



soundlincs

unleashing potential through music

Advisory Panel Information Pack



Champion the voices of people across our region

Are you curious about how music can support mental health and well-being?

Are you interested in learning how a community music charity operates?

Do you have ideas for making your local community more connected?

Would you like to collaborate with other creative people?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, you might be interested in joining SoundLincs' Advisory Panels. Our panels bring together people who care about music and the positive impact it can have on individuals and communities. By getting involved, you'll have the opportunity to share your ideas, perspectives, and experiences to help shape the work we do.

Whether you're passionate about music, interested in community projects, or simply want to have your voice heard, the Advisory Panels are a great way to contribute, connect with others, and make a difference. Read on to find out more about what's involved and how you can get involved.

What is an advisory panel?

There are three Advisory Panels which exist to champion the voices of people across our region.

Panel members get a behind-the-scenes look at our charity and play a key role in advising on a wide range of areas, including our music projects, services, policies, communications, and community engagement.

Being a panel member also offers opportunities for personal and professional development, as well as the chance to build new networks with like-minded, creative individuals.

Youth Ages 10-17

Mental Health Ages 18+

Criminal Justice Ages 18+

How does the panel work?

Our panel members meet online once a month, guided by SoundLincs' mentors. Members commit to the panel for one year, taking part in a total of nine meetings. Each meeting will focus on one of the following key areas:

Learning: Go behind the scenes and discover how careers in music, charity management, and how music and well-being come together.

Sharing: Bring your creative projects, musical experiences, and community insights to the table to inspire and shape our work.

Advisory: Shape the future of our work by providing feedback on project design and development. Your ideas help us better support our community.

We ask prospective applicants to be able to commit to as many of the sessions as possible. If you know prior to applying that you are unlikely to be able to make the majority of sessions, we run a programme with a new cohort every year and would encourage you to apply in the future.



What's in it for you?

There are so many benefits to joining a SoundLincs Advisory Panel. You'll have the chance to connect with people who share a passion for music and its wider social impact while developing your own skills in leadership, communication, and collaboration.

By joining the panel, you can contribute to initiatives that support mental health, well-being, and community cohesion, and help influence change by shaping our music projects and community initiatives. In addition, all panel members receive free access to a range of SoundLincs' music workshops, subject to availability.

Contribute

Influence

Connect

Develop



Inclusivity and Access

We are committed to ensuring that our Advisory Panels reflect the diversity of the communities we serve.

We have a dedicated budget to meet access requirements, including support such as BSL interpreters and live captioning. If you require any adjustments to take part, please let us know.

If you would prefer to submit your application via video or arrange a phone conversation instead of completing the written form, please contact us at info@soundlincs.org and we will be happy to support you.



Applications open

Monday 19/5/2026 at 10:00am

Applications close

Monday, 30/6/2026 at 5:00pm

How to Apply

To apply to join a SoundLincs Advisory Panel, please complete our short application form.

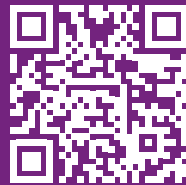
The form asks for some brief information about you, including your background, your musical interests, how you feel you could contribute to the panel, and what you hope to gain from taking part. This helps us understand your perspective and how you might support the work of the Advisory Panel.

To access the application form, please visit:
www.soundlincs.org



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