

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

6th Meeting, 2021 (Session 6), Tuesday, 28 September 2021

Roundtable discussion: Health and Social Care Finance

Introduction

1. At its meeting today, the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee will take evidence on policy priorities for Session 6 related to health finance from:

- Leigh Johnston, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland;
- Professor David Bell, Professor of Economics, University of Stirling and CO-PI Healthy Ageing in Scotland (HAGIS);
- Siva Anandaciv, Chief Analyst, The King's Fund;
- David Walsh, Public Health Programme Manager, Glasgow Centre for Population Health.

Background

2. At its first meeting on 22 June 2021, the Committee discussed its future work programme and how this would be developed. In order to inform its work programme discussions, the Committee agreed to hold a series of roundtable discussions with stakeholders to take evidence on policy priorities for Session 6 in areas of policy within its remit. This session is the last of four of these roundtable discussions to be held by the Committee.

4. At its second meeting on 31 August 2021, the Committee discussed its approach to pre-budget scrutiny in advance of the publication of the draft Scottish Budget for 2022-23. It was agreed that this roundtable session on health and social care finance would help to inform the Committee's approach to pre-budget scrutiny.

Clerks to the Committee

23 September 2021