

Inquiry into the Professionalisation of Social Care Workers 2019

At inaugural AGM on the 26th February, the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Social Care agreed to undertake an Inquiry into the Professionalisation of Social Care Workers, jointly chaired by Louise Haigh MP and Gillian Keegan MP. It was further agreed that the Inquiry would be conducted in partnership with HC One; a major sectoral employer and care home provider.

In its **first phase**, this Inquiry will invite written evidence from five fields:

- Sector Employers
- Social Care workers
- Institutions/Organisations/NGO's and Charities
- Specialist Academics
- Social Care Recipients

The call for submission of this evidence will be open, subject to compliance with the following general terms and conditions:

- Evidence must be in summary form and a maximum of 6 pages in length.
- All evidence must pertain directly to the terms of reference as set out below.
- Evidence must be submitted solely electronically via the email address provided.
- Unless otherwise stipulated, it will be assumed that the submitting body or individual will - subject to the invitation of the group chairs - be willing to provide secondary oral evidence in **Phase 2** of the Inquiry.



In the second phase of the Inquiry, bodies/individuals will be invited to provide supplementary oral evidence to the Group, and to answer further exploratory questions based on their written evidence.

Requests/invitations to provide oral evidence will be prioritised by **salience to the terms of reference**, and in particular, propositions of conclusive innovation, models/propositions of deliverable ambition, best practice ideas and suggestions, and tangible propositions for overall sectorial improvement.

Submissions of evidence:

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(in the SUBJECT line, please indicate which FIELD of evidence your submission represents)

The deadline for submissions of written evidence is:

Wednesday 3rd April 2019