## **CROSS-PARTY GROUP REGISTRATION FORM**

#### NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP

Cross-Party Group on Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD)

### PURPOSE OF THE GROUP AND PROPOSED DISCUSSION TOPICS

Please provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest.

Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established.

Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months.

- Raise awareness of the issues faced by people living with IBD among parliamentarians.
- Raise awareness of the high incidence of IBD in Scotland.
- Promote and monitor implementation of the IBD Standards and the National Blueprint for IBD in Scotland.
- Be a stimulus to galvanise support from local and national policymakers.
- Act as a conduit for sharing and dissemination of best practice.

#### MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Please provide names of all MSP members of the Group. Note that only names need to be provided, no party designation or other information is required.

Pauline McNeill MSP Clare Adamson MSP Colin Smyth MSP Liam McArthur MSP Sue Webber MSP

#### 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.

Organisations	Crohn`s & Colitis UK
	The Health & Social Care Alliance (The Alliance)
	University of Strathclyde
Individuals	Dr Ian Arnott
	Dr Daniel Gaya

Prof Richard Russell
Sr Vikki Garrick
CNS Seth Squires
CNS Allan Boal
Dr Jonathon MacDonald
Dr Graham Naismith
Dr Su Bunn
Dr Iain Chalmers
Derek McEwan
Dr Amy Bednarz
Nancy Greig
Kirsty Gibson
Edmund Murray
Angus McLean
Lis Bardell
Angus Holden
Dr Harvey Humphrey
Siobhan Ross
Cher-Antonia Khedim

### **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	Pauline McNeill
Deputy Convener	Clare Adamson
Secretary	Phoebe Sheppard, Crohn's & Colitis UK
Treasurer	N/A

## 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.

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.

Secretariat support to the group was provided by Phoebe Sheppard as part of her paid role as Policy Lead (Scotland & NI) with Crohn's & Colitis UK. This support is approximately 3 days per meeting equating to £1170.

Catering costs and staff travel, amount to around £2000 on average for one year including tea and biscuits for the meetings and accommodation and travel for 2 staff members.

#### SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

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

None

### **CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS**

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# STATEMENT ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT

I declare that the Cross-Party Group on Inflammatory Bowel Disease is constituted and will comply with the terms of Section 6 of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

Signed	Buline Mahl
Date	01/10/2024