

HACVS E-bulletin Number 09-HW-2010

Due to the increase in the amount of information that needs to be cascaded out to our members, we have decided to introduce two categories of e-bulletins. One will be a specialist 'Health and Wellbeing' bulletin which will refer mainly to information around the health and wellbeing agenda, and the other will be a 'General' bulletin which will refer to everything else. These will be indicated by the suffixes 'HW' or 'G' respectively. We have also decided to commence at number one each year and to detail the current year for our own reference and ease of filing. We hope that you will find these improvements to be of benefit.

- (1) Aiming High (2) DOH Volunteering Fund (3) LGBT consultation (4) NHSWS e-bulletin (5) No Smoking Day

Dear Members,

- (1) Aiming High for Disabled Children in West Sussex – details of a 'Universal Services Information Day' on 31 March 2010 from 9.30-3.00 pm. **Attachments:** AHDC letter & AHDC flyer
- (2) Information from Howard Collins, Community Development Officer, about The new Department of Health Volunteering Fund for Health and Social Care which provides a combination of grant funding and support to third-sector organisations working with volunteers in the health and social care field. For more information follow this link <http://www.volunteeringfund.com/current-funding-rounds.html>
- (3) Please find attached some information about a consultation / planning event for young people that identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual or Transgender **Attachment:** LGBT
- (4) The latest issue of the eBulletin from NHS West Sussex which includes updates on our plans to integrate West Sussex Health (Community Services) with South Downs Health NHS Trust, the closure of the National Pandemic Flu Service and a national screening programme to combat bowel cancer. **Attachments:** issue 49 & Projects Update
- (5) Here are the latest three media releases from NHS West Sussex in relation to No Smoking Day: Attachments – [one](#), [two](#), [three](#)

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