



Highland Alcohol and Drugs Partnership Stakeholder Conference 2018

Conference Programme

'Reaching Hard to Engage Groups'

1st June 2018, Centre for Health Sciences, Inverness
10am — 3.45pm

The focus of the conference is reaching and supporting young people, adults and older people, who can be hard to engage despite being vulnerable, disadvantaged and more likely to experience inequity.

National and local speakers, along with workshop facilitators, will present best practice on drug and alcohol related work that ranges from prevention through to recovery.

The conference is suitable for all those with a direct and indirect interest in reducing drug and alcohol related harm in Highland.



Highland Alcohol and Drugs Partnership includes: Highland Council, NHS Highland, Police Scotland, Third Sector, Crown Office, Scottish Prison Service, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service and community drug and alcohol forums.

Our purpose is to achieve improved outcomes for individuals, families and communities by working together to prevent and reduce drug and alcohol related harm.



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9.30-10.00	Registration – Tea & Coffee
10.00-10.05	Welcome and Overview <i>James Dunbar</i> , Chief Executive, Newstart Highland, HADP Chair
10.05-10.20	Preventing Drug and Alcohol Harm in Highland <i>Professor Hugo van Woerden</i> , Director of Public Health and Policy, NHS Highland
10.20-10.45	Is Scotland Facing a National Emergency? <i>Dave Liddell</i> , Director, Scottish Drugs Forum
10.45-11.45	Morning Workshops: 1. Title: <i>Young People & Peer Education</i> , Youth Highland 2. Title: <i>Engaging with Homeless People</i> , Drug & Alcohol Recovery Service 3. Title: <i>Older People & Alcohol</i> , Highland Senior Citizens Network & HADP 4. Title: <i>Reducing Drug & Alcohol Related Deaths</i> , HADP, Drug & Alcohol Recovery Service 5. Title: <i>Building Recovery Communities</i> , Forth Valley Recovery Community
11.45-12.15	Working with the Hardest to Engage <i>Dr John Budd</i> , General Practitioner, Edinburgh Access Practice
12.15-1.00	Lunch (Served in Street / Café Area)
1.00 – 1.45	Tackling Stigma <i>Phoenix Futures – Drama Performance / Film</i>
1.45 – 2.05	Creatively Engaging Young People <i>Alison Urie</i> , Director, Vox Liminis
2.05 – 3.05	Afternoon Workshops: 6. Title: <i>Young People & Peer Education</i> , Youth Highland 7. Title: <i>Engaging with Homeless People</i> , Drug & Alcohol Recovery Service 8. Title: <i>Older People & Alcohol</i> , Highland Senior Citizens Network & HADP 9. Title: <i>Reducing Drug & Alcohol Related Deaths</i> , HADP, Drug & Alcohol Recovery Service 10. Title: <i>Building Recovery Communities</i> , Forth Valley Recovery Community
3.05 – 3.30	Alcohol Minimum Unit Pricing: Good for Highland’s Health <i>Sean McCollum</i> , Policy and Development Co-ordinator, Alcohol Focus Scotland
3.30 – 3.45	Questions & Plenary

Programme may be subject to change

To book a place please complete the attached booking form and return it by **Tuesday 22nd May 2018** to: aileen.trappitt@nhs.net / Aileen Trappitt, Admin Officer, Highland Alcohol and Drugs Partnership, Larch House, Stoneyfield Business Park, Inverness, IV2 7PA