Coordinator Catch-ups: 
Local responses to Covid-19
10:00 - 11:30 every Wednesday

Agenda
• Welcome and programme updates
• A Scottish perspective on responding to Covid-19: Irina Martin, Nourish
• School food caterers serving the community during Covid-19: Morven Oliver-Larkin, Sustain
• Local case study: Khin Tye, Made in Hackney
• What should we cover in next week's catch up?
Dignity in Practice:
*Developing a Dignity Framework in Community Food Provision*

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Background and context - Video

Dignity informing the response to food insecurity in Scotland

Dignity in Practice - Nourish Scotland and the Poverty Truth Commission
Dignity Principles in Practice

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Community food initiatives can put dignity at the heart of their projects by supporting everyone taking part to feel:

**A sense of control**
Having power to make choices about what, where, when, how and with whom you eat.

**Able to take part in community life**
Feeling able and welcome to take part in different aspects of community life, regardless of your financial situation.

**Nourished and supported**
Being able to enjoy food and access support that meets your needs.

**Involved in decision-making**
Feeling able to share your views and ideas and to have those views taken seriously in decision-making.

**Valued and able to contribute**
Feeling recognised and valued as a whole person with knowledge, skills and experiences to share.
Dignity in Practice Project
COVID 19 – Dignity in Practice and how we adapted to the new challenge, making sure Dignity is at the heart.
Dignity in Practice Project in response to coronavirus

- Found a new way to continue supporting, communicating and sharing good practice with our volunteers and peer network organisations
- Adaptation of Dignity Principles in COVID-19
- Blogs as ways to communicate concerns and share good practices
- Become involved in a new campaign to end food banks emerging from grassroots organisations.

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Dignity Principles in Practice – adapted in COVID-19 emergency:

**A sense of control**
Direct people to cash-first and information about accessing financial entitlements, be mindful of people’s dietary requirements.

**Able to take part in community life**
Be creative about ways to keep connected, ask people about the best ways to get in touch with them.

**Nourished and supported**
Support people to access a wide variety of healthy foods that will keep them well, find out and share best ways for someone to access financial advice and support when they need.

**Involved in decision-making**
Establish methods of regular feedback, involve volunteers in designing and delivering the service in a new way, create new ways of communication.

**Valued and able to contribute**
Be mindful of the many different skills and experiences that people can offer, even under new circumstances.

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Dignity in Practice Project – what is next

Emergency Food Provision:
Dignity During Covid-19
Online Workshop

Dignity in Practice - Nourish Scotland and the Poverty Truth Commission
Join us in this online workshop to:

- hear about good practice examples in Scotland
- learn practical tips and strategies
- reflect on your own work
- continue co-constructing an understanding of how dignity can be put in practice during this crisis.
Questions
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Thanks!

Please join us again next Wednesday – same time and place.

Let us know what you'd like to hear more about or share the work you're doing.

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