Draft Agenda

Meeting of the
Cross Party Group on Health Inequalities

Thursday 7th December 2017
12.30 pm (for 1 pm start) to 2.15 pm
Committee Room 2, The Scottish Parliament

Tea, coffee and shortbread will be served on arrival
The meeting will commence at 1.00 pm
The meeting will be chaired by: [to be confirmed]

1. Minutes of last meeting
   To approve the draft minutes of the meeting held on 26th October 2017

2. Matters Arising
   To consider any matters arising from the previous meeting.

3. Proposed new members
   To consider the following applications to join the CPG: [to be confirmed]

4. “What have the Arts and Culture ever done for Health Inequalities?”
   Developing a Culture Strategy for good health
   An opportunity to explore how the future Culture Strategy could and should contribute to addressing Scotland’s health inequalities. The Culture Strategy is currently in the engagement phase, gathering ideas and views that will help shape a draft, after which formal public consultation will take place. This CPG meeting aims to build stronger links and engagement between the cultural and health sectors

Two short presentations followed by discussion:
   • Leonie Bell, Head of Culture Strategy, Scottish Government
   • Margaret O’Connor, Chief Executive, Art in Healthcare
5. **Any other business**

To consider any other relevant business.

6. **Dates of next meetings**

To note that meetings are scheduled for:

- Thursday 25 January 2018 at 1.00 pm
- Thursday 3\textsuperscript{rd} May 2018 at 1.00 pm