

## **AMII Press Release**

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### **AMII announces committee reshuffle**

The Association of Medical Insurers and Intermediaries (AMII) has announced four new committee members following elections held at its AGM on 25th March.

Paul Swanson, commercial director at Healthwise, joins the committee along with Claire Ginnelly of Premier Choice Healthcare. Ginnelly previously served as AMII's insurer representative between 2008 and 2010 when she was head of distribution at Groupama Healthcare.

AMII has expanded its insurer representative positions to two since taking on insurer members last year and Richard Norris, head of SME at Bupa, joins the committee along with Paul Shires, executive director at Westfield Health.

Regency Health's Brian Walters steps down at the end of his three-year term, the last two of which were served as vice-chair. Existing committee member Stuart Scullion of The Private Health Partnership takes over as vice-chair and Jelf Group's Wayne Pontin, who became AMII chairman in 2012, was elected for another year.

The remaining committee members are Graeme Godfrey from Best Go Private (Treasurer), Sue Smith from ADVO Group, Hazel Gregory from Medical Insurance Services, and Debbie Jones from Anglia Healthcare.

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##### **About AMII**

The Association of Medical Insurance Intermediaries (AMII) was established in 1998 as a trade association for independent medical insurance advisers based in the UK.

AMII is the only specialist intermediary trade body within the Private Medical Insurance industry. All AMII members offer specialist advice on private medical insurance.

The Association promotes and maintains high standards of professional and ethical conduct amongst members, and aims to increase awareness of the role of specialist medical insurance advisers. AMII members adhere to a Code of Ethics and commit to on-going professional development.

Buying medical insurance from a member of AMII will give you access to specialist independent advice on a range of private medical insurance schemes from a number of different insurers.

All AMII members are authorised and regulated by the FCA to sell general insurance products.