

**STCA Annual Meeting at the
Tolbooth Stirling
Smoking, lifestyle and cultural
change
24th June 2010**



- 09.00** **Registration**
- 10.00** **Viv Binnie, Chair of the STCA Coordinating Group**
Opening address and overview of the STCA activity 2009 to 2010.
- 10.15** **Chair Susan Kerr**
Report from the STCA Research Group.
- 10.20** **Sarah Burton, Policy Development Manager, Children in Scotland**
Exposure to tobacco, alcohol and drugs in early development has huge repercussions for the life chances of our young people: opportunity for questions and debate.
- 10.50** **Chair Anne Finnie**
Report from the Cessation in Pregnancy Group.
- 10.55** **Comfort break – 5 minutes**
- 11.00** **Vice-chair Heather Gillespie**
Report from the Youth and Tobacco Forum.
- 11.05** **Sheila Duffy, Chief Executive, ASH Scotland and Tom Roberts, Director of Scottish Health Action on Alcohol problems**
Alcohol and tobacco control; think twice.
- 11.25** **Linda de Caestecker, Director of Public Health, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde**
Life style and culture change in Glasgow: the gains in joining up initiatives.
- 11.50** **Panel discussion and questions: lifestyle and culture change**
Sheila Duffy, Tom Roberts, Linda de Caestecker, Dr Laurence Gruer, Director of Public Health Science, NHS Health Scotland.
- 12.10** **Lunch – 50 minutes**
- 13.00** **Welcome back**
Vice-chair Kay Samson report from the Tobacco Control Issues Group.
- 13.05** **David Wiggins, Interim Strategic Programme Manager, North of England Tackling Illicit Tobacco for Better Health Programme Smokefree North West**
Reducing the supply of and demand for illicit tobacco; experience from the NE of England. David will answer questions during his presentation and will contribute further in the TCIG.
- 13.35** **John Sim, ASH Scotland Development Officer (Inequalities)**
Report from the Smoking and Mental Health Working Group.

13.40 Topic Group Meetings

Conference splits into four groups and moves to different rooms; allow 10 minutes for room movements.

Meeting Room 1

Research Group: Chair Susan Kerr

Round table update on research related activity in Scotland.

Laurence Gruer on future tobacco control research strategy in Scotland. Discussion of future research priorities and STCA Research plans for the coming year.

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Tobacco Control Issues Group: Chair Kay Samson

Tobacco control activity around Scotland: updates from meeting delegates. 20 mins

Healthier safer communities: a Scottish summit to tackle illicit tobacco

David Robertson, ASH Scotland Alliances Manager will provide an overview of the project and invite comment from David Wiggins and delegates on how to use the event to raise awareness, consult on improving community responses to illicit tobacco and encourage wide representation at the event.

What questions do you want answered at this event? 35 mins

The Local Alliances Project and the future of the TCIG

Janet Wilson, Local Alliances Officer; local alliance development in Scotland and coming activity. 15 mins

Kay Samson, how can the TCIG play a role in supporting local alliance activity? Group discussion with input from delegates and ASH Scotland staff. 15 mins

Auditorium **Cessation in Pregnancy Group: Chair Anne Finnie**

Your reactions to today's theme and future CinP activity: our role in an event to highlight initiatives to reduce second-hand smoke exposure. 20 mins.

Michael Townson and Claire Findlay provide an addictions service at Cornton Vale women's prison. This is an opportunity to discuss several case studies involving stop smoking support. 1hr 10 mins.

Meeting Room 2

Youth and Tobacco Forum: Chair Heather Gillespie

Group discussion of the morning presentations in the context of youth and tobacco; review the issues raised from the Youth and Tobacco conference held in March, identifying key priority areas for the STCA in 2010/2011.

End of meeting 15.15

A web evaluation form will be sent to you in the next few days. Please do take the time to complete the evaluation and let us know what you thought was most important about the event from your perspective and what you would like to see the STCA tackle at future meetings.