

Warren Carratt is Chair of the Derrymount School Interim Executive Board. He is also Chief Executive Officer of Nexus MAT, a trust providing education to children across the South Yorkshire and Nottinghamshire regions, with a majority of special schools. A "first generation" CEO, Warren was recruited to post following national advert in 2016.

From August 2022 to December 2023 Warren was also the CEO of the Evolve Trust, a failed MAT which he was appointed to lead with the specific brief of re-brokering its academies and closing the Trust.

Warren has not come through the Headteacher route, instead having a background in local government and the NHS. Warren is a sitting Magistrate on the South Yorkshire bench, and is also an independent member of the South Yorkshire Police & Crime Panel, the statutory body which holds the Police & Crime Commissioner to account.

He is an advisory member to the Staff College, and is also a member of the Department for Education's Attendance Action Alliance. He lives in Rotherham, South Yorks.



Muhammad Saqib is Vice Chair of the Derrymount School Interim Executive Board. He is Iso currently a HR Business Partner within the Human Resource Department at Nottinghamshire County Council since September 2019. He has over 19 years' experience working in HR functions of various public sector organisations. Within his current role, he provides day to day strategic HR advice and support to Headteachers and school leaders. He is experienced at supporting schools with a wide range of HR issues, as well as ensuring schools policies and procedures are in line with employment law legislation and these policies and procedures are adhered to. He is an associate member of Charted Institute of Personnel Development.



Sandra Welsh is currently an EHC Co-ordinator within the Integrated Children's Disability Service (ICDS) Team at Nottinghamshire County Council. She has worked in education for over 25 years and for the past 13 years has worked within SEND to support children and young people with Special Educational Needs within their educational environment. Sandra has previously worked for the Learning and Skills Council, now the Education and Skills Funding Agency, as a researcher and in economic development. She has experience of supporting schools and colleges with the delivery of their strategic priorities and educational provision for their pupils with Special Educational Needs. She has worked with both maintained schools and academies, as well as those educational establishments within the independent sector and Post 16 colleges. Sandra is passionate about supporting children and young people to meet their full potential.



Jacky Tattershall is passionate about education and school improvement having worked within the field of Special Educational Needs and Disability for thirty years in a variety of teaching and leadership positions. She particularly enjoyed her time as Headteacher in a school for children and young people with complex needs, and witnessing their successes and achievements. She is particularly interested in teaching and learning and ensuring that every pupil is equipped with the skills, knowledge and understanding to be successful learners, confident individuals and to lead their life as independently as possible.

Jacky is currently the Chair of her local Scout group and enjoys supporting young people to learn and develop lifelong skills in an enjoyable and practical way.



Michelle Sherlock is the Designated Clinical Officer for Special Education Needs and Disabilities for Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) providing expert clinical advice to support and influence strategic leaders across a complex SEND system, working in partnership and supporting local authorities, education, health and social care service providers, stakeholders and parent carer forums to drive improvement and to implement the reforms required to reduce inequalities and improve outcomes for Children and young people with SEND (0-25) through quality assurance, commissioning, and contract arrangements.

Michelle's career in nursing spans over 25yrs with a continued NMC registration as a Children's Nurse and Specialist Community Public Health Nurse for Health Visiting, she has extensive knowledge and experience in nursing sick children in acute NHS trusts; as has worked as a community children's nurse, supporting school nursing teams and working in partnership with families, SENCOs, and other professionals, to support meeting the needs of children and young people and their families in Nottingham city districts, who experience prominent levels of deprivation, poverty, and high level safeguarding challenges. As a Health Visitor Michelle was accountable for a safeguarding children and their families, attending the local Vulnerable Persons Panel, Looked after children reviews, Initial and reviews for child protection conferences, working with multiagency partners to support vulnerable families.