

Disability Summit

Friday 19 May 2017

9:00am–3:30pm

Horizon, Leeds

9:00am – 10am – Registration, tea, coffee & biscuits

10am–10:15am - Jaspreet Kaur, disability, stigma & society

10:15am–10:20am - Welcome & introductions, Chair Rebecca Smith, Director of Engagement, NHS Employers

10:20am– 10:40am - Workforce disability standard & the evidence base, Dr Leander Neckles, Lead – Equality and Health Inequalities, NHS England

10:40am–11:00am - Working towards halving the disabled employment gap, Fiona Aldridge, Assistant Director Research & Development of Learning and Work Institute

11:00am–11:20am - Making the 10-year vision for changing attitudes towards disabled people's access to employment real, Mark Capper, Head of Employer Engagement, Mencap

11:20am–11:40am - Staff networkology – The importance of disabled staff networks, Kate Nash OBE, Creator & CEO, PurpleSpace

11:40am–12pm - Panel session

12pm–1pm – Lunch, exhibitions & networking

1pm–2:30pm - Breakout sessions

1. Making it happen the disabled employment gap, Fiona Aldridge, Assistant Director Research & Development of Learning and Work Institute
2. Changing attitudes towards disabled people's access to employment, Matt Parry, Zoe Purdy & Mark Capper, Mencap
3. Let's make it happen through disabled staff networks: Sharing industry expertise, Kate Nash, Creator & CEO, PurpleSpace

2:30pm–3pm – Welcome back and feedback from breakouts, Niall Dickson, Chief Executive, NHS Confederation

3pm–3:15pm – Summary & close, Niall Dickson, Chief Executive, NHS Confederation