

CONSULTATION SCHEDULE – Council Meeting 5 April 2022

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1.	South Eastern Health and Social Care Trust	PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON THE TEMPORARY CHANGES TO URGENT AND EMERGENCY CARE SERVICES AT LAGAN VALLEY HOSPITAL, LISBURN	22 April 2022
<p>Summary</p> <p>The Trust would like to consult with you on how the organisation proposes to deliver Urgent and Emergency Care services at Lagan Valley Hospital.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://setrust.hscni.net/getinvolved/consultations/ 			
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2.	Department for the Economy	CONSULTATION ON PROPOSALS TO RAISE THE ELIGIBILITY CEILINGS FOR THE DEBT RELIEF SCHEME	28 April 2022
<p>Summary</p> <p>The consultation deals with proposals to increase the monetary eligibility limits for the Northern Ireland Debt Relief scheme in line with increases to the limits applying under a similar scheme in operation in England and Wales.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.economy-ni.gov.uk/consultations/proposed-increases-monetary-eligibility-limits-debt-relief-orders-northern-ireland 			
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3.	Department of Health	INTRODUCTION OF STATUTORY REGULATION OF THE PHARMACY TECHNICIAN WORKFORCE IN NORTHERN IRELAND	16 May 2022
<p>Summary</p> <p>Pharmacy technicians work as part of the pharmacy team to support the delivery of safe, effective and efficient pharmacy services for patients. Their training and expertise enhances the skill mix that is available within teams which supports better patient care and improved capacity in the provision of pharmacy services.</p> <p>A consultation has been launched today and will run for 8 weeks, closing on 16 May 2022. It seeks views on the proposal to regulate pharmacy technicians in NI and is the first step on a journey to bring forward this new healthcare profession.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/consultations/introduction-statutory-regulation-pharmacy-technician-workforce-northern-ireland 			
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4.	Department of Health	CONSULTATION ON MINIMUM UNIT PRICING FOR ALCOHOL IN NI	17 May 2022
<p>Summary</p> <p>This consultation invites views from across society on proposals to introduce legislation to enact Minimum Unit Pricing (MUP) of Alcohol in Northern Ireland. Everyone with an interest is encouraged to read the policy document and respond to the consultation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.health-ni.gov.uk/MUP-consultation 			
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5.	Department of Justice	PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON MODERN SLAVERY AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING	3 June 2022
<p>Summary</p> <p>Justice Minister Naomi Long has launched a public consultation to develop further measures to tackle modern slavery and human trafficking.</p> <p>The public consultation will consider the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the introduction of Slavery and Trafficking Risk Orders; 			

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> the commencement and nature of the Duty to Notify provisions; and new powers to search an individual during a property search under existing modern slavery and human trafficking legislation https://www.justice-ni.gov.uk/news/modern-slavery-and-human-trafficking-long-launches-consultation 		
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6.	Department of Health	PUBLICATION OF CONSULTATION ON HUB AND SPOKE DISPENSING	8 June 2022
	<p>The Department of Health are seeking your views on proposals to enable all community pharmacies to access 'hub and spoke' dispensing.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/hub-and-spoke-dispensing 		
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7.	Department for Health	PUBLIC CONSULTATION AND EQIA - REVIEW OF URGENT AND EMERGENCY CARE IN NORTHERN IRELAND	15 June 2022
	<p>Summary</p> <p>This consultation invites people to have their say on the future of Urgent and Emergency Care in Northern Ireland. Everyone with an interest is encouraged to read the policy document and respond to the consultation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consultation on Review of Urgent and Emergency Care Services in Northern Ireland Department of Health (health-ni.gov.uk) 		

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1.	Department for Communities	INTERMEDIATE RENT: CONSULTATION OUTCOME REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.communities-ni.gov.uk/consultations/consultation-intermediate-rent-development-policy-and-model
2.	Department of Finance	NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO BUILDING REGULATIONS – CHANGING PLACES TOILETS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/consultations/consultation-proposals-amendment-technical-booklet-guidance-part-r-access-and-use-buildings-changing
3.	Department of Finance	NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO THE BUILDING (PRESCRIBED FEES) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1997	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consultation on Building (Prescribed Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2022 Department of Finance (finance-ni.gov.uk)
4.	Department of Finance	NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO BUILDING REGULATIONS - FIRE SAFETY & RADON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consultation on amendments to The Building (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2022 Department of Finance (finance-ni.gov.uk)

Equality Screening Reports

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1.	Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs	Equality Screening Report: October – December 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/publications/equality-screening-2021
2.	Department of Finance	Equality Screening documents re Building Regulations and Prescribed Fees	

		<p>Amendments to Parts B and C of The Building Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012</p> <p>Amendments to Building (Prescribed Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy screening – Amendments to Parts B and C of The Building Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012 Department of Finance (finance-ni.gov.uk) • Policy screening – amendments to Building (Prescribed Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997 Department of Finance (finance-ni.gov.uk)
3.	Department of Agriculture Environment and Rural Affairs	Quarterly Screening Report Oct-Dec 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/publications/equality-screening-2021

Open Consultations (previously Listed)

- Armagh City, Banbridge Craigavon Borough Council, Consultation On Draft Performance Improvement Objectives for 2022-23 submission by 8 April 2022
- Department for the Economy Consultation on Mineral Prospecting Licence Applications MPLA1/22 and MPLA2/22 for Dalradian Gold Limited, submission by 10 April 2022
- Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs (DAERA) Consultation on the Joint Fisheries Statement (JFS), submission by 12 April 2022
- Education Authority, Consultation on Draft Strategic Plans, submission by 12 April 2022
- Department of Environment Agricultural and Rural Affairs, Introduction of Mandatory Digital Waste Tracking, submission by 15 April 2022
- Northern Ireland Housing Executive, Public Consultation - Supporting People Three Year Draft Strategic Plan and Covid-19 Recovery Plan 2022-2025, submission by 25 April 2022
- Department of Health, Consultation on the Reform of Adult Social Care, submission by 18 May 2022