

**Cross-Party Group: Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Conditions  
Wednesday 16 May 2018**

**Committee Room 1**

**5.30pm-7.30pm**

**Convenor: Brian Whittle MSP**

**Agenda**

- 1. Welcome and Apologies**
- 2. Minutes of 8 November 2017 Meeting**
- 3. Matters arising/Secretary's update**
- 4. Transitions in Paediatric and Adolescent Rheumatology**
  - a) SPARN & SNAC: Evolution, success and challenge**

***An update on the effective collaboration of the Scottish Paediatric & Adolescent Rheumatology Network SPARN with the Scottish Network for Arthritis in Childhood (SNAC)***

**Jo Walsh , Consultant Paediatric & Adolescent Rheumatologist, Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow**

**Tracy Rendall , Parent and SNAC Secretary**

- b) "You don't have your Granny's arthritis"- cost saving successes and challenges"**

***Differences in childrens' arthritis, treatments and cost saving drives***

**Andrew Fell, Paediatric & Adolescent Rheumatology Nurse Specialist, Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow**

**Meeting Break**

- c) Moving to Young Adult Care**

***A good transition is associated with positive vocational and disease outcomes-can we achieve this in 2018?***

**Rachel Dickson, a personal story**

**Jo Walsh , Consultant Paediatric & Adolescent Rheumatologist, Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow**

- 5. Joint Potential**

**Klaire Connor, Interim Service Manager Joint Potential, Young People and Families, Arthritis Care Scotland**

- 6. Any other business**

- 7. 2018 Meetings Programme and Close**

