

Public Questions: Co-Operative Executive

	Questions	Cabinet Member
1	<p>Public questions from Neil Calderwood (on behalf of the Vaccine for All Campaign) (4 in total):</p>	<p>Julie Grocutt</p>
1.1	<p>Medact Sheffield is asking for Sheffield City Council to become a signatory of the Vaccine for All campaign, which seeks to ensure access to coronavirus vaccines for everyone, with particular regard to those with insecure immigration status; no proof of address of ID; or those not registered with GP surgeries.</p> <p>Other signatories include Sheffield's Director of Public Health, Greg Fell, and over 350 NGOs, Royal Colleges, Unions and other UK councils including Bristol City, Oxford City and Newcastle City among others. The council can become a signatory via the website (www.vaccineforall.co.uk) or by letting us know directly at sheffield@medact.org</p> <p>We also ask, in addition to becoming a signatory, that the council:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offer a public statement of support for the campaign • Review data collection and sharing arrangements at COVID-19 testing and vaccine centres, which can make people fearful to come forward, due to the on-going practice of healthcare information being used by the Home Office to target individuals • Review the implementation of ID checks at COVID-19 testing and vaccine centres, which contributes to the issue above and, in of itself, forms a significant barrier to access • Share good practice resources with local stakeholders about how to ensure everyone can access the vaccine without fear, including the Doctors of the World briefing and the Royal College of GPs (RCGP) Vaccine Inequality Toolkit and Best Practice Guide. <p>This question was answered at the meeting and the answer can be found here:</p> <p>Sheffield City Council - Agenda item - Public Questions and Petitions</p>	

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