

HEALTH CARE SUPPORT BUDGETS HOUSING PROCUREMENT

Personalisation

Will it work for housing, care and support?

September
2008

Event Information

Personalisation is arguably the biggest current trend in social policy and forms the cornerstone of Government's current push for a radical transformation of Social Care. From individual budgets for care and support through to choice based lettings in social housing, it affects every aspect of our sector. Now with Government also talking about introducing personalisation to the National Health Service as well as care to the elderly, could it be that there are no limits to how far personalisation can go?

This conference will look at personalisation in all its guises – and in particular at how it affects housing, care and support. For instance, we will look at whether it can work for the marginalised groups helped by Supporting People, who are seen by some as undeserving. We will examine the risks associated with managing accommodation based services, in order to make them more responsive to the preferences of individual users; and we will debate whether personalisation is just another way of making cuts.

Target Audience

This conference will bring together policy makers, commissioners and practitioners from across the sector, to discuss the issues in depth. By the end of the day, delegates will:

- Understand how personalisation in housing, care and support fits in with general trends in government policy
- Appreciate how resource allocation, self directed support and individual budgets affect Supporting People services
- Have explored the tensions between personalisation and commissioning and procurement
- Have an overview of the main risks to service delivery and quality

The conference will end with a round up of the main issues facing the provider sector.

Please return the booking form overleaf to:

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Price

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Dates & Venues

London 9 September 2008
Regents College

Birmingham 19 September 2008
The Birmingham Repertory Theatre



Programme

09.30 - 10.00 **Arrivals and Coffee**

10.00 - 10.15 **Chairs Opening Remarks**

10.15 - 10.45 **Personalisation & Supporting People**

10.45 - 11.15 **Commissioning, Procurement and Personalised Services**

11.15 - 11.35 **Questions**

11.35 - 12.00 **Break**

12.00 - 13.00 **Workshops**

Personalisation in Housing

Accommodation Based Supporting People Services

Resource Allocation, Individual Budgets and Self Directed Support

Quality, Risk and Regulation

13.00 - 14.00 **Lunch**

14.00 - 15.00 **Workshops repeated**

15.00 - 16.00 **Personalisation – Can it Work across Housing Care and Support?**

16.00 - 16.15 **Closing Remarks, tea and networking**

Booking Form

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