



2. Background to PPI

Involving members of the public/with experience of particular health conditions is extremely important to NIHR to help ensure that the research they fund is:

- < Relevant
- <
- < Usable for people

Involvement of people with experience of living with dementia and/or caring for someone with dementia is a vital part of the NIHR Maudsley BRU. It helps to

- < To provide advice and trouble-shooting for research studies underway in the NIHR Maudsley BRU
- < To participate in working groups / taskforces / focus groups as appropriate.
- < To participate in collaborative projects including development of funding bids.
- < To contribute to identifying research priorities
- < To contribute to strategy development for the next funding term (2017-2022)
- < To determine the need for separate LAG for individual projects at the NIHR Maudsley BRU

We will continue the work of the MALADY group and seek to increase membership (see 4.2).

4.2 Ensure our PPI work captures the views of the South London and Maudsley NHS Trust (SLaM) population

The NIHR Maudsley BRU

physical and mental health. We will look for opportunities to work on specific

Timeline and targets

Objective

website.
Conferences

