

CROSS-PARTY GROUP ANNUAL RETURN

NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP

Cross-Party Group on Dementia

DATE GROUP ESTABLISHED (the date of establishment is the date in this parliamentary session that the Group held its initial meeting, where the office bearers were elected and not the date that the Group was accorded recognition. All Groups should hold their AGMs on, or before, the anniversary of this date.)

8 February 2012

DATE OF MOST RECENT AGM

12 December 2014

DATE OF PRECEDING AGM [this date is required to aid clerks in verifying that the most recent AGM has taken place within 12 months of the previous AGM]

11 December 2013

DATE ANNUAL RETURN SUBMITTED

19 December 2014

GROUP MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Please provide details of each meeting of the Group including the date of the meeting, a brief description of the main subjects discussed and the MSP and non-MSP attendance figures.

Details of any other activities, such as visits undertaken by the Group or papers/report published by the Group should also be provided.

December 11th meeting - This meeting featured a talk by Geoff Huggins and David Berry, both Scottish Government officials, on post-diagnostic support and dementia policy. This was followed by a discussion of proposed topics for the next year which included end-of-life care and a Dementia-Friendly Parliament. The attendance at this meeting was 5 MSPs and 12 non-MSPs. This meeting was also the AGM.

June 25th meeting – This meeting featured talks by Jilly Polson and Shirley Law, both of the Dementia Services Development Centre, on the importance of care home design and the training of care home staff. These talks were followed by a short Q&A session. The attendance at this meeting was 4 MSPs and 18 non-MSPs

April 1st meeting – This meeting featured a presentation by Ranald Mair, Chief Executive of Scottish Care, who spoke to the group about care home costs, dementia and palliative care in care homes. This talk was followed by a short Q&A session. The attendance at this meeting was 5 MSPs and 17 non-MSPs.

MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

Roderick Campbell (SNP)
 Mary Scanlon (Conservative)
 Nanette Milne (Conservative)
 Colin Keir (SNP)
 Richard Simpson (Labour)

NON-MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals	Eilidh Lean (Constituency Assistant to Roderick Campbell) Lynne Stevenson Sue Northrop
Organisations	National Dementia Carers Action Network Scottish Dementia Working Group Home Instead Senior Care Dementia Services Development Centre Alzheimer Scotland the Life Changes Trust Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland Parkinson's UK Division of Clinical Psychology College of Occupational Therapists

	Faculty of Old Age Psychiatry Royal College of Psychiatrists Royal Pharmaceutical Society in Scotland Scottish Care Marie Curie.
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GROUP OFFICE BEARERS

Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.

Convener	Roderick Campbell MSP and Mary Scanlon MSP
Deputy Convener	
Secretary	Eilidh Lean
Treasurer	

FINANCIAL BENEFITS OR OTHER BENEFITS RECEIVED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) received from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.

Details of material support should include the name of the individual providing support, the value of this support over the year, an estimate of the time spent providing this support and the name of the organisation that this individual is employed by / affiliated to in providing this support.

Groups should provide details of the date on which the benefit was received, the value of the benefit and a brief description of the benefit.

If the Group is not disclosing any financial information please tick the box to confirm that the Group has considered the support received, but concluded it totalled under the threshold for disclosure (£500).

SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of the amount charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

N/A

CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS

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