

Consultation and Involvement of Service Users and Carers

AS12: Review of Eligibility Criteria and AS8: Severe Disability Premium Disregard

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Public Meeting	8 th & 16 th November 2010		General consultation	
Focus Group	16 th November 2010	Disabled People	Meeting arranged at convenient time for disabled people to ensure they, and their carers, have the opportunity to give their views	
Focus Group	15 th November 2010	Older People	Meeting arranged at convenient time for older people to ensure they, and their carers, have the opportunity to give their views.	
Meeting with Gordon Pybus & Lauren Robinson (DAD)	25 th November 2010		Opportunity to seek the views of those with disability expertise.	
DES Sub Group	9 th February 2011		Opportunity to seek the views of those with disability expertise.	
Focus Group with Learning Disability People's Parliament	16 th January 2011	People with a Learning Disability	Opportunity to seek the views from an established group of people with a Learning Disability who also represent	

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			other people with a Learning Disability.	
GOLD Focus Group	8 th March 2011		To explain and discuss the budget proposals for ASC	
Identified in PID that further Impact Assessment work will be undertaken	April 2011	All service user groups and carers		
Transformation Sounding Board	13 th April 2011	All	'Deep dive' into ASC proposals	
Older People's Event	12 th May 2011		To explain and discuss the budget proposals for ASC	3
DIA Sub Group	18 th May 2011		To explain and discuss the budget proposals for ASC	
Staff Briefings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service Manager team meeting • ASC Communications Announcement 	20 th May 2011 w/c 23 rd May 2011		To explain and discuss the budget proposals for ASC	
Mail out (Via GOLD) x 700	25 th May 2011	Older People	To give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Mail out x 430	24 th May 2011	Learning Disability	To give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Mail out	24 th May 2011	Extra Care &	To give a brief outline of the budget	

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x 200		Sheltered Schemes	proposals and give notice of events.	
Mail out (Via DAD) x2750	25 th May 2011	Physical Disability/Carers	To give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Libraries, Central House Reception, Customer Services	26 th May 2011	General Public	To give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Age UK X150	25 th May 2011	Older People	To give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Posters distributed to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dolphin Centre • Libraries • DAD • Market Hall • Customer Services • Central House Reception 	1 st June 2011	General Public	To give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Website	18 th May 2011	General Public	To give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Talking Newspaper	23 rd May 2011	Visually Impaired	Press release to give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Local Press	24 th May 2011	General Public	Press release to give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
BME Network	25 th May 2011	BME Network	Documents & Flyer emailed to give a	

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GAD	25 th May 2011	Gay community	Documents & Flyer emailed to give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events.	
Learning Disabilities Partnership Board	6 th June (meeting)	People with a Learning Disability	Documents & Flyer emailed to give a brief outline of the budget proposals and give notice of events. Noted in minutes of Partnership Board meeting (06.06.11)	
Talking Together Event	3 rd June 2011	People with a Learning Disability and their carers	Event to focus on people with a Learning Disability and their carers, to seek impacts on those who may be affected by the budget proposals	33
People's Parliament	6 th June 2011	People with a Learning Disability	To seek impacts on those who may be affected by the budget proposals	7
Deaf Club	7 th June 2011	Deaf Community	To seek impacts on those who may be affected by the budget proposals	3
Talking Together Event	8 th June 2011	General Public	Event to seek impacts on those who may be affected by the budget proposals.	38
Extra Care Events: • Mayflower Court • Oban Court	9 th June	Older People	Meetings to seek impacts from older people who may be affected by the budget proposals	26

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rosemary Court Dalkeith House 	10 th June 14 th June 14 th June			28 21 11
Deaf Forum	14 th June 2011	Deaf and Hearing Impaired	Meeting to seek impacts on those who may be affected by the budget proposals	10
Rockliffe Court	15 th June 2011	Physical & Learning Disability	Event to focus on people with a Physical & Learning Disability to seek impacts on those who may be affected by the budget proposals.	14
MIND	17 th June 2011	Mental Health	Meeting to seek impacts on those who may be affected by the budget proposals	49
DAD Offices Enterprise House	5 th July 8 th July 2011	Those directly affected by SDP & Eligibility Criteria	Drop in sessions offering 1 to 1 discussions	5 6
The Gateway Club Salter's Lane	5 th July 6 th July 2011	Those directly affected by SDP & Eligibility Criteria	Drop in sessions offering 1 to 1 discussions	5 6
			Total numbers	265