



Association of Palliative Care Social Workers

**Conference Programme 2018 “Tackling Poverty in Palliative Care”
York University, Vanbrugh College**

Day 1 - Thursday 13th September

09.30	Registration and Refreshments - Vanbrugh College
10.20	Welcome: Jenny Latchford, Conference Lead APCSW
10.30	Key note session: Luke Clements Cerebra Professor of Law & Social Justice, The School of Law, University of Leeds. “Continuing Health Care Funding and End of Life Care”
11.25	Coffee break
11.45	4 Workshops: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Impact of Poverty and Adversity on Refugees; A Social Workers Without Borders Perspective led by Luke Sebit-Berridge from SWWB➤ Universal Credit likely to be led by York & Ryedale Skills, Recruitment and Partnership Manager for the Department of Work and Pensions.➤ LPA (Lasting Power of Attorney); Kevin Chesters, Douglas Macmillan Hospice➤ Collaboration between legal services and palliative care settings: addressing legal issues in end of life care; Paul Mounce from Gosschalks Solicitors Hull
12.45	Lunch and Poster Viewing: Opportunity to meet members of the National Executive Committee and find out about getting more involved in the work of the Association
13.45	Second workshop sessions: same sessions as above
14.45	Gillian Chowns: International Perspective on Tackling Poverty in Palliative Care
15.30	Coffee break
16.00	AGM including 3 Year Plan and succession planning
17.00	Close
19.30	Dinner: Vanbrugh College Dining room (cash bar opens earlier in Vanbrugh College)

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Day 2 – Friday 14th September

07.30	Breakfast in “The Edge” Wentworth College
08.45	Welcome & Introduction to Day 2: Jenny Latchford, Conference Lead APCSW
09.00	Guy Shennan; Convenor BASW Austerity Action Group: Booting Out Austerity
09.45	Presentation for Frances Sheldon award & for best poster
10.00	Dr Caroline Shulman, Kings Health Partnership “Understanding the complexity of need for people who are homeless. How can we work together to improve palliative care”
10.45	Coffee Break
11.15	Members Sessions/Presentations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Wendy Ashton, Eden Valley Hospice “Public health funerals can be impersonal and distressing. How do we address this?”➤ James Neil, St Margaret of Scotland Hospice “Scottish Funeral Plan costs”➤ Diane Waters, Senior Social Worker Nightingale Hospice: Creative group working with young people – ‘The Star Book’
12.00	QSA Updates – Lindesay Mace, Development Worker, Down to Earth “What’s New? The Good, the Bad and the Ugly” Lindesay will focus on changes in benefits, public health funerals, industry practice and the services offered by QSA ‘Down To Earth’
12.45	Lunch
13.45-14.45	Debate: “Hospices are not doing enough to ensure equitable access to palliative care” Chair: Guy Shennan Convenor BASW Austerity Action Group
14.45	Refreshments
15.15	Full Circle Productions: “Outside The Box” A Live Show About Death
16.15	Closing remarks: Jenny Latchford; Co-Chair APCSW

Cartoonist “in Residence” Harry Venning

Please note: Timings are subject to change/amendments to programme

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