

Managers Network Meeting

Date: Monday 2nd November 2020

Time: 10.30am to 12.00noon

Link: Join Zoom Meeting

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Programme

- 10.30am Arrival, introductions and instructions on using the platform
- 10.35am **Carers Centres in Scotland – An overview**
Alison Myles, Angus Carers Centre and Sandi Downing, Carers Support Service Moray
- 10.50am **A conversation with Derek Feeley**, Chair of the Independent Review of Adult Social Care, on the following themes:
1. How are carers centres funded – What works? What needs to improve?
 2. There is a lack of consistency in social care provision across local authorities – how can this be improved? – Is the National Care Service a potential solution?
 3. How are carers centres involved in local strategic planning? – Are carers centres an equal partner?
 4. How has The Carers Act been implemented and resourced in different areas?
 5. How does the current social care system work for carers? – How easy is it for carers to access the right support at the right time? including preventative support.
 6. Where are the deficits and the gaps in services for carers?
 7. Is there adequate emergency support for carers? - What can we learn from what has happened during the current pandemic?
 8. How is SDS working in different areas? - To what extent does it offer choice, control and flexibility?
- 11.30am Comfort Break
- 11.35am **Carers Marketing Campaign** – Peggy Winford, Scottish Government
A preview of the carers marketing campaign and an opportunity to provide feedback
- 12.00pm Close of Meeting