Cross-Party Group Registration Form

Name of Cross-Party Group

Cross-Party Group on Palliative Care

Purpose of The Group and Proposed Discussion Topics

- 1. Please state the purpose of the Group.
- 2. Please also provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest.
- 3. Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established.
- 4. Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months.

The purpose of this group is:

- To act as a channel of communication between the Scottish Parliament and people and organisations working in palliative care
- To provide opportunities for Members of the Scottish Parliament to learn about palliative care needs and service, and the issues involved in palliative care provision
- To increase awareness and raise the profile of palliative care
- To put palliative care on to the agenda of the Health and Sport Committee

Death, dying and bereavement affect everyone in Scotland in profound ways, and present major challenges to our health and care system, and to wider Scottish society. At any time one in three hospital beds are occupied by someone in their last year of life. Over 40 000 people with palliative and end of life care needs die each in year in Scotland.

The Cross Party Group on Palliative Care was originally established shortly after the Scottish Parliament itself, and provides a valuable forum for engagement with MSPs and an ongoing dialogue with the sector about how to improve palliative and end of life care.

The Cross Party Group on Palliative Care would have some theoretical overlaps with some disease specific Cross Party Groups, although often these groups tend to emphasise cure and address death, dying

and bereavement less explicitly (if at all). There is minor potential overlap with the Carers Group, Older People Age & Aging and Health Inequalities. The business of the Funerals and Bereavement group is nearly entirely focussed on the perspective of and issues relating to the funeral industry. The Cross Party Group on Palliative Care is the only group with a clear and explicit focus on a major public issue which affects absolutely everyone in Scotland.

Over the next 12 months the group is likely to discuss topics such as: the forthcoming SG strategy on palliative care; bereavement during and after the pandemic; hospice at home and community models of palliative care; palliative care workforce; palliative care and the climate emergency.

MSP Members of the Group

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

Bob Doris MSP SNP

Jackie Baillie MSP Labour

Siobhian Brown MSP SNP

Miles Briggs MSP Conservative

Stephen Kerr MSP Conservative

Paul O'Kane MSP Labour

Non-MSP Members of the Group

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

| Individuals | Bruce Cleminson |
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| | Elizabeth Ireland |
| | Martin Leiper |
| | Carole McGregor |
| | Kim Jennifer Rowan |
| | Geoff Sage |

Organisations

Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care - Secretariat

ACCORD Hospice

Action for Sick Children Scotland

Alzheimer Scotland

Ardgowan Hospice

Association for Palliative Medicine

Association of Bereavement Service Co-ordinators:

Hospices and Palliative Care

Association of Hospice and Palliative Care

Chaplains

Association of Palliative Care Social Workers

Ayrshire Hospice

Barchester Healthcare

Bereavement Consultancy and Training

Bethesda Hospice

British Heart Foundation (Scotland)

British Lung Foundation (Scotland)

British Medical Association

BSN Medical UK

Cairdeas International Palliative Care Trust

Cancer Link Aberdeen and North (CLAN)

Cancer Research UK

Care Inspectorate

Care not Killing

Changing Faces

Chest, Heart and Stroke Scotland

Children's Hospice Association Scotland

Coloplast UK

Cruse Bereavement Care Scotland

Edinburgh Napier University

Faith in Older People

General Medical Council (Scotland)

General Pharmaceutical Council (Scotland)

Health and Social Care Alliance (Scotland)

Health Inequalities Alliance

Healthcare Improvement Scotland

Highland Hospice

Holyrood Magazine

Hospice UK

International Association of Nurses in Palliative Care

Kilbryde Hospice

Macmillan Cancer Support

Maggie's Cancer Caring Centres, Scotland

Marie Curie

Marie Curie Hospice Edinburgh

Marie Curie Hospice Glasgow

MCN for Children with Complex Needs

MND (Scotland)

MS Society (Scotland)

National Network for Palliative Care for People with Learning Difficulties

NHS Ayrshire and Arran

NHS Borders

NHS Dumfries and Galloway

NHS Education for Scotland Board

NHS Fife

NHS Forth Valley

NHS Grampian

NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

NHS Highland

NHS Lanarkshire

NHS Lothian

NHS Orkney

NHS Shetland

NHS Tayside

NHS Western Isles

Parkinson's UK

Queen Margaret University

Royal College of Nursing (Scotland)

Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists (Scotland)

Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow

Royal Pharmaceutical Society (Scotland)

Scottish Care

Scottish Independent Advocacy Alliance

Scottish Kidney Federation

Scottish Non-Malignant Palliative Care Forum

Scottish Palliative Care Pharmacists Association

Scottish Children and Young People's Palliative Care Executive Group (SCYPPEx)

South East Scotland Kidney Patients Association (SESKPA)

St Andrew's Hospice

St Columba's Hospice

| St Margaret of Scotland Hospice |
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| St Vincent's Hospice |
| Strathcarron Hospice |
| Stroke Association |
| Sue Ryder |
| The Prince and Princess of Wales Hospice |
| Together for Short Lives |
| University of Dundee |
| University of Edinburgh |
| University of Glasgow |
| University of Strathclyde |
| University of the West of Scotland |

Group Office Bearers

Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.

| Convener | Bob Doris MSP |
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| Deputy Convener | Siobhian Brown MSP |
| Secretary | Mark Hazelwood Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care |
| Treasurer | Mark Hazelwood Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care |

Financial Benefits or Other Benefits

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) the Group anticipates receiving from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This

includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.

Secretariat support provided by the Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care, in preparation for, and attendance at, meetings of the Group. (Mark Hazelwood, Rebecca Patterson, Pauline Ellison) totalling approximately 44 hours, plus occasional tea and coffee for attendees. Total estimated cost £950.

Subscription Charged by the Group

Please provide details of the amount to be charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

N/A

Convener Contact Details

| Name | Bob Doris MSP |
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| | The Scottish Parliament |
| | Edinburgh EH99 1SP |
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Statement on Compliance with The Code Of Conduct

I declare that the Cross-Party Group on PALLIATIVE CARE is constituted and will comply with the terms of Section 6 of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

| Signed | |
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| Date | 30/6/21 |