Cross-Party Group: Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Conditions
Wednesday 8 November 2017
Committee Room 4
5.30pm-7.30pm

Agenda

Convenor: Brian Whittle MSP
Deputy Convenor: Rhoda Grant MSP

1. Welcome, apologies and general update

2. Minutes of 13 September 2017 Annual General Meeting

3. Matters arising

4. *Psoriatic Arthritis update and recent research*
   
   Dr Stefan Siebert, University of Glasgow and Consultant Rheumatologist, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

5. *Giant Cell Arteritis-fast track to diagnosis and treatment*
   
   Dr Jane Gibson, Consultant Rheumatologist, NHS Fife

   Meeting Break

6. *Scottish Metrics for the Assessment of Rheumatoid Arthritis Treatment (SMART)-Update*
   
   Dr Ruth Richmond, Consultant Rheumatologist, NHS Borders and President of The Scottish Society of Rheumatology

7. Any other business

8. Summary of 2017 meetings, actions and next steps

2018 Meeting Dates—all meetings start at 5.30pm in Committee Room 4

Wednesday 21st March – will include contributions from Scottish Network for Arthritis in Children(SNAC) and Scottish Paediatric and Adolescent Rheumatology Network(SPARN)

Wednesday 6th June

Wednesday 12th September to include AGM

Wednesday 7 November