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# AGENDA

## Welfare SDG Meeting

**Date:** Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2020

**Venue:** CMC @ Loudoun

Plas Iona, Butetown, Cardiff CF10 5HW

**Time:** 10.00am-15.30pm

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| <b>10:00</b> | <b>Refreshments on arrival</b>  |
| <b>10:15</b> | <b>Welcome &amp; Introductions (Steve Evans, Chair &amp; Daniel Hall, Vice Chair)</b>   |
| <b>10:20</b> | <b>Universal Credit: Strategic and operational updates (Laura Courtney, CHC)</b><br>Topics to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Managed migration</li><li>• Bulk data transfer</li><li>• Tenant and landlord payment alignment</li><li>• Improvements to the landlord portal</li><li>• <a href="#">DWP funding to help vulnerable people claim UC</a></li></ul>  |
| <b>10:40</b> | <b>Work plan review (Steve Evans &amp; Daniel Hall)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Objectives achieved</li><li>• Challenges</li><li>• What could we do differently?</li></ul>  |
| <b>11:00</b> | <b>Break</b>  |
| <b>11.15</b> | <b>Forward planning: Welfare SDG Work Plan for 2020/21 (Steve Evans &amp; Daniel Hall)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What are the big priorities for practitioners in the Welfare SDG in the coming year?</li><li>• In your view what are the three big issues that you would like to see CHC lobby on your behalf for change?</li><li>• What objectives should be included in the Welfare SDG work plan?</li></ul> |
| <b>12:00</b> | <b>CHC Update: Affordability (Rhea Stevens, CHC)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Update from the affordability working group</li></ul>  |



<b>12:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>13:15</b>	<b>Mitigating the impact of welfare reform within Wales (tbc)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Example: Discretionary Housing Payments and the 53 week rent year</li></ul>
<b>14:15</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>14:30</b>	<b>Universal Credit: Benchmarking and impact research (Steve Evans, Chair &amp; Sarah Scotcher, CHC)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discussion: Housing Association approaches to measuring impact</li><li>• Benchmarking update</li><li>• Discussion: Key questions when considering tenant impact</li></ul>
<b>15:15</b>	<b>AOB</b>
<b>15:30</b>	<b>Close</b>