



SINGLE ASSESSMENT PROCESS (SAP) RESOURCE

professional learning and development materials

www.cpa.org.uk/sap

The Centre for Policy on Ageing has been commissioned by the Department of Health to identify learning and development materials for health and social care professionals implementing the Single Assessment Process. The materials focus on practice and change with respect to joint working, assessment and health/social care conditions of older people. The aim of this work is to provide access to information, in all its various forms, that can be shared across localities, organisations and individuals to support work around SAP. The materials located on the website at www.cpa.org.uk/sap act as a continually developing resource freely available to all.

Where possible we make the material itself accessible via the website. We provide web links and downloadable documents, where people are happy for us to do this, or we give full contact details to help source a piece of information.

New features include the addition of a SAP discussion forum and a glossary to enhance the search facility. The resource is organised into the following sections:

- learning and development materials
- discussion forum – www.cpa.org.uk/sap/forum
- 'good practice' and innovation
- dedicated SAP websites
- organisations offering training and practical resources
- glossary of health, social care and information technology (incorporating long term conditions) – www.cpa.org.uk/sap/glossary

Future areas to be covered within the resource include long term conditions; community matrons; IT; self assessment; and direct payments.

We would be delighted to hear from everyone in relation to this work. If you have any examples of good practice or learning and development materials to share, then please contact us via the website or email cpa@cpa.org.uk