



Tyne and Wear Fire
and Rescue Service



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AFSA Development Day 2015 Building Community Wellbeing and Cohesion Through Safety & Prevention

FRIDAY 22ND MAY 2015

WHAT, WHY, WHEN, WHERE AND HOW?

WHAT?

This year, AFSA will be organising the annual AFSA Development Day. The hosts will be the Tyne and Wear FRS.

Purpose

1. Address key issues for the Fire Service
2. Engage regional partners
3. Develop AFSA Members and also regional FRS members who may not be members of AFSA
4. Promote the work of AFSA and also recruit further members
5. Foster leadership

WHERE?

Tyne and Wear Fire and Rescue
Service Headquarters,
Nissan Way, Sunderland,
Tyne and Wear SR5 3QY



EVENT CELEBRATION

EVENT SPONSORS:



Hotel Accommodation: Accommodation has been arranged for all delegates at the following hotel venue – Address: Quality Hotel, Boldon Business Park, Witney Way, Boldon NE35 9PE. If you wish to book accommodation please contact the above hotel direct by telephoning 0191 519 1999. The cost of a room is £83.

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HOW?

AFSA Development Day Programme: The format for the event will involve a mixture of leading speakers and interactive workshops. A key emphasis of the event is very much developmental for members. All sessions to be held in the Main Conference Room unless otherwise stated.

09:00 - 09:30: Registration & refreshments (Main Foyer)

09:35 - 09:45: Welcome and introduction to the day:

Alan Robson, Area Manager, TWFRS. & Chair of the Morning Session of the Development Day

09:45 - 10:00: Keynote Speech – ‘Building Community Wellbeing & Cohesion Through Safety & Prevention’:

Tom Capeling, Chief Fire Officer, TWFRS.

Plenary 1 – Explaining levels of wellbeing in BME populations in England

10:00 - 10:30: Professor Mala Rao OBE, MSc, MBBS, PhD, FFPH, Hon FFSRH. Senior Clinical Fellow, Department of Primary Care and Public Health, Imperial College London.

Plenary 2: Minority Groups & Well Being & Community Health in the North East

10:30 - 11:00: Penny Spring, Director of Public Health Well Being and Community Health, Northumberland Council Council

11:00 - 11:20: Refreshment Break

Plenary 3 – Paving the way for extremism – how preventing the symptoms does not cure the disease of terrorism

11:20 - 12:00: Dr Imran Awan, Deputy Director of the Centre for Applied Criminology. School of Social Sciences, Birmingham University.

12:00 - 13:15 - Development Event Workshops (choose 1 from 4)

Workshop 1: Building joint organisational knowledge to identify those at risk of radicalisation & Reengaging with the disengaged and building resilience in communities

Workshop 2: Responding to Risk & BME Business Premises

Workshop 3: Addressing workforce diversity through effective talent management

Workshop 4: Addressing health and wellbeing – the key role of the Fire & Rescue Service and the workforce

13:15 - 14:00: Networking Lunch (Main Foyer)

Plenary 4 – Building community health & wellbeing and confidence through working with those most at risk

14:00 - 14:45: Vera Baird, QC, Police & Crime Commissioner, Northumbria Police

Plenary 5 – Mental Health at Work – Still the Elephant in the Room.

14:45 - 15:30: Professor Stephen Bevan, Director of Workforce Effectiveness, The Work Foundation

15:00 - 16:00 – End of Development Day Panel, led by Jagtar Singh

16:00 - Summary & Close - Tom Capeling, Chief Fire Officer Tyne & Wear FRS & Mehrban Sadiq, Interim AFSA Chair



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EVENT SPEAKERS (May 2015)



Tom Capeling
CFO Tyne & Wear FRS



Mehrban Sadiq
Interim AFSA Chair
Tyne & Wear FRS



Prof. Mala Rao
Senior Clinical Fellow,
Department of Primary
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Penny Spring
Director of Public Health
Well Being and Community
Health, Northumberland
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Vera Baird, QC
Police & Crime
Commissioner,
Northumbria Police



Prof. Stephen Bevan
Director of Workforce
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Dr Imran Awan
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Spaces are limited for the AFSA Development Day so please book your place early to avoid disappointment. To book your place email: afsafsr@yahoo.co.uk