

PRACTICAL ISSUES FOR PRISON LAWYERS: RISK AND RESETTLEMENT

11 March 2010

Programme

9.30 to 10.00 Reception

10.00am Welcome by Geoffrey Robertson QC, Head of Doughty Street Chambers

OASys Assessment - Chair Alison Gerry (Doughty Street Chambers)

10.15 to 11.00 Part 1 – NOMS OASys team presentation (Dr Robin Moore and Alison Bellair).

11.00 to 11.15 Tea/coffee break

11.15 to 12.00 Part 2 – NOMS OASys presentation

12.00 to 12.15 Discussion

12.15 to 12.45 Legal presentation – Quincy Whitaker (Doughty Street Chambers) – this will explore avenues of challenge to OASys assessments and also cover recent case law on selective issues on risk analysis.

12.45 to 1.00 Discussion

1.00 to 2.00 Lunch

Resettlement – Chair Ian Wise (approved for appointment as QC), Doughty Street Chambers

Introduction – the importance of resettlement (Rikki Garg, APL/Scott-Moncrieff Harbour & Sinclair Solicitors)

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| 2.15 to 2.45 | Legal presentation – Caoilfhionn Gallagher, Doughty Street Chambers (this will provide an over view of the legal framework for resettlement) |
| 2.45 to 3.15 | Resettlement for Young, Vulnerable Adults (Chris Callender, Howard League). |
| 3.15 to 3.30 | Tea/coffee break. |
| 3.30 to 3.45 | Community Care Duties and Assessments for Prisoners (Naomi Lumsdaine, Prisoners Advice Service). |
| 3.45 to 4.30 | Presentations by Service Providers (St Giles Trust, Partnerships in Care, Kenward Trust) |
| 4.30 to 5.00 | Discussion |

Drinks will be provided at the conclusion of the event