

NATIONAL TRAINING (EXCLUSIVE OF BOARD LEADERS AND NEW MEMBERS COURSES) CARRIED OUT FOR IMMIGRATION DETENTION ESTATE (IDE) IMBS IN 2016 AND 2017

National conference March 2016 (for all IMBs)

Speakers

Andrew Selous, Minister for Prisons, Probation and Rehabilitation

Stephen Shaw

Review into welfare in detention of vulnerable persons

Jonathan Aitken

Ex-prisoner and current prison visitor and mentor

Peter Clarke, HM Chief Inspector of Prisons

IDE Study Day November 2016

Speakers

Professor Mary Bosworth, Oxford University

Based on her extensive research into immigration detention and its effects

Stephen Kershaw, Director for Strategy and Transformation, Home Office Immigration Enforcement

Dr Hindpal Singh Bhui, Team Leader Immigration Detention, HMI Prisons

Workshops

Flight monitoring (IMB Chairs)

The probationary year: supporting and training new members (IMB Chair and Secretariat Head)

The National Monitoring Framework: setting our monitoring priorities and new approaches to annual reports (National Council IDE representative)

IDE Study Day November 2017

Speakers

Jade Glenister, National Preventive Mechanism (NPM) Secretariat

OPCAT and the NPM

Stephen Kershaw (as above)

Immigration detention perspective

Detention Gatekeeper

Vulnerable adults policy and gatekeeping

Workshops

Annual report template (IMB Chair)

Monitoring removals, use of force and restraints (IMB Chair)

Asylum processes (representative of NAAU)

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Study Day November 2018

Speakers

Stephen Shaw

Welfare in detention of vulnerable persons: follow-up report

Phil Riley, Director Detention and Escorting Services, Home Office

Immigration enforcement perspective

Anne Owers, IMB National Chair

IMB governance and the way forward

Workshops

Annual report emerging good practice (Management Board IDE representative)

Monitoring new STHF rules (Management Board training lead)

Working successfully with the media (IMB Chair and Secretariat lead)

National Conference February 2019

Speakers

Rory Stewart, Prisons Minister

Michael Spurr, Chief Executive, HMPPS

Anne Owers, National Chair

Revolving Doors, NGO working with people with complex needs

Workshops

Thematic approaches and use of evidence (IMB national training team)

Annual reports and the National Monitoring Framework (Management Board member and National Chair)

Use of force (including PAVA spray) (Dr Kimmet Edgar, Prison Reform Trust and Libby McVeigh, Equality and Human Rights Commission)

Healthcare (Tania Osborne, Head of Health and Social Care Inspection, HMI Prisons)

Resettlement (Ian Bickers, Deputy Director, Head of Education, Employment and Accommodation, MoJ, and Caroline Griffiths, Shelter)

Preventing suicide and self-harm (ACDTs and ACCTs) and the Listener scheme (Sue McAllister, Prison and Probation Ombudsman and Britte van Tiem, IMB member and Samaritans)

HMPPS performance management and how IMBs can have influence and impact (Paul Millett, Quality Assurance, HMPPS)

Segregation/separation: what we are monitoring and why (IMB national training team)

Working successfully with the media (Head of Policy and Communications and Communication Officer, IMB Secretariat)

Monitoring for equality and diversity (Management Board training lead and National Chair)

Study Day November 2019

Speakers

Dr Hindpal Singh Bhui (as above)

Monitoring of staff culture

Stephen Kershaw (as above)

Immigration enforcement – challenges, opportunities and priorities

Anne Owers (as above)

Challenges, opportunities and priorities for IDE monitoring in the new structure

Study Day March 2020

Speakers

Professor Rachel Murray, Director Human Rights Implementation Centre, Bristol University

Human Rights, OPCAT and monitoring under the NPM

Ali McGinley, Director, Association of Visitors to Immigration Detention (AVID)

Perspective from AVID

Workshop sessions

How do we strengthen monitoring practice on separation and adults at risk (Management Board training lead and National Chair)

Freed Voices (ex-detainees on their experience)

Remote training sessions during Covid-19, 2020-21

IMB Applications Line training (IMB training team)

Monitoring during Covid-19, an overview (immigration detention) (IMB training team)

Bite-size webinars for Board Leaders: managing virtual meetings (IMB training team)

The role of the Board Development Office during Covid-19 (IMB training team)

Effective mentoring during Covid-19 (IMB training team)

Independent interviewer training (IMB training team)

Mental health awareness* (Dr Graham Durcan, Centre for Mental Health)

Monitoring separation and adults at risk* (IMB training team)

Raising concerns and preventing abuse* (IMB training team and National Chair)

New National Monitoring Framework: launch and conference (National Chair and IMB members)

Learning from the pandemic (National Chair and IMB members)

Priorities (Prison and Probation Ombudsman, Chief Inspector of Prisons and Policy Director of Clinks (umbrella organisation for voluntary sector organisations))

Focus on mental health in prisons (Dr Graham Durcan and HMPPS casework team)

Foreign national prisoners (Yaser El-Borghi, HMPPS and Karyn Dunning, Home Office Immigration Enforcement)

What happens to prisoners in a pandemic (Jonathan Tickner, HMI Prisons)

- **These sessions were mandatory for all IMB members in the immigration detention estate**