

ACC AGM
Chairs Report
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- Update on Meetings
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Update on Meetings

- Genetics Training and Education Board (09/2010)
- Bioinformatics Working Group (09/2010)
- Heads of Services Meeting (15/11/2010)
- Human Genetics (Genomics) Strategy Group
 - Service Development
 - Innovation
 - Training and Education
 - Commissioning – New
 - Bioinformatics and Information – New
- NGRL
- UKGTN
- ACS
 - Academy for Healthcare Science

Liberating NHS Consultations

- **Commissioning for Patients**
 - NCB
 - GP/Local Consortia
- **Transparency of Outcomes**
 - Quality Outcomes
- **Regulating Healthcare Providers**
- **Greater Choice and Control**
 - Choice of Clinical Team
 - Choice of Provider (Any Qualified Provider)
- **An Information Revolution**
- **Developing the Workforce**
 - HEE
 - Skills Providers



Important Publications/Information

- **MSC**
 - PTP and STP Training Programmes/Curriculums/Manuals
 - Go Live September 2011
 - Currently Recruiting for STP (Genetics - 15 April)
- **Command Paper – Enabling Excellence**
 - Autonomy and Accountability for Healthcare Workers, Social workers and Social Care Workers
- **New Cytogenetic Workload Units**
 - Piloting in some Labs
- **EU Revision to Directive for Use of IVDD**
 - Consultation and Response
- **Financial Constraints and QIPP**
 - Professional Body Support



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Absent Friends

- Over past 2-3 years we have seen many members of the Profession retire – ACC formerly thanks them all for their contribution to the Profession
 - **John Barber**
 - **Teresa Davies**
 - **Val Davison**
 - **Peter Howard**
 - **Edna Maltby**
 - **John Pearson**
 - **Jean Sadler**
 - **Geoff Williams**

 - And by the end of this Conference....
John Wolstenholme

Questions?