**Barnet Council are running a Dragons Den and we need you!**

We are running a Dragons Den competition to find **new and innovative** ways we can use **technology** to support vulnerable adults in Barnet.

We are looking for someone to represent people who use adult social care services and carers on the judging panel.

The purpose of the competition is to:

* Encourage **creative use of technology** to address issues in adult social care
* Identify **practical ways** in which technology can be used to **support better outcomes** for adult social care.
* Identify new **products or service innovations** that we can support to launch or expand in Barnet

There will be two categories:

* **Professionals category**: Professionals working for the London Borough of Barnet
* **Students category**: Students at Barnet & Southgate College

**What are the details?**

* The event will take place on the morning of 23 March (to be confirmed)
* 8 finalists will present their ideas to you and the rest of the judging panel (the ‘Dragons’)
* The event will be filmed to promote the competition within the council and for other marketing purposes.

**How do I apply?**

Complete the application form below and send to [engage.adults@barnet.gov.uk](mailto:engage.adults@barnet.gov.uk) or

*Engagement Lead, Customer Care Team*

*Barnet House*

*1255 High Road*

*London N20 0EJ*

A senior manager from Argenti (our care technology / telecare service) will choose the successful applicant

***Deadline: Monday 19 February***



**Application Form: Dragons Den**

**Name:**

**Phone number:**

**Email address:**

**Please write a short statement (up to 150 words) on why you would make a good judge in this competition.**

* You might want to talk about:
  + - your interest or experience with technology and new ideas
    - your experience of adult social care services
    - how and why you would be a fair judge

***Please return by Monday 19 February***