

**Board Meeting: 18 May 2018**

**Board member notification of strategic external events**

**Recommendation/action required:**

Board members are invited to note:

- The attached current overview of confirmed and planned external events that may be of interest to Board members to attend
- The events that may be of more specific interest to a non-executive audience are highlighted with an asterisk

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Conferences and events that may be of interest for non-executive attendance, in an ambassadorial role.

**Events added since February 2018 update**

**Conference Title:** Migration, Ethnicity Race and Health (MEHRS)

**Organiser:** The University of Edinburgh, European Public Health Association

**Date and location:** 17 – 19 May, Edinburgh

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** International and Scottish Public Health Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Lead sponsor

**Conference Title:** Mental Health Leadership Forum **(NEW)**

**Organiser:** Mental Health Foundation

**Date and location:** 28-29 May, Glasgow

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** International MH leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** ACES Presentation by Katy Hetherington

**\*Conference Title:** Women on Public Boards: Preparing for Equal Representation

**Organiser:** Holyrood Events

**Date and location:** 31 May, Edinburgh

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** Chief Executive Officers/Board Members

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** to be confirmed

**Conference Title:** The Health and Social Care Integration Event

**Organiser:** The Health and Social Care Alliance

**Date and location:** 4 June, Glasgow

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** SG Policy and Third Sector Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** workshops on ACES led by Katy Hetherington and Place Standard by John Howie and corporate exhibition stand.

**Conference Title:** Housing Scotland – Annual Conference 2018 **(NEW)**

**Organiser:** Scottish Federation of Housing Association

**Date and location:** 12 and 13 June, Glasgow

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** Local Government and Housing Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Sponsor and exhibition

**\*Conference Title:** NHSScotland 2018

**Organiser:** NHSScotland

**Date and location:** 18-19 June, Glasgow

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** NHS, Authority and Third Sector Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Parallel session *Enabling Healthier Behaviours – What is Our Role in Achieving a Healthier Scotland?* running over both days and corporate exhibition

**Conference Title:** World Community Development Conference 2018: Participation, Power and Progress **(NEW)**

**Organiser:** Community Work Ireland, International Association of Community Development and Maynooth University

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** International policy makers and academics

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Kat Hasler presenting on the Place Standard

**\*Conference Title:** Our NHS Scotland

**Organiser:** NHSScotland

**Date and location:** 5 July 2018

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** Scottish Government/NHS Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Member of steering group, exact involvement to be confirmed.

**\*Conference Title:** NSS Gathering: Data and Intelligence – The key to good decision making in health and social care **(NEW)**

**Organiser:** Health Scotland co-hosting with ISD Scotland and Dundee Health & Social Care Partnership

**Date and location:** 19 September, Dundee

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** Scottish Government/NHS Leads/Local Government leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Event partner and workshop lead

**Conference Title:** Public Health Information Network **(NEW)**

**Organiser:** NHS Health Scotland

**Date and location:** 21 September, Glasgow

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** SG Policy Leads/Scottish Public Health Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** NHS Health Scotland event

**Conference Title:** ACES Awareness Conference **(NEW)**

**Organiser:** ACE Aware Scotland

**Date and location:** 25 and 26 September, Glasgow

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** SG Policy Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Lead Sponsor, Exhibition and session chair

**\*Conference Title:** COSLA and IS Annual Conference 2018

**Organiser:** COSLA

**Date and location:** 11 and 12 November

**High Impact/High Influence Stakeholders:** Scottish Government/Local Authority Leads/Public Sector Leads

**NHS Health Scotland Involvement:** Health Scotland input to be confirmed