



Reducing Inequalities: Getting Results

2019 Programme - due to popular demand
Holywell Trust 10-12 Bishop St,
Derry / Londonderry BT48 6PW



Despite people living longer health inequalities continue to divide our society.

This training programme is designed to support collaborative working to reduce inequalities and explore how individually and collectively organisations can achieve strategic growth. 'Improving wellbeing for all' is a critical objective of the Draft Programme for Government Framework 2016-21 Outcomes Delivery Plan, Community Plans across Northern Ireland and Health and Wellbeing 2026 Delivering Together.

The Reducing Inequalities: Getting Results, Flagship Training Programme will take participants from the identification and definition of inequality right through to the types of successful interventions locally and from across the World Health Organization (WHO) European Healthy Cities Network which can be transferred to Northern Ireland. Already, many sectors contribute to reducing inequalities. This training will provide participants with a platform to support increased partnership working and align the cross-sectoral priority to reduce inequalities.

The Belfast Charter outlines the political statement and action commitments for WHO European Healthy Cities Network for Phase VII (2019-2023), affirming commitment to the values and principles of the Healthy Cities movement. This includes leading by example, tackling inequalities and promoting governance and leadership for health and well-being through innovation, knowledge sharing and city diplomacy for health.

The programme will be facilitated by Erica Ison, WHO Expert Advisor and Specialist in Health Equity in All Policies, and Belfast Healthy Cities, to be held in the *Holywell Trust 10-12 Bishop St, Derry / Londonderry BT48 6PW*

Module 1

Wednesday 13 February 2019

Inequalities in Context - Setting the Scene

Addressing health inequalities in society, this module will enhance understanding of inequalities and awareness of the effectiveness of current policies in tackling inequality.

Module 2

Wednesday 27 February 2019

Collation and interpretation of the information on inequalities

Exploring the current information and data on inequalities, participants will better understand how to identify and interpret key sources of information.

Module 3

Wednesday 13 March 2019

Integrating inequalities into policy development

Stressing the importance of factoring inequalities into policy development at the earliest stage, this module will provide greater understanding of the tools which can be used to integrate inequality into policy.

Module 4

Wednesday 27 March 2019

Developing appraisal skills and applying the learning

Providing examples of good policy practice from elsewhere this module will highlight practical learning from other cities and regions, and how that knowledge and experience can be applied.

Applications are welcome from public, community and voluntary sector organisations. Places on this programme are limited to 25. Please show an expression of interest by Friday 1 February 2019 by contacting caroline@belfasthealthycities.com
Completed application forms should be returned by **Wednesday 6 February 2019**.