

To: SOCIAL WORK COMMITTEE		Subject: CONFERENCES	
From: DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION			
Date: 19 October 2004	Ref: FM/EH		

1. **Purpose of Report/Introduction**

The purpose of this report is to advise the Committee of invitations received in respect of Member attendance at conferences.

2. **Background**

Since the last meeting of the Social Work Committee twenty invitations, coming under the remit of this Committee, have been received for representatives to attend conferences, as detailed in the attached Appendix.

3. **Recommendation**

That consideration be given to the conference invitations received.


Director of Administration

SOCIAL WORK COMMITTEE OF 28 OCTOBER 2004

Invitations Received to Attend Conferences

1. Protecting Scotland's Children: Making the Reform Programme Happen - Dundee - 5 October 2004
Submit invitation from COSLA
2. Men and Violence - Hamilton - 8 October 2004
Submit invitation from Men's Health Forum Scotland
3. Assets, Families and Children Investing in our Future - Edinburgh - 15 October 2004
Submit invitation from Children in Scotland
4. The 5th Annual ACPO Youth Justice Conference - Engaging Young People for a Brighter Future - Liverpool - 21-22 October 2004
Submit invitation from Neil Stewart Associates
5. Challenging Abuse: Improving Practice for People with Dementia - Stirling - 26 October 2004
Submit invitation from Dementia Services Development Trust
6. Building Capacity in Intermediate Care: Delivering Independence for Older People - London - 27 October 2004
Submit invitation from Neil Stewart Associates
7. Supporting Refugee and Asylum Seeker Children and Young People - London - 27 October 2004
Submit invitation from Neil Stewart Associates
8. Living with Complex Needs - Stirling - 29 October 2004
Submit invitation from Dementia Services Development Trust
9. The Political and Regulatory Environment for Care Homes and Home Care - London - 2 November 2004
Submit invitation from Laing and Buisson
10. Fuel Poverty - The Rise and Fill? - Dundee - 3-5 November 2004
Submit invitation from Energy Action Scotland
11. The Performance Challenge for Social Care - London - 4 November 2004
Submit invitation from Harrogate Management Centre
12. Just One Click in Scotland: Promoting the Safety of Children Online - Edinburgh - 9 November 2004
Submit invitation from Holyrood Conferences and Events
13. Anti-Social Behaviour: Research, Perspectives and Policies in the UK - Glasgow - 12 November 2004
Submit invitation from University of Glasgow
14. Acute Inpatient Mental Health Care - Cambridge - 17 November 2004
Submit invitation from the Sainsbury Centre for Mental Health
15. Sustainable Scotland 2004 - Stirling - 18-19 November 2004
Submit invitation from Sustainable Scotland Network

16. Seamless Services for Children with Disabilities - London - 18 November 2004
Submit invitation from Neil Stewart Associates
17. Scotland 2040: World Leader Lifelong Wealth and Prosperity - Edinburgh - 22 November 2004
Submit invitation from Mackay Hannah
18. Mental Health Reform in Scotland, A Brighter Future? - Edinburgh - 23 November 2004
Submit invitation from Gatehouse Conferences and Training
19. Primary Mental Health Care - Birmingham - 30 November 2004
Submit invitation from The Sainsbury Centre for Mental Health
20. Renewing Public Health: Renaissance and Responsibility - Newcastle Gateshead - 5-7 April 2005
Submit invitation from Benchmark Conference and Events Management