

**Welcome** to the new FAME newsletter. With the implementation of phase three, we are really excited with the progress of the FAME project and have a number of great developments to share with you.

## A New Horizon

FAME (Framework for Multi-Agency Environments) is entering a new phase now with great excitement. FAME is a National Project supported by the ODPM aimed at benefiting Local Authorities. A great partnership has been formed between Organisations and Authorities in the North East to make sure FAME develops into the programme we believe will bring mass benefits.

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## The Benefits of Multi-Agency Working

Being involved within the FAME programme brings many benefits for Multi-Agency Working. Rob Wilson, Lecturer and Academic partner for FAME has been involved since the ODPM multi-agency roundtable event in Bradford back in 2003. He tells us more...

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## Excellence in Progress

David Wright, Director of the North East Centre of Excellence (NECE), has been heavily involved with FAME in this third phase. As a member of the FAME project board David plays an active role in the development of FAME. He provides an advocating role in his work with North East Local Authorities and other North East agencies as well as providing regular updates to the other eight Regional Centres of Excellence. He tells us more on what FAME means to him...

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## Fame in Action

With the assistance of FAME, Andrew De'Ath, Programme Manager at North East Connects, hopes to deliver high quality services to communities. He tells us more on his involvement with FAME...

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## Running with the RAT

One of the tools FAME provides to help the building of a multi-agency service is the Readiness Assessment Tool (RAT). The tool is designed to be used at the formative, preparatory stages of building a multi-agency service and can prove a vital link in your Local Authority or Local Partnership.

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## Fame's Ice-ing

FAME is now looking towards the future and has called upon ICE to help. Marketing & Communication's Company ICE Ltd is really excited about working on such an important step forward for information sharing.

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## Getting Involved

With the benefits of FAME being evident we have designed many ways in which those interested can not only find out more, but get involved too...

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