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What is She Speaks?

She Speaks has been born from the desire to create an inclusive and welcoming space to amplify influential voices on important topics to discuss, debate and share knowledge.

The Healthcare Edit focuses on important female voices in the Healthcare sector with a wealth of expertise in pertinent topics affecting healthcare providers across the UK.

Agenda

12:00 Arrival/ welcome drink

12:30Please be seated
Topic 1 to be dis

Topic 1 to be discussed



Main course served Networking

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Break between courses Topic 2 to be discussed

Dessert Networking



Coffee Topic 3 to be discussed

Topics

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In the context of Local Authorities looking to reduce their funding in certain sectors and the knowledge that many are, or will be, effectively bankrupt in the coming years, how does the table feel the financial pressure that Local Authorities are under is impacting their services?

What does the table believe the new elected Government should do to address the financial

health of the UK care sector?



Your Hosts

HANNAH HAINES Head of Healthcare Consultancy Christie & Co

Hannah joined Christie & Co in 2015 with a background in analytics & statistics, and has been a Director since 2021.

Experienced across Christie & Co's major Healthcare valuation and brokerage products, Hannah leads the Healthcare Consultancy team which provides advisory services throughout the investment lifecycle and for a range of clients, including operators, charities, investment funds, lenders, and developers.



MICHÂELA DEASY Head of PR & Comms Compass Carter Osborne

Michâela is the Head of PR and Comms at executive search firm, Compass Carter Osborne. She is well known in the social care and healthcare sector having designed and developed a variety of creative events and collaborative partnerships with stakeholders.



Regarding the future of funded social care, are there any key areas for action and attention to ensure sustainability of essential services?



LIZZIE WILLS Senior Partner & Head of Private Equity GK Strategy

Lizzie is a Senior Partner at GK Strategy and is an expert in policy and political risk advisory. With over 15 years' experience, Lizzie leads GK's political and regulatory due diligence services, providing senior counsel to investors and management teams on the impact of political change on investment decisions.

Lizzie advises clients on policy risk, pre- and post-transaction strategy and corporate messaging, and has advised some of the world's largest investors.



Kathryn Smith Chief Executive, Social Care Institute for Excellence

BIOGRAPHY

Kathryn has worked in social care since 1989. She joined SCIE in 2020. Kathryn was Chief Operating Officer at Alzheimer's Society and before that, Director of Services at Scope. Kathryn is passionate about co-production and strengths-based approaches. She lives in Yorkshire with her three sons and enjoys horse riding.

Alison Price Investing, Queen's Park Equity



BIOGRAPHY

Alison is an investor at QPE, a specialist investment firm focused on partnering with ambitious management teams in the Healthcare & Pharma, Education and Tech Services sectors.



Jayne Davey COO/Interim CEO, Voyage Care

Jayne joined Voyage Care in 2013 as Director

of Quality and Improvement. She took up the

role of Chief Operating Officer in 2015 before

becoming Interim Chief Executive Officer

in spring 2024. Since 2005, she has held a

number of senior positions both within the

health and social care sector and for large

joined from Saga Healthcare where she was

support and customer-facing services.

the director responsible for the quality, safety

and governance functions along with other key

corporate, quality led service businesses. Jayne

BIOGRAPHY



Sarah Livingston Executive Director, CBRE



BIOGRAPHY

Sarah joined CBRE in September 2022 as an Executive Director in the Healthcare team.

Sarah originally qualified as a solicitor, moving in house after five years at a city law firm. She specialised in insurance and litigation for the first 10 years of her career. In 2013, she was appointed General Counsel at Partnerships in Care, an independent provider of mental healthcare responsible for all contentious and non-contentious legal matters. Sarah was named in the Legal Hot 100 in 2016 and In-house lawyer of the year for healthcare in 2018.

In 2016, Sarah co-founded Elysium Healthcare, a specialist healthcare provider of mental health, learning disability and neurological facilities. She led the growth strategy for the company taking it from 21 hospitals in 2016 to over 75 sites by 2021. The business sold to Ramsay Healthcare in 2022.



Phoebe Burrows Associate Director Christie & Co



BIOGRAPHY

Phoebe joined Christie & Co in 2020 and is an Associate Director in the Corporate Communications team, covering Care, Childcare, Dental and Pharmacy sectors.

Attendees

Siwan Griffiths Partner, Bevan Brittan

BIOGRAPHY

Siwan is an experienced health and care regulatory lawyer with extensive experience advising health, social care, and senior living clients across private, public, and non-profit sectors. She handles a range of matters, including regulatory registration issues, factual accuracy challenges post-CQC/CIW/ Ofsted inspections, regulatory enforcement, and representation in First Tier Tribunal appeals and criminal proceedings. Siwan also supports clients with due diligence on regulatory issues during business acquisitions. Additionally, she advises on broader issues affecting regulated providers, such as governance, serious incidents and compliance with legislation such as the Care Act 2014.



Aishia Diment Associate, Pinsent Masons

BIOGRAPHY

Aishia is a Corporate Associate at Pinsent

range of corporate transactions including

healthcare M&A, with prior operational

experience in the Health and Social Care

sector. Aishia's experience includes being

of businesses within the complex care and

working within multiple roles and different

education sectors gained by many years

regulatory businesses. She has provided

on the ground support to a complex care

services, working directly with clients and

processes, from meeting operational and regulatory requirements through to statutory

and corporate reporting.

group offering residential services, fostering,

schools and educational services and therapy

regulators (Ofsted, CQC, DfE), and being fully involved in safeguarding and governance

heavily involved in the formation and running

Masons based in London and works on a wide



Laura Davies Director of Quality, Aspirations



BIOGRAPHY

Laura has extensive experience within quality and compliance, starting her career in the police service.

Laura is passionate about raising the profile of the social care sector and feels that often the incredible work people do within the sector often goes unnoticed.

Laura has worked closely with CQC, Ofsted, and Local Authorities in relation to regulation and inspection processes and has led on IMRs and serious case reviews as well as holding a lay person position for Children's safeguarding.