

## **£300k Social Investment Fund to Secure the Future of Northern Ireland's Historic Buildings Launched**

A £300k social investment loan fund is now available to support organisations in Northern Ireland to deliver positive economic and social impact to communities through the re-use of historic buildings.

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## **Public consultation events on reshaping stroke and breast assessment care**

The Department is holding public engagement events on proposals to re-shape stroke and breast assessment care.

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## **Department announces outcome of consultation on sale and supply of alcoholic drinks at 'special events' in Northern Ireland**

Following a recent consultation, the Department for Communities (DfC) has concluded that a change to current law would be beneficial.

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## **Department of Health statement on**

## latest waiting time statistics

The Department has repeatedly made clear that sustained investment is required to address the waiting list backlog.

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## Northern Ireland's top environmental concerns revealed

Head of DAERA's Environment, Marine and Fisheries Group, David Small, has welcomed the latest environmental statistics which show Northern Ireland's household recycling rate has increased to over 48%, whilst landfill rates are the lowest ever recorded.