

## **Dudley Neighbourhood Board Member Biography**

### **Sonia Kumar MP**

Sonia Kumar MP, is the first female MP for Dudley. Until her recent election Sonia worked at Dudley Group NHS Trust at the Guest Hospital in Dudley as an Advanced Practice Physiotherapist and First Contact Practitioner. Sonia recently graduated from Aston University with an MSc in Business and Management. She has shown her dedication to helping people and her drive to get a job done. Working hard, listening and raising the voices of her constituents will always be a priority for Sonia as well as supporting families and vulnerable people and championing schools and businesses to help Dudley thrive.

As the MP, Sonia works with Dudley Council, Dudley's Mayor, the West Midlands Mayor and the wider Government to advocate for Dudley.

Sonia grew up in a working-class household, she understands the impact that an active and visible MP can make and will continue to build trust between politicians and the residents of Dudley.