



A FUTURE-FOCUSED FINANCE VALUE MAKER IS:

- ✓ **Someone who is passionate about the NHS and NHS Finance**
- ✓ **Someone who is committed to making a difference and who is passionate about the power of finance in supporting the delivery of excellence in patient care**
- ✓ **A champion of staff development**
- ✓ **Someone who spreads the work and messages of FFF**



THERE ARE MANY BENEFITS TO BEING AN FFF VALUE MAKER:

Together our Value Makers create a network of like-minded individuals from up, down and across the country, representing all levels of the NHS Finance function. Sharing ideas, best practice, information and supporting one another is what this network is all about.

- Being part of a network of peers from outside your organisation who you can contact for help with any work query.
- A network of individuals from across the country who you can talk to, without necessarily having to meet them face-to-face, a group of friendly colleagues who can pick you up and motivate you when you need it.
- This isn't about adding to the day job – it should complement and help you with all that you have to do. A call to a fellow Value Maker really can be quicker than sitting and stewing over a problem, or procrastinating with a cup of coffee, hoping that the problem will just disappear.
- The network is active both regionally and nationally.

FAQs



HOW DO I BECOME AN FFF VALUE MAKER?

To join this network we want to know:

- Why you want to be a Value Maker?
- What one special skill will you bring to the role?
- How will you champion FFF within your health community?

Your application can be as imaginative as you like or you can sign up by emailing us your answers or by filling in our Value Maker post cards.

IS IT POSSIBLE TO DO A GROUP APPLICATION TO JOIN THE NETWORK?

Yes it is. We just ask that everyone in the group sign-up contributes to the application.

DO I HAVE TO BE A FINANCE PROFESSIONAL TO SIGN UP?

Whilst the majority of our Value Makers are finance professionals, the network aims to connect and develop all professionals working in the NHS, so we welcome applications from anyone with an interest in NHS finance.

HOW MUCH TIME DO I NEED TO DEDICATE TO BEING A VALUE MAKER?

We know that we're all busy, but this isn't about adding to the day job - it should complement and help you with all that you have to do. And taking time out to attend Value Maker events not only increases your network (and therefore your access to more experts on different

topics) but it also provides you with personal development, time to reflect and plan, opportunities to hear about new and exciting approaches that you may want to adopt and will leave you feeling energised for your return to the day job.

ONCE SIGNED UP AS A VALUE MAKER, WHERE DO I START?

Contacting your regional lead would be a good place to start so they can introduce you to others in your local network and share their Value Maker stories. We have also published a some of our Value Maker Stories which can be accessed on the website. Or maybe even start the accreditation process in your organisation in recognition of the great work that your team already does and also to ensure that the team is the best that it can be.

HOW MANY INDIVIDUALS ARE PART OF THE NETWORK?

The network is going from strength to strength and now has over 600 Value Makers. Have a look at the map on the FFF website to see who is involved.

HOW DO I CONTACT OTHER VALUE MAKERS IN THE NETWORK?

Once signed up as a Value Maker we can give you access to the national and regional Value Maker groups on the website where you can connect with others.

**What are you waiting for?
If you want to apply or find
out more then visit**



www.futurefocusedfinance.nhs.uk/value-makers