

**Westminster Social Policy Forum Keynote Seminar:
Next steps for transgender equality - inclusion, rights and services**

Timing: Morning, Monday, 4th June 2018

Venue: Glaziers Hall, 9 Montague Close, London SE1 9DD

Agenda subject to change



- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Baroness Barker, Liberal Democrat Lords LGBT Spokesperson
- 9.05 - 9.30 **Transgender equality in the current landscape**
Ollie Entwistle, Head of LGBT Policy, Government Equalities Office
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 9.45 **Case study: supporting transition in the workplace**
Tunde Ogungbesan, Head of Diversity, Inclusion and Succession, BBC
- 9.45 - 10.40 **Equalities legislation, education and creating inclusive environments**
Julia Neal, National Education Union Representative and Member, LGBT+ Worker's Committee, Trade Union Congress
Helen Belcher, Trustee, Trans Media Watch
Mark Landon, Partner, Weightmans
Dr Stephanie McKendry, Widening Access Manager, University of Strathclyde
Bex Stinson, Head of Trans Inclusion, Stonewall
Questions and comments from the floor with **Tunde Ogungbesan**, Head of Diversity, Inclusion and Succession, BBC
- 10.40 - 10.50 **Chair's closing remarks**
Baroness Barker, Liberal Democrat Lords LGBT Spokesperson
- 10.50 - 11.20 Coffee
- 11.20 - 11.25 **Chair's opening remarks**
Steph Calvert, Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Advisor; Executive Member, Spectrum, Home Office and Executive Member, a:gender
- 11.25 - 11.45 **Tackling issues in the criminal justice system**
Megan Key, Equalities Manager, National Probation Service
- 11.45 - 12.05 **Priorities for Gender Identity Services in the NHS**
James Palmer, Medical Director for Specialised Services, NHS England
- 12.05 - 12.55 **Key issues for transgender physical and mental health**
Dr Jane Hamlin, President, Beaumont Society
Dr Polly Carmichael, Consultant Clinical Psychologist and Clinical Director, Gender Identity Development Service, Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust
Dr Caroline Dollery, Chair and Elected GP, NHS Mid Essex Clinical Commissioning Group
Questions and comments from the floor with **Megan Key**, Equalities Manager, National Probation Service and **James Palmer**, Medical Director for Specialised Services, NHS England
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Social Policy Forum closing remarks**
Steph Calvert, Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Advisor; Executive Member, Spectrum, Home Office and Executive Member, a:gender
Emily Darling, Associate Forum Lead, Westminster Social Policy Forum