

Speaker Biography

Marianne Grant

Partnership Development Manager, Compton Care

Marianne joined Compton Care in July 2016 as the Project Manager for Compassionate Communities from a background of working for Wolverhampton City Council as a European Funding Officer. This previous experience gave her strong knowledge and understanding of the need to develop new partnerships and to identify collaboration opportunities, to enhance the care provision for diverse communities in the city.



Compassionate Communities was a new approach for the Compton Care and Marianne was appointed to develop and implement a community-based model in Wolverhampton and South Staffordshire. Following on from the CQC Inequalities of Care Report (2016) Marianne set about to create an approach to generate community participation, education and awareness, and projects to support people affected by life limiting and incurable conditions.

Compton Care have since embedded this model into their Clinical Strategy. Her Community Engagement team work closely with local community groups, voluntary organisations, clinical groups, staff and volunteers to deliver a programme of practical care and support in the community. Marianne has a passion to develop and empower communities to gain the necessary skills and knowledge to create an environment that cares and supports people living with complex conditions.