Day 1: **GATHERING AND COLLATING EVIDENCE TO INFORM THE DEVELOPMENT OF POLICY**

09:30 Registration

**Session 1:1 Gathering Evidence and Expert Opinion – The Example of Obesity**

10:00 *Welcome from the Chair*
John Frank, Director, Scottish Collaboration for Public Health Research and Policy

10:05 *Introduction to the 2-Day Conference*
Fintan Hurley, IOM and Project Leader, EDPHiS

10:15 *Science and Policy for Change: Some Good News!*
Marco Martuzzi, World Health Organisation

10:45 *Different Kinds of Evidence for Good Places, Better Health (GPBH)*
George Morris, former Project Advisor and Scientific Advisor to Scottish Government

11:00 Coffee

11:20 *What the Experts told us*
Sheila Beck, NHS Health Scotland

11:35 *What the Scientific Literature told us – Environment and Childhood Obesity*
Smita Dick, University of Aberdeen; and EDPHiS,

11:50 *What Practitioners told us*
Paul Sizeland, SNIFER

12:05 *Putting it all together – The Evidence Assessment Reports*
Hilary Cowie, IOM and EDPHiS

12:20 Q & A

12:45 Lunch and Posters

**Session 1:2 Collating Evidence across Housing, Neighbourhoods and Transport**

13:45 *Collating Evidence by Housing, Neighbourhoods and Transport*
Lorraine Tulloch, GPBH Policy and Strategy Manager
14:00  Estimating how Policies might affect Children’s Health
   • Evaluating Policies Stefan Reis, Centre for Ecology and Hydrology; and EDPHiS
   • Data Needs Rory Mitchell, NHS Health Scotland

14:20  The Role of Place
   Rosemary Hiscock, University of Exeter and EDPHiS

14:35  The Methodological Challenges of Complex Science-Policy Questions
   Mike Depledge, Peninsula Medical School and the European Centre for Environment and Human Health

15.05  Coffee

15.30  MINISTERIAL ADDRESS: Tackling Health Inequalities - The Importance of Place
   Michael Matheson MSP, Minister for Public Health, Scottish Government.

15.50  Parallel Sessions

Session A: Methodology Discussion What we think we have learnt from GPBH / EDPHiS?
   a. What is the role of different kinds of evidence? How can they be integrated?
   b. Physical place and social place – To what extent can or should these be considered separately?
   c. Children – direct and indirect effects of the environment?

Session B: Methodology Practical Integrating Place and Health: GPBH as a tool for Co-Production
   A hands-on session demonstrating how the GPBH Toolkit can help transparently map place and health issues, identify actions and engage individuals both community based and professional.

Session C: Methodology Application Good Places, Better Health for People of all Ages
   The GPBH Prototype concerned Good Places, Better Health for Scotland’s Children. What about other ages, other constituencies – What are the priority groups and issues? How well can the methodology be applied more widely?

17:30  Refreshments and Posters

18:00  Buffet Dinner
DAY 2: CREATING GREAT PLACES FOR SCOTLAND’S CHILDREN

09:30  Registration

Session 2:1 Creating Great Places for Scotland's Children

10:00  Chair's Introduction to Day 2
Dr Andrew Fraser, Director of Public Health Science, NHS Health Scotland

10:10  Rethinking Childhood – Why does contact with Nature matter?
Tim Gill, Writer, researcher and consultant, Rethinking Childhood

10:40  Good Places Better Health for Scotland's Children - Recommendations
Margaret Douglas, NHS Lothian and GPBH Evaluation Group

11.00  How do Communities see things?
Paul Teedon, Glasgow Caledonian University

11:20  Moving Forward
Lorraine Tulloch, GPBH Policy and Strategy Manager

11:40  Coffee

12:00  Are Good Places Green Places? Evidence from Children and from Deprived Populations
Catharine Ward Thompson, Director of OPENSpace Research

12:30  Recommendations In Action
Alistair Seaman, Grounds for Learning
Second Speaker tbc

13:10  Lunch and Posters

Session 2.2 Making Change Happen


15:10  Growing Up In A Great Place
Tam Baillie, Children’s Commissioner for Scotland

15:40  Conference formally closes

15:45  Refreshments and a chance to meet...