

BSSH Trauma Committee Membership May 2023 - April 2026

The BSSH Hand Trauma Committee is seeking expressions of interest for an Accident and Emergency/Emergency Department Representative for a term of three years (May 2023 - April 2026).

The committee meets every two months. Meetings are mainly held virtually with at least two face to face meetings per year. Meetings take place during the day with some evenings when necessary.

The Hand Trauma Committee exists to advance hand trauma care in the UK.

General responsibilities of the Committee

- Promotion and support of hand trauma care.
- Pro-active promotion and dissemination of developments in hand injury care.
- Completing work-in-progress in good time for the BSSH Council meetings.
- Hold an annual trauma symposium.

Current Committee projects include:

Handstands

- Work to develop and review BSSH standards of care for hand trauma.
- To help improve knowledge of treatment outcomes.

National Hand Trauma Network

- Oversee the launch, promotion and development of the BSSH/BAHT national clinical network.
- To support developments to improve the patient pathway.

Hand Injury Prevention

- Work to create hand injury prevention campaigns.
- To work with the Communications Committee to make use of opportunities to promote hand injury prevention.

Working methods

- Email and telephone, WhatsApp whenever possible.
- Email response within 7 days.
- Meetings, currently every two months and mainly virtual during the day with some evenings when necessary.

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Please email this form back to secretariat@bssh.ac.uk FAO Charlotte Smith by Sunday
12th March 2023

Name:	
E-mail address:	
Town/City/Country:	
What career path are you currently following?	
What is your professional background?	
Where do you work?	
Do you have any areas of interest or expertise in hand trauma care?	
Please describe any skills you have that would be beneficial in this role (50 - 100 words)	
Please give a personal statement (50 -100 words)	
Please confirm you have sufficient time to contribute to the committee? (Meetings every two months, attending annual symposium, completing committee task actions etc.)	Yes/No
Have you attended any BSSH Scientific Meetings?	