

1st March 2011

TAHI announces that its Assistive Living Working Group will hold a meeting on Tuesday 1st March 2011 at the offices of BIS, [Kingsgate House](#), 66-74 Victoria Street LONDON SW1E 6SW.

The Meeting will commence at 14.00 and is expected to run until 17.00.

Chairman – Charles Lowe – TeleHealth Solutions Limited

Secretary – Stephen Pattenden – TAHI Secretariat

Agenda

- Introductions, Attendees and Apologies.
- Smart Metering – Update from ERA – Energy Suppliers
- Smart Buildings – Update from SBG (held in am.)
- ALIP Projects – DALLAS – Graham Worsley
- Changes in the Health Service and Telecare provision – Mike Clark
- EU Project opportunities AAL and Artemis (ASP2 – Health) – Stephen Pattenden
- Interoperability – a Testbed and Certification.
- The future of TAN – can ALWG help? SP / CL
- Future Meetings and Events – (open meeting on . SP / CL
- TAHI Membership – SP
- Close at around 17.00

Terms of Reference

Mission

To demonstrate the benefits of interoperability for Assistive Living by bringing together participants in all aspects with those in other Market sectors to drive forward implementations of Assistive Living activities in the UK and promote mutual understanding.

Aims

- To identify areas for mutually informative projects that deliver holistic local projects, including collaboration with major national and commercial projects,
- To hold multidisciplinary forums and meetings concerned with ensuring the interaction between sectors is understood and developing use cases for IWG and projects,
- To promote interoperability of systems in health and social care and between these and other sectors, based on the IFRS,
- To seek new members from the sector and increase the breadth of TAHI influence,
- To work closely with DH and BIS (DECC and DCLG) to promote understanding of the benefits of interoperability into Government and further Government objectives,
- To work with TAN, TSB, TSA and ALIP in order to identify opportunities for TAHI Members.

Structure

- The Chairman.
- The Secretary
- Membership will be drawn from the Health Sector and all other relevant sectors covered by TAHI

Meetings

The ALG will kick off with an Open Meeting (in Kingsgate House, Victoria St.) in October 2010 for all interested parties in the AL sector.

This will be followed by Assisted Living Group meetings on a regular basis – following the initial two such meetings, attendees will be expected to become TAHI members. Note that DH and BIS are already TAHI members.

Deliverables

- Set of Use Cases for IWG consistent with IFRS and IEEE 11073-x-x
- Cross silo understanding in the area of the Smart Home.
- **Promotion? (If so what and how to be funded – role of group).**