

Gengage Health Policy Sub-group Meeting

Agenda

**10am – 12.30pm
Friday 20th March 2009**

**Boardroom, ESRC Genomics Policy and Research Forum, St John's
Land, Holyrood Road, Edinburgh EH8 8AQ**

Directions - <http://www.gengage.org.uk/contact.php>

Tea and coffee will be available before the meeting with lunch afterwards.

1. Gengage – overview and objectives
2. Policy drivers of the recent past – Ros Skinner and Gill Clark, Scottish Government
3. The Policy sub-group's role and objectives
4. The Policy sub-group's programme

The Gengage plan for 2009 which was agreed at the Steering Group's meeting on 21st November 2008 proposed that:

“The Health Policy sub-group will develop a series of workshops and briefings over the coming year will use two areas of current policy interest as a means to explore the policy making process. The aim will be to develop a greater understanding of policy making across the network as well as to compliment the work of other organisations by examining these two current issues. The two areas which will be explored in some detail are:

- free fetal DNA
 - over the counter genetic testing”
5. Gengage conference
 6. Any other business
 - Dates for future meetings