

Promoting Men's Health

A regional conference organised by COVER and the Men's Health Forum

20th April 2010 • Duxford Conference Centre • 10am to 3.30pm

Men's health inequalities

The biggest area of health inequality in the UK is gender related: men visit their GP 20% less frequently than women, men are almost twice as likely to develop and die from one of the ten commonest cancers that affect both men and women (excluding breast cancer), and three times as many men kill themselves.

This conference is an opportunity for third sector health and social care organisations to consider ways to better engage men in their services, share best practice, and hear from leading thinkers on health inequalities.

Venue: the conference will be held at the AirSpace Conference Centre at the Imperial War Museum Duxford. There is car parking available and there is a regular bus service from Cambridge. Full access details will be sent on receipt of completed booking form.

How to book: please phone or e-mail COVER for a booking form janice.mossey@cover-east.org 01799 532880 or you can download a booking form from the COVER website at www.cover-east.org.

Speakers

Hear from key speakers from the Men's Health Forum and the Strategic Health Authority.

Workshops

The conference will include practical workshops:

- **Men and mental health**
David Wilkins
Men's Health Forum
- **Young men and sexual health**
Colin Avery and Steven Turner
Oldham PCT
- **Prostate cancer prevention**
Sarah Toule
The Prostate Cancer Charity
- **Promoting men's health in faith settings**
Sonja Johnson
Warwick PCT

Marketplace

Organisations from across the region will be showcasing their best practice in engaging with men in delivering their services.