



This document contains the contact details for National Plant Monitoring Scheme Mentors. Please contact them using the email addresses below; the types of enquiries that each mentor can help with are listed. These may include:

- Email support
- Help with online data entry
- Help with the methodology - locating your plots etc.
- Help identifying species
- Help identifying habitats
- Developing a local network/community of NPMS volunteers

The NPMS Mentors may also be organising local activities so get in touch with them to see what is going on.

If there isn't a local mentor then email support@npms.org.uk or telephone 01722 342 743 with your enquiry.

Northern England

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