

## Towards Equity in Health

- **Date:** Wednesday 18 September 2024
- **Location:** South Kensington Campus, Sir Alexander Fleming Building
- **Event goals:** To set priorities to improve health equity, share examples of best practice, challenge thinking and foster collaboration across academia, government and charitable sector.

### Agenda with proposed timings and speakers – subject to change

<b>1. 9.00 – 9.30</b>		<b>Arrival and tea and coffee</b>
<b>2. Morning sessions</b>		
9.30 – 9.35	Plenary Lecture Theatre	<b>Welcome by Kamran Abbasi</b>
9.35 – 9.50		<b>Opening by Professor the Lord Ara Darzi, Co-Director, Institute of Global Health Innovation (IGHI)</b>
9.50 – 10.15		<b>Keynote speaker</b> Michael Marmot, Professor of Epidemiology and Public Health at University College London, followed by questions
10.15 – 11.05		<b>Panel Discussion on Digital and Health Equity</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fixing the Digital Divide – Helen Milner, CEO the Good Things Foundation</li> <li>• Perspective on digital and health equity – Brad Gudger, Founder of Alike and Vice Chair of National Academy for Social Prescribing</li> <li>• Digital’s potential for Improving Health Equity and Outcomes – Dr Saira Ghafur, IGHl</li> </ul>
<b>11.10 – 11.30</b>		<b>Coffee Break</b>
11.30 – 12.25	Breakout rooms	<b>Health Equity for different populations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health equity for older people – Dr Adrian Hayter, GP and former National Clinical Director for Older People <i>Moderator: Peter Kelly</i></li> <li>• Health equity for the Roma community and other minority ethnic groups – Rebecca Cave, Strategy Programme Manager and Trust Innovation Lead, Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust; and Gareth Walsh Public Health Practitioner, Cornwall Council <i>Moderator: David Lamberti</i></li> <li>• Health Equity and the population of North West London – Dr Bob Klaber, Consultant General Paediatrician &amp; Director of Strategy, Research &amp; Innovation at Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust; and Jodie Chan, Patient and Public Involvement and Engagement Officer, IGHl <i>Moderator: Jennifer Yip</i></li> </ul>

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3. 12.25 – 13.15		Lunch
4. Afternoon Sessions		
13.15 – 13.25	Plenary Lecture theatre	Brief feedback (one slide) on key points from each of the breakout sessions. Kamran Abbasi
13.25 – 13.35		<b>Opening of the afternoon sessions</b> , Elizabeth J. Padmore, Chair, British Red Cross
13.35 – 13.55		<b>Keynote Speaker</b> Professor Bola Owolabi, Director, National Healthcare Inequalities Improvement Programme, NHS England
14.00 – 14.55	Breakout rooms	<b>Health Equity in Practice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Health equity services in Cardiff for marginalised groups – Dr Ayla Cosh, Clinical Director, Cardiff and Vale Health Inclusion Service <i>Moderator: Peter Kelly</i></li> <li>Health Equity as a Marmot Trust – Laura Austin-Croft, Director for Population Health and Consultant in Public Health at the East London NHS Foundation Trust (ELFT); Dawn Hutcheon, People Participation, ELFT; Aurora Todisco, Lived Experience Consultant. <i>Moderator: Jennifer Yip</i></li> <li>Health equity for high-intensity users – Victoria Corbishley, Senior Director of Health and Local Crisis Response at British Red Cross <i>Moderator: David Lamberti</i></li> </ul>
14.55 – 15.15		Coffee Break
15.15 – 16.10	Plenary Lecture theatre	Brief feedback on key points from each of the Breakout Sessions – Kamran Abbasi  <b>Leadership Reflections on Equity in Health</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Professor Geeta Nargund, Vice Chair of British Red Cross, Lead Consultant in Reproductive Medicine at St George’s Hospital NHS Trust</li> <li>Kevin Fong, Professor, Public Engagement and Innovation, Department of Science, Technology, Education and Public Policy (STeAPP), University College London</li> </ul> Followed by Q&A
16.10-16.30		<b>Closing Session of Health Equity Summit</b>  <b>Recommendations for the government based on Summit Discussion</b> – Lord Darzi, IGHI; Lisa Hollins, British Red Cross; Peter Howitt, IGHI