

Creating Healthy Places in the North East: the Role of Fire and Rescue Services and Fuel Poverty Partnerships

7 March 2017: 9.30am-1.00pm (followed by lunch), Durham University, St Mary's College,
Kenworthy Hall, DH1 3LR

Draft programme

9.30am	Registration/Arrival
10.00am	Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Councillor Lucy Howells, Portfolio Holder for Adult and Health Services, County Durham Council • Gill O'Neill, Director of Public Health, County Durham Council
10.10am	Speaker session 1 (key note) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speaker 1: Professor David Hunter, Durham University Title ' <i>Making a Reality of the Wider Public Health in Local Government</i> '
10.30am	Speaker session 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speaker 2: Keith Wanley, County Durham and Darlington Fire & Rescue Service Title ' <i>The role of brief interventions as part of the Safe and Wellbeing Visits</i> '
10.50am	Speaker session 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speaker 3: Professor Suzanne Moffatt, Newcastle University Title ' <i>The impact of income maximisation on health: findings from the Do-Well Study</i> '
11.10am	Coffee break
11.25am	Speaker session 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speaker 4: Cliff Duff, Durham County Council's Housing Regeneration team Title ' <i>Introducing the Durham Fuel Poverty Partnership, overview of achievements</i> '
11.45am	Panel discussion with speakers <i>How can we strengthen existing partnerships and involve new partners, such as NHS Foundation Trusts? (Chaired by Gill O'Neill)</i>
12.00pm	Break-out sessions/ table discussions <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Prevention: Safe and Wellbeing Visits</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Councillor Thomas Nearney, Safer and Stronger Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

(confirmed speaker)



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jonathan Slee, County Durham Council '<i>Review of Safe and Wellbeing Visits</i>' <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Increase public and staff awareness of fuel poverty /cold weather awareness training</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cliff Duff, Durham County Council's Housing Regeneration team? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Energy efficient improvement schemes/ reducing energy costs (incl. support with switching energy suppliers)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Warm Up North project lead (TBC) Dr. Heather Brown, Newcastle University '<i>What does research tell us? Findings from the evaluation of the Stockton ECO Scheme</i>' <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Impact of NICE guidance (NG6) on excess winter death and cold related ill health in County Durham</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jamie Rose, National Energy Action Tim Wright, Durham County Council <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Benefit and income maximisation</u> (welfare advice and Registered Social Landlord's money management projects) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sam Scotchbrook, Citizens Advice County Durham, '<i>Income maximisation as a quick win</i>' Catherine Bailey/ Phil Hodgson, Northumbria University, '<i>Managing Money Better; evidence on reducing fuel poverty in Stanley</i>' <u>Targeted fuel poverty work in primary care</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr. Jonathan Smith, Silverdale Family Practice Sarah Burns, Durham Dales, Easington and Sedgefield Clinical Commissioning Group
12.45pm	<p>Close of session: reflection on workshops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Speaker: Gill O'Neill, Director of Public Health, County Durham Council <p><i>How effective are public health partnerships and what gaps are there in current partnership working? How can we address these gaps and how can research support this process?</i></p>
1.00pm	Networking lunch