

Scotland Policy Conferences Keynote Seminar
Next steps for cancer policy - prevention, diagnosis and treatment

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 23rd May 2018

Venue: Central Edinburgh



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Annie Wells MSP, Shadow Spokesperson for Mental Health, Public Health and Equalities
- 9.05 - 9.30 **Early lessons and future priorities for implementing the 'Beating Cancer' strategy**
Dr Aileen Keel, Chair, Scottish Cancer Taskforce and Director, Innovative Healthcare Delivery Programme, Usher Institute of Population Health Sciences and Informatics
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 9.40 **Key issues for prevention: funding, screening and reducing inequalities**
Professor Robert Steele, Chair, UK National Screening Committee; Clinical Director, Scottish Colorectal Cancer Screening Programme and Co-Director, Scottish Cancer Prevention Network
- 9.40 - 10.15 **Early detection and diagnosis: primary care, diagnostics and improving waiting times for referral**
Senior representative, general practice
Senior representative, diagnostics
Senior representative, patients
Questions and comments from the floor with **Professor Robert Steele**, Chair, UK National Screening Committee; Clinical Director, Scottish Colorectal Cancer Screening Programme and Co-Director, Scottish Cancer Prevention Network
- 10.15 - 10.20 **Chair's closing remarks**
Annie Wells MSP, Shadow Spokesperson for Mental Health, Public Health and Equalities
- 10.20 - 10.45 Coffee
- 10.45 - 10.50 **Chair's opening remarks**
Dr Philippa Whitford MP, Shadow SNP Spokesperson for Health (subject to Parliamentary business)
- 10.50 - 11.00 **Preparing the NHS workforce to deliver the cancer pathway and increasing access to specialist cancer care**
Senior representative, education
- 11.00 - 11.50 **Improving cancer treatment and care: integration, access and tackling variation**
Sandra McDermott, Head of Financial Inclusion and Improving the Cancer Journey, Glasgow City Council
Senior representative, secondary care
Senior representative, social care
Senior representative, third sector
Questions and comments from the floor with senior representative, education
- 11.50 - 12.50 **Next steps for cancer research and innovation in Scotland**
- Priorities for translational research and development*
Senior representative, research
- Challenges and opportunities for delivering precision medicine*
Senior representative, genomics
- Improving access to medicine: quality, cost-effectiveness and implementing the Montgomery Review*
Senior representative, access
Senior representative, pharmaceutical
- Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.50 - 12.55 **Keynote closing remarks**
Dr Aileen Keel, Chair, Scottish Cancer Taskforce and Director, Innovative Healthcare Delivery Programme, Usher Institute of Population Health Sciences and Informatics
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Scotland Policy Conferences closing remarks**
Dr Philippa Whitford MP, Shadow SNP Spokesperson for Health (subject to Parliamentary business)
Michael Ryan, Deputy Editor, Scotland Policy Conferences