

**Policy Forum for Northern Ireland keynote seminar**  
**The future for health and social care services in NI - improving services delivery and value for money, and implementing the Bengoa reforms**

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**POLICY FORUM  
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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Paula Bradshaw MLA**, Member, Committee for Health, Northern Ireland Assembly
- 9.05 - 9.35 **Transforming health and social care services in NI - key policy priorities**  
**Robin Swann MLA**, Minister for Health  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.35 - 9.40 Break
- Tackling immediate issues in Health and Social Care - service delivery and workforce priorities**
- 9.40 - 9.50 **The state of health and social care - challenges in implementation**  
**Professor Deirdre Heenan**, Professor of Social Sciences and Director, Health & Wellbeing Research Centre, Ulster University
- 9.50 - 10.00 **Reducing waiting times and delivering better outcomes**  
Senior representative, health and social care
- 10.00 - 10.10 **Priorities for recruitment and retention**  
**Pat Cullen**, Director, RCN Northern Ireland
- 10.10 - 10.20 **Delivering value for money in health and social care services**  
**Kieran Donnelly**, Comptroller and Auditor General, Northern Ireland Audit Office
- 10.20 - 10.55 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.55 - 11.00 **Chair's closing remarks**  
Assembly member
- 11.00 - 11.05 Break
- 11.05 - 11.10 **Chair's opening remarks**  
Assembly member
- 11.10 - 11.30 **'Large scale change at the policy level - learning from others'**  
**Professor Rafael Bengoa**, Chair, Expert Panel, 'Systems, Not Structures: Changing Health and Social Care' Report and Director, Institute for Health and Strategy, Bilbao  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.30 - 11.35 Break
- 11.35 - 11.55 **eHealth post 2020 - expanding and investing in infrastructure and maximising innovative technologies in the delivery of health and social care**  
Senior speaker to be confirmed  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.55 - 12.00 Break
- 12.00 - 12.55 **Driving towards new models of care - accountable care systems, integration and community care**  
Senior representative, primary  
Senior representative, social care  
Senior representative, trust  
Senior representative, pharmacy  
Senior representative, community  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Policy Forum for Northern Ireland closing remarks**  
Assembly member  
**Sean Cudmore**, Deputy Editor, Policy Forum for Northern Ireland

