

Leading Improvement for Health and Well-being Programme

New National Programme for 2009/2010



“Effective public health leaders for a range of organisations need to be passionate advocates for health and wellbeing, and to be able to work across boundaries in meaningful and sustainable partnerships that deliver health outcomes. This programme is therefore both timely and essential.”

Professor David Hunter, Programme Chair, Professor of Health Policy and Management at Durham University and Chair, United Kingdom Public Health Association (UKPHA).



Who should apply to join this programme?

This programme is aimed at those working in a senior position as CEO, Director, Assistant Director or Head of Service influencing the delivery of improvement of health and well-being from all sectors including:

- Health - from public health, primary care, acute, community and Foundation Trusts
- Health protection and health intelligence
- Local government - from adult and children's services, local authorities, environmental health, housing, education, scrutiny
- Prison services, mental health, pharmacy, allied health professionals
- Emergency services - Police, Fire and Rescue, Ambulance
- Voluntary and third sector

Individual applications will be considered, but it is suggested that multiagency teams of 3-4 people working on a shared agenda apply to join the programme.

What are the benefits of taking part in this programme?

Improve connections between agencies to maximise every opportunity to deliver improvement of health and well-being and increase efficiency. It will help ensure individuals have the skills to:

- lead local improvement and influence across services;
- help your organisation to improve the health and well-being in your local community;
- enhance personal leadership and improvement knowledge and skills through master-classes, improvement methodology workshops and 1:1 coaching with The Beech Consultancy;
- get the most out of effective partnership working across different sectors;
- learn from leading speakers;
- broaden your network of key national and local contacts;
- an opportunity to undertake accredited learning through our partners at the University of Teesside.

Who will deliver the programme?

This programme is designed and delivered by the Improvement Foundation working in partnership with Professor David Hunter, Durham University and The Beech Consultancy, and is supported by the Local Government Association through its Improvement and Development Agency (I&DeA). There will be a wide range of national and international speakers involved in the programme.

What is the cost to join this programme?

- The one-year *Leading Improvement for Health and Well-being Programme* costs £4,850 plus VAT per delegate and will include a package of personal leadership diagnostics, five (two day) residential learning events (excluding accommodation), two (one day) improvement methodologies workshops, 1:1 coaching and small facilitated personal development support groups led by The Beech Consultancy;
- Optional academic learning accreditation through the University of Teesside is also included.

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partnership with:



Further details on the programme including the online application form can be found at:
www.improvementfoundation.org/LIHWBP (closing date 27 February 2009)



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