

PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION OF PE1393

Questions Arising From Committee Meetings

TUESDAY 15 NOVEMBER 2011

All NHS Area Health Boards

1. What are your views on the issues raised in the petition and during the discussions by the Committee on 6 September and 15 November?

i) More research to be commissioned around the quantity and nature of Child Sexual Health Exploitation in Scotland

We fully support this request. A greater understanding of this would allow for better single and multi-agency planning.

ii) The Scottish Government to update the 2003 guidance

We also support this request. Taking into account technology developments since 2003, particularly in relation to social media, a review of the 2003 guidance would be helpful in supporting local workforce and training plans.