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# Water Quality and Safety Public Meeting

6<sup>th</sup> March 2025



No	Time	Item	Lead
1	18:00	Welcome and introductions	KW
2	18:05	Report Four Update	KW
3	18:10	Report Three Update	PB
4	18:15	Q&A – questions from previous meeting	MENV
5	18:30	Q&A – open to floor	MENV
6	19:00	Meeting closed	KW

# Agenda

# Welcome



- We welcome your feedback and questions [regulationenquiries@gov.je](mailto:regulationenquiries@gov.je)
- Q&A document updated from last meeting
- Feedback survey
- We will schedule another Ministerial Q&A session in June



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# Report 4 - Environment





# Report Four update

- Report Four Scoping meeting on 11 February attended by over 60 Islanders at Les Ormes
- Minutes of Scoping meeting will be published tomorrow [www.gov.je](http://www.gov.je)
- First online meeting in public of PFAS Scientific Advisory Panel held on 27 February, minutes to follow shortly
- Next public meetings dates published 26 March, 30 April, 29 May



# Report Four scope

- **Global Regulation:** Investigating how PFAS is regulated worldwide to identify best practices and potential regulatory frameworks for Jersey.
- **Evidence from Experts:** Gathering insights from experts with experience in PFAS-related fields and subject matter experts to inform the report.
- **Approach to Environmental Testing:** Developing methodologies and implementing testing for PFAS in various environmental contexts.
- **Treatments to Reduce PFAS:** Exploring treatments to reduce PFAS levels in the environment, including drinking water, infrastructure, and groundwater.
- **PFAS in Food Sources:** Testing PFAS presence in food sources and determining tolerable weekly intakes.



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# Report 3 - Public Health



# Clinical Review Service Update



- **Service Eligibility:** Islanders who had their blood tested by public health in 2022 will shortly receive a letter inviting them to book an appointment for a new clinical review service, commencing late March
- **Service Details:** The service will provide an opportunity to be seen by a PFAS informed doctor to review medical history, discuss health concerns and onward referrals if applicable
- **Service Leads:** The service will be led by Dr Sofia Tosounidou (Consultant Rheumatologist) working with Dr Momin Ahmed (Consultant Haematologist)
- **Appointment Times:** The service will be available on Monday afternoons, Friday and Saturday, with clinics available at both the General Hospital and Enid Quenault Centre Health and Wellbeing Centre in St Brelade. The appointment will last up to 60 minutes
- **How to access:** Islanders will be contacted to arrange an appointment; please follow the instructions in the letter to book





# Report Three Update

- **Final Panel meeting on R3:** Panel discussed what recommendations they would make on testing, re-testing and clinical interventions
- **Next steps:**
  - Panel finalising the report
  - Public meeting to open Islander feedback: 3<sup>rd</sup> April
  - Feedback period: 3<sup>rd</sup>– 24<sup>th</sup> April
  - Government response expected: Summer 2025



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# Q&A – questions from public meeting 11 February 2025

# Question areas from 11 February meeting



- Government's commitment to implementing the recommendations and new legislation
- Implementing stricter regulatory standards
- Consideration of Island wide impact beyond the affected area
- Limiting exposure in the environment via recycling
- Investment in treatment options
- Engagement and transparency



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**Q&A – open floor**

**Close – 7pm**



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# Thank you

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