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# Due North - turning evidence into action on health inequalities

## DUE NORTH

Report of the Inquiry on  
Health Equity for the North

**Free event organised by The Northern Health Equity Research Network -*Equal North***

**Chaired by Professor Dame Margaret Whitehead**

29<sup>th</sup> March 2017, 10.00 -15.30

Foresight Centre,

1 Brownlow Street, Liverpool, L69 3GL

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The aim of the event is to use the Due North report to revitalise the health inequalities agenda in the North but also nationally. The event will bring together policy makers and researchers to identify how we can better use evidence to influence action on the priority areas identified in the Due North report: [<http://cles.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/Due-North-Report-of-the-Inquiry-on-Health-Equity-in-the-North-final.pdf>] :

- (1) Tackling poverty and economic inequality within the North and between the North and the rest of England;
- (2) Promoting healthy development in early childhood;
- (3) Sharing power over resources and increasing the influence that the public has on how resources are used to improve the determinants of health;
- (4) Strengthening the role of the health sector in promoting health equity.

Confirmed speakers include:

- Professor Dame Margaret Whitehead, WH Duncan Professor of Public Health, University of Liverpool.
- Councillor Matthew Brown, Cabinet Member for Social Justice, Inclusion and Policy, Preston City Council.

- Simon Bowers, Clinical Vice Chair of NHS Liverpool Clinical Commissioning Group
- Dominic Harrison, Director of Public Health, Blackburn with Darwen, Borough Council.
- Dr Ruth Hussey CB, OBE, Independent Public Health Consultant

