



SESPM Executive Meeting Agenda

Venue: Local Government Association, Smith Square, London SW1P 3HZ

Thursday 4th December 2014, 11.00-13.00

Chair: Cllr Paul Watkins

Aims of the meeting

- To provide a forum for the SESPM Executive to consider national policy developments in the field of migration and their implications for the South East of England
- To facilitate collaboration between the Home Office, local government and non-governmental organisations, regional and local stakeholders to develop a strategic approach to migration and integration in the South East
- To help members and partners deliver appropriate services to migrants in the region

The meeting is held in the spirit of the Chatham House Rule where participants are free to use the information received, but neither the identity nor the affiliation of the speaker(s), nor that of any other participant, may be revealed.

Item No	Item Title	Person Leading	Purpose	Time
1.	Welcome, introductions, aims of today's meeting. Minutes & Matters Arising from Previous Meeting	Cllr Watkins	Housekeeping	10 mins
2.	Overview of Current Key Migration Issues	Rob McCrea: CEO Migrant Help	Information and Discussion	15 mins
3.	Migrants' access to health provision. <i>Exploring the implications of recent and proposed changes to eligibility, what these might mean for migrants, providers and public health.</i>	Presentations on: 1. An introduction to the Visitor and Migrant NHS Cost Recovery Programme: Tania Carrigan/Louise Norton Smith, DoH 2. Health Surcharge: Maxine Walton, Home Office 3. Role of the Local Partnerships Team: Charlotte Palmer, Home Office 4. The impact of migration on individual and community Health- Hiranthi Jayaweera- University of Oxford 5. Brighton Research Project Finding: <i>experiences of low income migrants in Brighton – Kirat</i>	Presentations and Discussion	50 mins

		Randhawa – University of Sussex 6.Mitigating Risks: Lucy Jones; Drs of the World,		
4.	The Ebola Crisis – current guidance	Nadeem Nabi – Home Office Asylum Director London & the South East	Information	5 mins
5.	Temporary use of contingency hotel accommodation for asylum-seekers	Lawrence Williams – Home Office Steve Lakey - Clearsprings	Information and Discussion	10 mins
6.	Home Office Updates:	1. Asylum – Nadeem Nabi 2. COMPASS – Lawrence Williams 3. Enforcement – Richard Lederle 4. Managed Migration – Maxine Walton	Information	10 mins
7.	Strategic Migration Groups updates: 1. Kent & Medway 2. Hants & IoW 3. Thames Valley 4. Surrey & Sussex	1. Nick Scott-Flynn 2. Roy Millard 3. Ginny De Haan 4. Lucy Bryson	Information Discussion Response	5 mins
8.	The Future of the partnership	Cllr Watkins	Discussion and agreement on next steps	10 mins
9.	Round Table	Cllr Watkins	Discussion	5mins

A working lunch will be provided