

SMOKE FREE

Hampshire & Isle of Wight

Welcome to the October 2008 E-Bulletin!

- What is the latest news on tobacco control?
- Facts and information on what is happening internationally, nationally, regionally and locally

Welcome to the October 2008 Smoke Free Hampshire & Isle of Wight e-bulletin. Please email sarah.preece@hampshirepct.nhs.uk if you have any comments, or to add a colleague to the distribution list. See www.smokefreehampshire.co.uk for previous issues.

International/National News

Next Steps Consultation



A report on the [Consultation](#) will be published in early December. In all, over 100,000 responses were received.

NICE schools based interventions

NICE have published the [Draft Scope](#) for the consultation on 'School-based interventions to prevent smoking'. If you would like to register as a stakeholder, please visit [stakeholder registration](#) and download the Stakeholder Comments Form. If you are intending to submit comments on the Scope for this Intervention, please forward all responses using the form, **by 5pm Monday 20th October 2008** to: schoolsmokingandchildren@nice.org.uk.

New Reports

ASH has launched "Beyond Smoking Kills", a report to mark the tenth anniversary of the tobacco control white paper: 'Smoking Kills'. The full report is available as a downloadable pdf at: http://www.ash.org.uk/files/documents/ASH_691.pdf. The executive summary is available at: http://www.ash.org.uk/files/documents/ASH_692.pdf. The Smokefree Action Coalition has also published a lobbying paper: "The need for a comprehensive tobacco control strategy". For more information, visit <http://www.smokefreeaction.org.uk/>.

Smoking and Pregnancy

The Department of Health campaign about every cigarette doing your baby damage has now been postponed until January 2009.

Regional News

Trading Standards are in!

£1/3million funding has been provided for Trading Standards Services in the South East to develop local projects around tobacco, focusing on underage sales. This funding is for Trading Standards Services to cover core areas of work plus a wide range of projects.

Tony Langstone, well known to many as former Chair of Smoke Free Hampshire and IOW, is now leading this scheme for the South East Region. For more information about the proposed projects, please contact your local representative:

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Hampshire and Isle of Wight News

Local Tobacco Control Projects 2008-09

Funding has been offered by Smoke Free Hampshire & IOW to set up 8 local tobacco control projects. A seminar was held on 9th October to share details of these projects targeting health inequalities, many of which focused on young people.

Project	Locality	Project Lead
Your Health, Your Baby's Future	Winchester	Lorraine Mansfield lmansfield@winchester.gov.uk
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Smoke Free Turnaround Project	Andover	Louisa Rice lrice@testvalley.gov.uk
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If you would like information on any of these projects, please contact the project leads direct, or email sarah.preece@hampshirepct.nhs.uk.

Smoke Free Homes

Rushmoor Borough Council has launched a smokefree homes project, which directly targets homes in the most deprived areas of the borough. So far, 50 homes have signed up to be smokefree and 25 smokers have asked for help to quit. For more information, please contact Colin Alborough at colin.alborough@rushmoor.gov.uk.



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