Campaigning with and for women from disadvantaged groups

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- National charity
- Focus on equalities
- Policy and campaigning, training and web-based information

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Charging for NHS care

- Women who are not ‘ordinarily resident’ subject to charging
- Impact on access to care for vulnerable women

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Destitution policies

- Refused asylum seekers are not permitted to work or access mainstream benefits or housing
- UKBA payments from six weeks before birth

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Challenges at work

- Alliance Against Pregnancy Discrimination at work
- Extending Statutory Maternity Pay to 52 weeks
- Supporting breastfeeding on return to work

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