



DrugScope

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A question of balance: delivering an inclusive treatment and recovery system

Tuesday 6th November 2012

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In every cliché, there is a large element of truth, so we make no apologies for emphasising that 'there are many ways into addiction and many ways out of it'. But for people to find the right path for them, all paths have to be open and so therefore we have an obligation to deliver a balanced and holistic treatment and recovery system which is not driven either by cash or ideology. To that end, we have speakers who will cover the spectrum from harm reduction and substitute prescribing to abstinence-based services and workshops looking at the needs of special groups such as the older user.

Confirmed speakers and workshop leaders include:

Karen Biggs, Marcus Roberts, Annette Dale-Perera; John Strang, Simon Wakefield, Steve Brinksman and John Ramsey.

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- 09.00 - 09.45** **Registration and coffee**
- 09.45 - 10.00** **Welcome and introductions from Harry Shapiro, Director of Communications, DrugScope**
- 10.00 - 11.30** **Plenary 1**
New times, new challenges - **Marcus Roberts, Director of Policy, DrugScope**
- Role of the NHS in the new treatment landscape - **Annette Dale-Perera, Strategic Director of Addiction and Offender Care for Central & North West London NHS Foundation Trust.**
- Future challenges for Tier 4 provision - **Karen Biggs, CEO Phoenix Futures**
- Primary care and role of the GP - **Steve Brinksman, Clinical Director SMMGP**
- Followed by Q/A
- 11.30 - 11.50** **Coffee break**
- 11.50 - 12.30** **Ministerial address: tbc**
- Keynote address: tbc**
- 12.30 - 13.15** **Message in a bottle:** panel discussion on current government alcohol policy and the 'state' of UK drinking culture. Panel to be chaired by **Professor Robin Davidson, Chair of Alcohol Research UK**
- 13.15 - 14.00** **Lunch**
- 14.00 - 15.00** **Workshops**
1. **Professor John Ramsey, St George's Hospital Medical School** on the latest new drugs to hit the streets
2. **Simon Wakefield, NORCAS** on providing services for the older user
3. tbc
4. tbc
- 15.00 - 16.15** **Plenary 2**
1. The role of harm reduction interventions in recovery. **Professor John Strang, Head of the Addictions Department at King's College London**
2. tbc
3. The future of evidence-based drug policy **Roger Howard, CEO UKDPC**
- Q/A**
- 16.15 - 16.30** **Round-up and final comments - Martin Barnes, CEO DrugScope**

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