



THE CHURCH
OF ENGLAND
**DIOCESE OF
WORCESTER**

Diocese of Worcester Criminal Justice Affairs Group
in partnership with
The University of Worcester

Conference Programme

**Transforming Rehabilitation in Worcestershire – the first 9 months:
What contribution can faith communities make in the future?**

University of Worcester Arena Conferencing Suite - Thursday 12th November 2015
Music throughout the day provided by Changing Tunes

- 9.00am *Registration and coffee*
- 9.45am **Welcome to the University of Worcester**
Professor David Green, Vice Chancellor and Chief Executive
- 9.55am **Welcome to the Diocese of Worcester**
The Rt Revd Graham Usher, Bishop of Dudley

Morning session:

Transforming Rehabilitation in Worcestershire – the first 9 months

Chair: Paul West, Criminal Justice Advisor to the Bishop of Worcester and Director, Policing First

- 10.05am **Setting the Scene – A Criminal Justice System strategic perspective on Transforming Rehabilitation in West Mercia:**
Assistant Chief Constable Amanda Blakeman, West Mercia Criminal Justice Board
- 10.20am **A Prison Service policy perspective on Transforming Rehabilitation:**
Nick Dann, Governor, HMP Hewell Grange 2014-2015;
Deputy Governor, HMP Long Lartin 2010-2014
- 10.35am **A National Probation Service policy perspective on Transforming Rehabilitation:**
Tom Currie, Head of Service for West Mercia, National Probation Service
- 10.50am **A Community Rehabilitation Company policy perspective on Transforming Rehabilitation:**
Manjinder Purewal, Chief Officer, Warwickshire and West Mercia
Community Rehabilitation Company
- 11.05am **Table discussions**
- 11.15am **Panel Q & As** (with all four “Setting the Scene” speakers)
- 11.30am *Coffee break*

11.50am Keynote Address:
Andrew Selous MP, Minister for Prisons, Probation and Rehabilitation

12.15pm Questions to the Minister

12.30pm Putting Policy into Practice – Case Study 1:
Sukhwinder Singh, Sikh Chaplain HMP Hewell and HMP Long Lartin

12.45pm Putting Policy into Practice – Case Study 2:
Dr Matt Home, Managing Director, Willowdene Care Farm

1.00pm Lunch
Networking opportunity and audit of current voluntary and third sector Transforming Rehabilitation service provision in the Worcester diocesan area

Afternoon session:

What contribution can faith communities make in the future?

Chair: Revd Charmian Manship, Diocese of Worcester Criminal Justice Affairs Group Chair and volunteer part-time Chaplain, HMP Hewell

2.00pm The Welcome Directory:
Jonathan Green, Project Coordinator for the Welcome Directory, Free Churches Group

2.15pm Circles of Support and Accountability:
Chris Wilson, National Development Manager, Circles UK

2.30pm Delivering Restorative Justice:
Gary Stephenson, Chief Executive, Restorative Solutions Community Interest Company

2.45pm Structured table discussions – themes to be provided
(Tea and coffee to be taken during discussions)

3.35pm Feedback and next steps

3.55pm Closing remarks:
The Rt Rev Graham Usher, Bishop of Dudley

4.00pm Depart

With thanks to our Conference Partners:

