## HEALTH CAMPAIGNS TOGETHER TO WIN!

# NORTHERN CONFERENCE

**Sat. January 20<sup>th</sup>** 11am- 4.30pm

St. George's Conference Centre Great George Street LEEDS LS1 3BR





Speakers include

John Lister

**Editor of Health Campaigns Together** 

Vivek Kotecha

Centre for Health & the Public Interest

Natalie Ratcliffe

Unison organiser & Hands Off HRI

**Alex Scott-Samuel** 

Chair of the Socialist Health Association

plus health workers and lots of fantastic, grass roots campaigners from the north!

Conference free - donations for lunch Open from 10am for stalls, coffee, registration. Pre- registration not essential but it would be a big help with managing space and catering if you can let us know you are coming. Contact <a href="mailto:leedskop@yahoo.co.uk">leedskop@yahoo.co.uk</a> or T. 0113 2622800

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### **CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

#### 11.00 WHAT'S HAPPENING TO OUR NHS?

with an overview from John Lister, author, academic, editor of Health Campaigns Together and an expose of the Five Year Forward View from Vivek Kotecha, CHPI.

- 11.30 WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE NORTH? Key challenges responses, opportunities for action with contributions from campaign groups from across the north of England
- 12.30 Lunch, stalls, time to chat

#### 1. 30 ORGANISING THE FIGHTBACK with

Natalie Ratcliffe, Unison organiser, Alex Scott-Samuel, chair of the SHA and mover of Composite 8 at the Labour Party Conference and an ex junior doctor plus quick updates from Jenny Shepherd, 999 Call for the NHS and Colin Hutchinson, Chair of Doctors for the NHS, on the two national, Judicial Reviews.

#### 2.00 BUILDING THE RESISTANCE: WORKSHOPS

- Building local campaigns against cuts and closures.
- Challenging Accountable Care Systems/Orgs and STPs
- Galvanising Labour and other MPs & Councillors to defend our NHS & support legislation to reinstate the NHS
- Supporting NHS staff fighting for fair pay and conditions, resisting outsourcing etc.

#### 3.15 tea / snacks break

4pm PLENARY SESSION: ACTION PLANS!

