London Destitution Advice Network
23 September 2014, 3-5pm
ASAP, Ground Floor, Anchorage House, 2 Clove Crescent, East India Dock, E14 2BE

1. Welcome and apologies

2. Minutes of the last meeting and matters arising

3. Agency news roundup
   Members’ updates about their organisation and changes to their services.

4. Section 4 support additional assistance: options and tactics
   Sasha Rozansky, Deighton Pierce Glynn Solicitors
   Sasha will discuss additional assistance available to people on s4 support. This will include mixed households, travel expenses, relocation and permission to be absent from s4 accommodation.

5. The move-on period: an ordeal for new refugees
   Hugo Tristam, British Red Cross
   Hugo will present a new report from the Red Cross outlining the struggles faced by newly-recognised refugees trying to start their life in the UK. This will be followed by a short discussion on potential asylum support entitlement for people with leave to remain in the UK.

6. Asylum Support Update
   Anna Dixie, ASAP
   Anna will give an update on developments in asylum support including: Article 8, duties to children and Iraqi asylum seekers.

7. Other news
   - Outcome of the Home Office’s review of asylum support rates
   - Outcome of the Residence Test judicial review challenge

8. A.O.B.

9. Next LDAN meeting date and venue: T.B.C.