Meeting of the Cross Party Group on Health Inequalities
12.40 pm to 2.15 pm, Thursday 31st January 2019
Committee Room 1, The Scottish Parliament
Tea, coffee and biscuits will be served on arrival

Agenda

Theme of meeting: Loneliness and Social Isolation

Chaired by Donald Cameron MSP

1. Welcome, introductions and apologies
2. Minutes of the previous meeting, held on 30 October 2018
3. Proposed new members:
   - Scottish Rural Health Partnership
   - Breast Cancer Now
4. A Connected Scotland
   Christina McKelvie MSP, Minister for Older People and Equalities
5. Loneliness and Social Isolation discussion, including short inputs from:
   - Kiren Zubairi, Policy Engagement Officer, Voluntary Health Scotland
   - Sandra Brown, Scotland and North England Manager, Eden Project Communities
   - Nicola Hanssens, General Manager, Roar: Connections for Life
6. Any other business
7. Next Meeting:
   5.40pm- 7.30pm, Tuesday 30 April, Committee Room 4, Scottish Parliament
   Chaired by Richard Lyle MSP