

Living in the gap seminar: Health Inequalities in Scotland

9.20am- 12pm, Monday 15th June 2015, Hanover Conference Centre, Edinburgh

Seminar Agenda

09:20 Registration and light breakfast

09:40 Welcome from seminar chair

Christine Carlin, Chief Executive, Mindroom

'Living in the gap'- a voluntary health sector perspective on health inequalities in Scotland

Alan McGinley, Policy Engagement Officer, Voluntary Health Scotland

Case study panel and discussion session: What does the sector need and how do we get it?

Maura Daly, Operations Manager, Circle Scotland Claire Stevens, Chief Officer, Voluntary Health Scotland Penny Stafford, Hardship Coordinator, MARCH Project Janice Thomson, Trustee, MS Therapy Centre Lothian John Watson, Deputy Chief Executive, ASH Scotland

10:45 Refreshment break

Round table discussion session:

How do we make health inequalities everyone's business? What is my organisation doing to make a difference?

Where does the third sector fit?

What does successful partnership look like and what is your role? **Dr Pauline Craig, Head of Equality, NHS Health Scotland**

Next steps

12:00 Seminar close