



Work in the AMBULANCE SERVICE ENGLAND ONLY

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AMBULANCE UPDATE

National Review Update

The proposed escalation of strike action led by the GMB Ambulance Service, secured a number of concessions specific to the ambulance service. These concessions include a review of Job profiles and a review of a recruitment, retention premia. As well as part-funding of early retirement factors by the employers of the State Pension Age minus 3 years. The work on both key areas has started. Key members of the GMB Ambulance Service from the Nwas and LAS have been co-opted on to the national groups as the work involved in both reviews is comprehensive and detailed.

Both review groups have now agreed terms of references. The GMB welcomes the review and our approach is we are fully engaging in this work on a non-prejudice basis. Any outcomes will be subject to the usual membership consultations.

KEY AREAS OF WORK

1. National Review of Job Profiles & National Recruitment and Retention Premia review specific to Ambulance Service.

2. Early Reduction Retirement Buy Out specific to Ambulance Service Review.

Please note the GMB policy position and aspiration remains that we will continue to campaign to achieve Band 6 status of all Paramedics and Band 5 status of all Technicians. We recognise there is a cost attached to this and we continue with our efforts and campaign to achieve these aims.

To contact your national representatives please email us at nhs@gmb.org.uk please note terms of references have been issued to your branch together with updates.

ALL NHS WORKERS CAN GET INVOLVED

Joining the GMB is easy, quick and fast. You or your colleagues can join via one of the following methods:

1. Online at www.gmb.org.uk/join
2. Complete the GMB application form and post to FREEPOST GMB
3. Ring 020 8971 4268 and ask for the GMB NHS Sector.
4. Email nhs@gmb.org.uk asking for a membership form.
5. Ask the GMB to visit your workplace and work colleagues. email nhs@gmb.org.uk and arrangements can be made to have a face to face meeting.

LET'S STICK TOGETHER AND RETAIN OUR HARD FOUGHT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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<https://www.gmb.org.uk/login>

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If you have any questions contact GMB: email info@gmb.org.uk or visit our website www.gmb.org.uk

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GMB membership application form PLEASE USE BLOCK CAPITALS

1 TELL US ABOUT YOU

Surname <input type="text"/>	First name <input type="text"/>	Title Mrs/Ms/Ms/Mr <input type="text"/>	Date of birth <input type="text"/>
Home address <input type="text"/>	Home phone number <input type="text"/>	Mobile number <input type="text"/>	Postcode <input type="text"/>
We ask for your ethnic origins as part of our equal opportunities policy of improving services to all members Bangladeshi <input type="checkbox"/> / Black African <input type="checkbox"/> / Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/> / Black British <input type="checkbox"/> / Chinese <input type="checkbox"/> / Indian <input type="checkbox"/> / Irish <input type="checkbox"/> / Pakistani <input type="checkbox"/> / White <input type="checkbox"/> / Other <input type="text"/>			
National Insurance number <input type="text"/>	I agree to abide by GMB rules Signed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Date <input type="text"/>

2 TELL US ABOUT YOUR JOB

Employer <input type="text"/>	Your job <input type="text"/>
Address where you work <input type="text"/>	How many hours a week do you work? <input type="text"/>
Postcode <input type="text"/>	Pay number <input type="text"/>
	Work phone number <input type="text"/>
	Pay date <input type="text"/>

3 PLEASE SELECT WHEN YOU WOULD LIKE THE DIRECT DEBIT TO BE DEDUCTED FROM YOUR ACCOUNT

If you are paid monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st day of the month*	<input type="checkbox"/> 15th day of the month*	<input type="checkbox"/> Last day of the month* * or next working day
OR if you are paid 4 weekly	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Friday	<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Friday	<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Friday
	<input type="checkbox"/> 4th Friday		

4 INSTRUCTION TO YOUR BANK OR BUILDING SOCIETY TO PAY BY DIRECT DEBIT

Please fill in the form below and send to: GMB, 22 Stephenson Way, LONDON NW1 2HD.		Service User Number <input type="text"/>
Name and full postal address of your Bank or Building Society branch		Instructions to your Bank or Building Society: Please pay GMB Direct Debits from the account detailed in this instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee. I understand that this instruction may remain with GMB and, if so, details will be passed electronically to my Bank/Building Society.
To the Manager of <input type="text"/>	Bank/Building Society <input type="text"/>	
Address <input type="text"/>	Postcode <input type="text"/>	Signature(s) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Name(s) of account holder(s) <input type="text"/>		Date <input type="text"/>
Bank/Building Society account number <input type="text"/>	Bank/Building Society Sort Code <input type="text"/>	For GMB official use only. This is not part of the instruction to your Bank/Building Society. If your A/C number is not available fill in your address below.
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