

Minutes of the Fuel Poverty Sub-Committee
Held at the Civic Hall, Uppermill on **Wednesday 26th May 2010**

There were present Cllr. Mr. Royce Franklin – Chairman
Nicola Shore (Oldham Council / Age Concern)
Julie Holt (NHS Oldham)
Helen Short (Awarm)

11. **Apologies** - Cllr. Mr. Brian Lord, Angela Carr (Oldham Council), Kath Edwards (Saddleworth PPG) & Brian Sexton.
12. **Update on minutes of meeting held on 31st March 2010** – The best way to involve the PCT is via the Respiratory Board – Julie has produced a briefing sheet and is to meet with the Respiratory Board Chairman.
13. **Training event** – invitations have been sent to Community groups and others who may come into contact with people in Fuel Poverty. Press releases have also been sent out advertising the training. The training covers Affordable warmth which includes ways to save money on fuel and identifying additional income. It was suggested that the group needs to link into Practice managers, and in due course to the District Partnership Health and Well-being group. It was also suggested that the name of the sub-committee should be changed to Affordable warmth sub-committee. Permission will be sought from the Parish Council to change the name of the sub-committee.
14. Date of the next meeting Thursday, 29th July, 2010 at 10 a.m.