

Access to Health Care Facilities Task Force 26.2.09



Agenda

Time: 11.00
Location: 6 Middle Street
London EC1
Contact no 020 7505 9000

The meeting will begin at 11.00 hours and will not be open to the news media and public.

1 Chair's introduction, announcements and apologies for absence

2 Declarations of interest

All members have been asked to make a standing declaration of interests which can be consulted at the London TravelWatch office or viewed on the website at: <http://www.londontravelwatch.org.uk/document/110/2859>.

If there is an item on this agenda that requires a specific declaration to be made, members are requested to do so.

3 Minutes

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 10 November 2008

4 Matters arising (AH10)

To receive a report on matters arising from items discussed at previous meetings.

5 Action taken (AH11)

To receive a report on actions taken since last meeting.

6 Transport for London update

To consider a report on work on transport to health care facilities from Transport for London's Surface Transport Engagement, Transport for London (TfL).

7 Reports for information

- (a) Travel plans (AH12)
- (b) Update report on recently visited hospitals (AH13)
- (c) Surveys of access to health care facilities February 2009 (AH14)

8 Meeting review and future work

To review the issues raised during the meeting, and consider the future work programme for 2009.

9 Any other business

Items of other business of which notice has not been given will only be accepted by the Chair in cases of genuine urgency.

Notes

- (a) Please be aware of the fire evacuation procedure. Details of the correct procedure will be announced at the start of the meeting and are displayed on the pin board within the meeting room.
- (b) Lunch for members will be available at 12.30.
- (c) Tea/coffee will be available on a self-service basis from 10.30
- (d) It is anticipated that the meeting will conclude no later than 12.30. We will make every effort to keep to any timings shown for items on this agenda, but there may be occasions when it is necessary to alter them at short notice.
- (e) Anyone likely to experience difficulty in accessing the venue is invited to notify Carmel Cannon, Senior Committee Administrator on 020 7726 9961 (carmel.cannon@londontravelwatch.org.uk) prior to the day of the meeting.
- (f) Access to the meeting room is step-free. London TravelWatch's reception area and the meeting room are equipped with an infra-red induction loop installed by RNID.

Location of London TravelWatch offices (6 Middle Street, London EC1)



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4 and 153	serving Aldersgate Street
100	serving London Wall, King Edward Street and St Martin's le Grand
8, 25, 242 and 521	serving Newgate Street and Holborn Viaduct
172	serving King Edward Street and St Martin's le Grand
55 and 243	serving Clerkenwell Road
56	serving Aldersgate Street and Giltspur Street
17, 45, 46 and 63	serving Farringdon Road

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Barbican	Underground and limited National Rail service
Farringdon	Underground and National Rail
St Paul's	Underground
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<http://pie.completedirections.com/pbb/CyxBnyEC2> .

Cycle parking

The nearest cycle stand is in Long Lane near the eastern end of Smithfield Market.