

# How can mainstream NHS services contribute to regeneration?

A Scottish Centre for Regeneration practice event.  
The Hub, Edinburgh

Thursday 9th November 2006

With unprecedented levels of investment in the health service in Scotland, and growing awareness and understanding of the links between public health and community regeneration, this event will explore how mainstream health services can contribute most effectively to regeneration efforts.

We will do this by looking at three practice examples in detail:

## *How GPs and health professionals are working with community regeneration services*

Health professionals are active partners in innovative approaches to community regeneration and employment in targeted communities in North Lanarkshire, Renfrewshire and Stirling. Community Renewal offers improved wellbeing for individuals, families and communities through local engagement and a tailored package of support.

## *How NHS capital investment can produce long-term community regeneration benefits*

The investment in the redevelopment of the Southern General Hospital in Glasgow has the potential to yield community regeneration results, both through the build period and in the long term.

## *How co-location leads to stronger partnerships and better services*

In Strathbrock in West Lothian GP surgeries have been co-located with local authority housing and social work offices, a mental health day centre, community nursing facilities, community education services, a carers' centre, a community pharmacy and a community café providing jobs and training for people with special needs.

The event will allow time for consideration and discussion of the practice examples.



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## Programme

10.00	Registration, tea and coffee
10.30	Welcome and Introductions
10.45	Community Renewal <b>Paul McColgan, Community Renewal</b>
11.30	Roundtable discussions, questions comments
12.00	Redevelopment of the Southern General Hospital <b>Mark McAllister, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde</b>
12.45	Lunch
13.45	Roundtable discussions, questions and comments
14.15	Strathbrock co-location of services <b>Doreen Trainor, West Lothian NHS Trust, and Ronnie Motherwell, West Lothian Council</b>
15.00	Roundtable discussions questions and comments
15.30	Taking forward the learning

Event closes at 4pm

There is no charge for this event, but places are limited per organisation. If you can't attend after booking a place, please notify us as soon as possible. Our events are often oversubscribed and we need to be sure that as many people as possible can benefit from them. If you fail to attend without giving us as least 24 hours' notice, when you wish to book a place for future events you may be put on a waiting list.

### Who should attend?

This free event is for people interested in community regeneration policy and practice. You may work for or be involved with

- Community planning partnerships
- Social economy organisations
- Regeneration companies
- Scottish Executive
- Local authority departments
- NHS boards and the wider health sector
- Community and voluntary organisations
- Registered social landlords and housing associations, or
- Members of the Community Voices network and community representatives

### How to book

The easiest way to book is to go online and complete the [online booking form](#). If you have difficulty with our online booking please call Maria on 0141 434 1500.

### The venue

The Hub is located at the top of the Royal Mile, Edinburgh. It is a fifteen minute walk from Edinburgh Waverley Train Station and Princes Street.

### The Scottish Centre for Regeneration Events Series

Our events are designed for people interested in community regeneration policy and practice. Our [full autumn 2006 programme](#) is now available.



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