement team:

- Senior Adviser - Improvement

The closing date for applications for this post is 2 April 2024. If you would like an informal discussion about the role, please contact Amy Symons, Improvement Manager, on 020 7271 0516.

For further information or to apply, please visit the [recruitment page](#) of our website.

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