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| Lothian | Katie Burton | A Welfare Rights and Advice Primary Care has been in existence for 10 years; seeing increasing demand.  See attached material. |  |
| Orkney | Louise Wilson, DPH | The local authority has set up a working group, and the OHAC community health partnership will play in to this. |  |
| Shetland | Sarah Taylor, DPH |  |  |
| Tayside | Freda Stewart | Work in relation to Welfare Reforms is very much a partnership approach to reducing potential health inequalities resulting from the reforms. Led by the Voluntary Interface, MIRAC- Managing the Impact of Reforms on Angus was established in 2011 supported by a full partnership including service users. A resource will be published early 2013 to provide information and support to members of the public.  Angus Council has a welfare reforms group established as a sub group of the Employment structure. |  |
| Western Isles | Michelle McPhail | Further to LDP contribution to SOA, developing:   * Active poverty action group   Developing training on poverty awareness related to impact of welfare reform; targeted at managers firstly, then to be developed for other staff groups. |  |