

CleanAir4V Newsletter

August 2022

Welcome to the CleanAir4V newsletter. From now on these newsletters will be distributed on a monthly basis to keep all partners up to date on the network and its activities.

These newsletters will also be shared on the CleanAir4V Website, so you can access any previous issues easily.

Recent Highlights:

- In July, a large number of the Co-Is met to discuss the progress of the Network. The notes from this meeting can be shared upon request. Please email cleanair4v@contacts.bham.ac.uk for more information.
- CleanAir4V, alongside our partner networks, launched the "Clean Air Networks' Conference 2023" on 5th July. The conference will be held at University of Birmingham on 5th and 6th July 2023. More information can be found here.
- The first peer-reviewed output for the CleanAir4V Network was published on 19th July. The systematic review was published in the International Journal for Environmental Research and Public Health, and is titled "Indoor Air Pollution and the Health of Vulnerable Groups: A Systematic Review Focused on Particulate Matter (PM), Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) and Their Effects on Children and People with Pre-Existing Lung Disease".

https://www.mdpi.com/1660-4601/19/14/8752

CleanAir4V Network Updates:

- WP1 has now got a clear draft in place of their POST-note style paper. This will be shared with the Co-Is when it is ready for review. If you would like to be involved in this review or would like any additional information about this please contact Eleanor (cleanair4v@contacts.bham.ac.uk).
- In July CleanAir4V also launched its pilot study. More information about this can be found on the <u>website</u>. Please share this as widely as you can to increase participation.

Funding Opportunities:

• Our Partner Networks BioAirNet and TRANSITION (Clean Air Network) have recently launched their "Joint Discovery and Innovation Funding". This project has a focus of exposure to both chemical and biological aerosols in a public transport environment. The closing date for applications is 31st August 2022 at 12noon.

Upcoming Events (Including Partner Networks):

- SAQN (STFC Air Quality Network) are hosting an online networking session on Thursday 29th September at 11:30am. More information can be found here.
- TRANSITION (Clean Air Network) are hosting a series of online seminar events. The first on Thursday 13th October 2022 at 6pm. This is a joint webinar with ANTICIPATE and is hosted by the University of Surrey. More information can be found here.

