

**NHS Health Scotland Seminar:**  
**Impact of Allocations on Health and Wellbeing**

**25 November 2019, Glasgow**



**About NHS Health Scotland**

**NHS Health Scotland** is a national organisation that promotes health and reduces health inequalities. By collaborating with housing colleagues, NHS Health Scotland is building foundations for healthy housing and striving to maximise housing's contribution to improving health and reducing health inequalities.

**About this seminar**

NHS Health Scotland is hosting a **free seminar** focused on the **positive impact of allocation policies** on health and wellbeing.

The seminar will present an opportunity to begin a conversation about allocation policies, recognising that they operate in the context of the Housing Scotland Act 2014 and Rapid Rehousing Transition Plans.

It aims to explore **opportunities to promote health outcomes for vulnerable groups** by sharing examples where housing providers have identified local need which has then informed their housing allocations policy and will allow delegates to share practice where allocation policies enable equitable access to sustainable social housing tenancies.

**Date and location**

This free to attend, half-day seminar will take place on **25 November 2019**, from **10:00-14:00** at **the Studio, 67 Hope Street, Glasgow**.

A networking lunch will also be provided.

**Who should attend?**

The seminar is aimed at **housing allocation policy makers** as well as **housing officers** and **frontline staff** who have experience in implementing allocation policy.

## How to book

To **book** your free place, please [click here](#).

Once we have received your booking, we will be in touch in due course to confirm your registration.

## Further information

If you would like more information about the seminar, please email [michael.tornow@nhs.net](mailto:michael.tornow@nhs.net)

## Practice examples

Can you help with the seminar by providing **practice examples**?

NHS Health Scotland are looking for examples where allocation policies:

- support **equity of access** to good quality housing;
- identify / understand **needs of vulnerable applicants/ tenants**;
- consider the **impact on health and wellbeing** arising from meeting housing needs and opportunities to maximise on this as tenants are supported to sustain their tenancy; and
- recognise the **impact of allocation decisions** and anticipate unintended consequences.

If you have an example you would like to share, please email [michael.tornow@nhs.net](mailto:michael.tornow@nhs.net)