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WHITE PAPER EQUITY AND EXCELLENCE: LIBERATING THE NHS BMA CONSULTATION SUMMARIES

The White Paper *Equity and excellence: liberating the NHS* announced that there will be a series of supporting consultations.

As noted in the LMC Newsflash issued on Monday 26 July 2010, three supporting consultations had been issued at that stage. A further copy of the Newsflash can be downloaded from the LMC website at: <u>http://www.sheffield-</u>

lmc.org.uk/Newsflash/White_Paper_Equity_&_Excellence_Liberating_the_NHS_Consultatio
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The BMA has produced summaries of the three supporting consultations, which can be downloaded from the BMA website as follows:

- 1. LIBERATING THE NHS: COMMISSIONING FOR PATIENTS http://www.bma.org.uk/images/hperuwhitepapercommissioningpatientsjul2010_tcm41-198922.pdf
- 2. LIBERATING THE NHS: LOCAL DEMOCRATIC LEGITIMACY IN HEALTH http://www.bma.org.uk/images/hperuwhitepaperlegitimacyinhealthjul2010_tcm41-198920.pdf
- 3. LIBERATING THE NHS: TRANSPARENCY IN OUTCOMES A FRAMEWORK FOR THE NHS http://www.bma.org.uk/images/hperwhitepaperutransparencyoutcomesjul2010_tcm41-198921.pdf

The White Paper can be downloaded from the Department of Health (DH) website at: <u>http://www.dh.gov.uk/prod_consum_dh/groups/dh_digitalassets/@dh/@en/@ps/documents/di</u>gitalasset/dh_117794.pdf.

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