

Meeting the challenge: economics and a healthier society

Wednesday 24 November 2010 9am–4.30pm

Mossley Mill, Carnmoney Road North, Newtownabbey

Aim

This one-day conference aims to stimulate debate and reflect on action taken to reduce health inequalities, with a focus on economic development and partnership working.

Event summary

Hosted by the Public Health Agency in partnership with the Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety, this conference will bring together leading local and regional speakers to discuss the links between financial investment, economic development, sustainable communities and health inequalities.

Parallel sessions will be used to showcase programmes of work which evidence good practice, partnership working and innovation to improve health and social wellbeing, build social capital and tackle health inequalities.

This conference will mark the end of 'Focus on health inequalities', a five week programme of events to demonstrate action being taken by the Public Health Agency and partners in the statutory, voluntary, community and academic sectors to address health inequalities and the wider determinants of health and wellbeing across Northern Ireland.

Target audience

This conference will target public health policy makers and practitioners, regional and local government representatives and key policy and decision makers from the private, public, academic, voluntary and community sectors.

Booking instructions

This event is funded by the Public Health Agency and places are being offered free of charge to delegates, however places are limited so please book early to avoid disappointment. Please complete and return the event booking form by **Tuesday 9 November 2010**.

Completed forms should be returned to:
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Further details on 'Focus on health inequalities' and this conference, including the conference programme and information on the parallel sessions, will be available to download from www.publichealth.hscni.net in advance of the events.

