A National and Local Partnership Picture

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Aims of SPF

• Contribute trade union and employer perspectives to the development of policy

• Provide constructive comments on emerging policy at a formative stage

• Contribute ideas on the workforce implications of developing policy and implementation

• Promote effective communications between partners
SPF Structure

Staff Passport Group

Embedding partnership Working

National SPF Wider Group Strategic Group

Regional Social Partnership Forums x 9
North, North West, Yorkshire & Humber, East Midlands, West Midlands, East of England, London, South Central and South East Coast and South West
Common Themes, Nationally and Regionally

- Francis
- Staff Survey
- Embedding partnership and engagement
- Stocktakes
- Reconfigurations
- Equalities
- Good practice – eg whistle blowing
Future Agenda

- Five year forward plan – workforce
- Integration
- Seven day working
- Staff development
- Embedding partnership and engagement
- Equalities
- Good practice
- Overcoming tensions – dispute – role of Staff Council
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