Meeting of the Cross Party Group on Health Inequalities
17.40 (for 18.00 start) to 19.30, Tuesday 30th April 2019
Committee Room 4, The Scottish Parliament
Tea, coffee and biscuits will be served on arrival

Agenda

Theme of meeting: Poverty and Health Inequalities

Chaired by Richard Lyle MSP

1. Welcome, introductions and apologies
2. Minutes of the previous meeting, held on 31st January 2019
3. Any matters arising
5. Proposed new members:
   - Children’s Hospice Association
   - Cancer Support Scotland
   - The Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland (The ALLIANCE)
   - Senscot
   - Age Scotland
   - The Global Health Policy Unit, University of Edinburgh (replacing Katherine Smith, currently an individual member)

Presentations and discussion: poverty and health inequalities

6. ‘What Has Happened Since Shifting The Curve?’ An overview of the new report that scrutinises progress towards meeting the recommendations of the Independent Poverty and Inequality Advisor.

   Douglas Hamilton, Chair of the Poverty and Equalities Commission

7. Exploring the Practicalities of a Basic Income Pilot This new report, written by the Scottish Basic Income Steering Group, highlights learning from basic income pilots underway or in planning in Finland, Ontario and the Netherlands

   Wendy Hearty, Project Manager for the Scottish Basic Income Feasibility Study

8. Any other business
9. Date of next meeting to be confirmed.