



What is the information hub ?

The hub is a unique on-line resource that provides access to a wide range of reports and statistical data for anyone with an interest in money advice, credit, debt and debt remedies and recovery. Through the sharing of information the hub aims to:

- Support advice bodies in deciding how best to design, allocate and deliver their services in order to provide accessible services that prioritise those most in need
- Enable policy-makers and funders to make evidence-based decisions regarding strategic priorities and allocation of resources
- Provide comprehensive information to media personnel in order to assist accurate representations of relevant issues
- Inform the lending and collections approaches of credit sector bodies with the aim of enhancing customer-focused and proportionate practice

We hope that by acting as a 'one-stop shop', the information hub will become a central data access for a broad range of stakeholders who have a role in tackling over-indebtedness.

How often is the hub updated?

The hub will be kept regularly stocked with all the latest data and reports. There is a 'recently added' section on the home page so you can keep tabs on the latest developments. Hub users can subscribe to an RSS news feed to ensure that news stories are sent directly to them whenever they are added. We also plan to send a regular e-bulletin to users who sign up for this facility. For more information on the RSS news feed visit the '*news*' section of the hub.

Who are the contributors?

The hub warehouses information from a broad range of contributors including government departments, trade associations, independent research centres, national data archives, as well as organisations from the voluntary sector.

Where can I access the information hub?

The hub can currently be accessed via the Money Advice Trust website (www.moneyadvicetrust.org) and a link will shortly be added to the 'Media Information' page on the National Debtline website. Don't forget to add it to your favourites.

How can I contribute to the hub?

The hub is an evolving entity, and we are keen to ensure that it becomes a progressively richer and more diverse resource. You can help us achieve this aim by providing us with information we don't warehouse already, by signposting us to organisations that might have items of interest, and by engaging in dialogue with us about the potential for joint work to fill the gaps in our collective knowledge. We look forward to hearing from you. For further information please contact Louisa Parker on 0121 410 6264 or email louisa@moneyadvicetrust.org

The screenshot shows the Money Advice Trust Information Hub website. The header is dark blue with the Money Advice Trust logo on the left and navigation links (Accessibility, Contact us, Site map) on the right. A search bar is located in the top right. Below the header is a navigation bar with buttons for Home, Advice, Credit, Debt, and Debt remedies & recovery. The main content area is divided into several sections: a Welcome message, a News section featuring a recent article about the Personal Debt Bill, an Administrations section listing various regions and countries, a Themes section with 'Advice' and 'Credit' categories, and a Frequent publishers section listing organizations like the Insolvency Service and the Council of Mortgage Lenders. A large image of a city at night is positioned to the right of the Welcome message.

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Welcome

Welcome to MAT's Information Hub. The hub provides access to a range of information for people with an interest in money advice, credit, debt and debt remedies and recovery. [Read more ...](#)

News

Personal Debt Bill introduced to improve financial education in schools.
10 June 2008

Sandra Gidley (Lib Dem, Romsey) introduced the 'Personal Debt Bill' and would like to see current financial education in schools expanded to cover personal money management.

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Themes

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This section of the site includes information on the provision of money and debt advice. In

C Credit
This section of the site provides information on the availability of credit in the UK. It

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