

# HOW CAN PATIENT INVOLVEMENT MOVE DIABETES RESEARCH FORWARD?

DRN Patient Involvement Conference

11am, Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2008, NCVO Conference Suite, London



## PROGRAMME

10.30 *Coffee and Registration*

### Morning session

*Chair:* Janice Turner

11.00 **Welcome**

11.05 **The Diabetes Research Network**

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11.30 **Where are we with diabetes research?**

Eleanor Kennedy

12.00 **Patient Involvement across the DRN**

Martin Lodemore

12.15 **Discussion forum – experiences in patient involvement**  
*Interviews with a panel of Patient Advocates*

Roger Steel

1.00 *Lunch*

### Afternoon session

*Chair:* Martin Lodemore

2.00 **World Café Event**

*A series of workshops on diabetes research and patient involvement*

3.00 *Tea*

3.20 **Feedback from the workshops**

3.45 **Keynote address – ‘Catalysts for Change’**

Derek Stewart, OBE

4.30 *Close*