



HOUSING LEARNING & IMPROVEMENT NETWORK

West Midlands Commissioners' Workshop

Tuesday 12th April 2011 from 12.30 to 4.30pm

at the Regional Partnership Centre, Edward Street, Birmingham

Contracting for Extra Care Housing

Agenda

12.30 pm	Sandwich lunch and networking
1.00 pm	Welcome and introduction - Anne Bailey
1.15 pm	Contracting Models for Extra Care Sue Garwood – Consultant & author of the Housing LIN Technical Brief on Care & Support in ECH www.dhcarenetworks.org.uk/pageFinder.cfm?cid=1647
2.00 pm	Managing Commercial Relationships - What 'Partnership' means in Social Care Contracting Tony Rooke – Programme Manager for Putting People First Wolverhampton CC (formerly Head of Joint Contracting)
2.45 pm	Legal Issues in Social Care Contracting Norman Ballantyne – Consultant
3.30 pm	Group Discussion – Sharing ideas, problems & experience
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