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Scottish Community Link Worker Network Annual Conference 2023

24th May 2023, The Studio, Glasgow

9.00 – 10.00 **Registration, refreshments and exhibition viewing**

10.00-11.00 **Session One**

Welcome from Conference Chair and Conference Overview
Claire Stevens, Chief Executive Officer, Voluntary Health Scotland

Keynote Address
Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Social Care, Mental Wellbeing and Sport

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Gerry McCartney, Professor of Wellbeing Economy, University of Glasgow

11.00– 11.20 **Refreshments and exhibition viewing**

11.20-12.45 **Session Two**

Research: mapping the role of link workers across Scotland
Roisin Hurst, Network Development Co-ordinator, Scottish Community Link Worker Network
Findlay Smith, Policy and Research Officer, Voluntary Health Scotland

11.40-12.45 **Workshop Session**
Delegates move to one of 4 workshop options.
Each workshop session will be designed and delivered by link workers from different programmes across Scotland.

- **Workshop One**: Asylum Seeker Specialist Community Link Worker – We are with you (Glasgow)
- **Workshop Two: "**The Bells That Ring": Group Reflective Practice in Action – CVS Inverclyde
- **Workshop Three:** Link Working and Medical Students, The Edinburgh Experience – The University of Edinburgh and Edinburgh CLW Service
- **Workshop Four:** My Wellbeing Matters – North Ayrshire

12-45-1.45 **Lunch and exhibition viewing**

1.45-3.30 **Session Three**

Post Lunch energiser by Paths for All

Panel and discussion session: Embedding Link Working in Primary Care in Scotland

- **Dr Peter Cawston, Deep End GP, Drumchapel Health Centre**
- **Alison Leitch, Community Link Worker Assistant Service Manager, EVOC**
- **Dr Maria Duffy, Deep End GP, Pollock Health Centre**
- **Linsey Drever, Community Link Practitioner · Voluntary Action Orkney**

Closing Keynote speaker
Lorna Kelly, National Strategic Lead for Primary Care, Health and Social Care Scotland, Scottish Government

3.30 **Conference Close**

Our 2023 Conference Exhibitors:

Health Walks paths for all

Social Security Scotland
Tèarainteachd Shòisealta Alba

Chest Heart & Stroke Scotland

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