

Child Care in Practice

Learning Event in partnership with CYPSP/DHSS&PS/DCYA
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Developments in Early Intervention and Family Support Assessing the Impact for Children 22 October 2014

Conference Chair: Tracey Monson (Chair CCIP)

Venue: Ballymascanlon Hotel, Dundalk

9.30-10.00	Registration and refreshments Networking and view Market Place Stands	
10.00-10.05	Welcome	Tracey Monsoon CCiP Chair
10.05-10.30	Ministerial Opening Speeches	Minister James Reilly TD Minister for Children and Young People DCYA Minister Jim Wells Minister for Health, Social Services and Public Safety DHSSPS
10.30-11.20	Key Note Addresses Setting local practice & strategy within an international and research context	Professor Pat Dolan UNESCO Chair Child and Family Research Centre NUI, Galway Dr Una O'Connor Director – Children and Youth Programme UNESCO Centre – University of Ulster
11.20-11.40	Tea and coffee break Networking and opportunity to view Market Place Stands	
11.45 -1:15	Workshops – Theme: Early Intervention and Family Support throughout the Life Course	
1.15 – 2.15	Lunch and Marketplace Displays	
2.15-3:45	Plenary Session - Hidden Voices This session profiles the needs of children living with a range of circumstances including disabilities, mental health, LGBT youth, those from ethnic minorities as well as a service to support parents with children in care.	Organisations will outline the issues and supports available for children and families <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BELONG Minority Ethnic Families: Bernadette McAliskey • Barnardos Young People with a Disability: Rosemary Murray • BeLongTo - Supports for LGBT young people: David Carroll • Action for Children and Barnardos 'Think Family' agenda Mental Health: Avery Bowser • St Patricks Mental Health Services Dublin–Walk in my Shoes Campaign: Kate Moran • Clarecare- Advocacy service for parents with children in care in Co Clare: Jacinta Swann
	Tea and coffee and water available on tables	
3:45-4:15	Review and Summary of Workshops Chair and Rapporteurs	
4:15-4:30	Closing Remarks and Agenda for Action	

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Participants are invited to register interest in specific workshops on the booking form. We are awaiting confirmation of some speakers. Additional presentations may be added to some workshops.
Please indicate your workshop choices in order of preference (A-H) when completing the booking form. As space in each workshop is limited places will be allocated by conference organisers. Thank you for your understanding.

Workshop Title and Presenters
<p>(A) EARLY YEARS (1) Promoting attachment and effective parenting with young children</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Sure Start: Roisin McCooey PHA & Belfast Trust Family Nurse Partnership: Emma Ross Louth Leader Partnership and DCYA Incredible Years Programme: Hugh Doogan and Alice Malone
<p>(B) EARLY YEARS (2) Understanding and promoting Infant Mental Health</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ICAMHS Infant Mental Health: Peadar White Tusla - Young Ballymun: Eleanor McClory
<p>(C) CHILDHOOD 5- 12 Years – Advancing Positive Outcomes for Children</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> TUSLA Early Intervention in School Attendance and Home Liaison: Pat McSitric DENI Full Service Schools: Gerry McMahon ISPCC - What Works - Outcome Evaluation Tool for Family Support : Tess Noonan
<p>(D) ADOLESCENCE AND EMERGING ADULthood 12- 21Years (1) Effective Interventions with Adolescents</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> DHSSPS & CYPSP- Early Intervention and Transformation Programme EDGES: Michele Janes Barnardos -Adolescent Partnerships Multi-Agency Early Intervention with Vulnerable Young People: Pat McGeogh
<p>(E) ADOLESCENCE AND EMERGING ADULthood 12- 21 (2) Reaching out to High Risk Adolescents</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Le Cheile Youth Mentoring Service - Strengthening Families Programme: Lyndsey McCabe Action for Children/Extern/NIACRO Regional (NI) Early Intervention Prevention of Offending Service: Ruth Ann Wilkinson, Tony Martin, Leona Timoney Youth Advocate Programme (YAP): Yvonne Coyne
<p>(F) STRATEGIC APPROACHES to PARTNERSHIP AND PARTICIPATION in FAMILY SUPPORT</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> TUSLA - Area based Approach: Aisling Gillen Children and Young People's Strategic Partnerships (CYPSP): Maurice Leeson
<p>(G) FAMILY SUPPORT - Coordinating Localised Responses</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> TUSLA Local Area Pathways and Meitheal: Sharon Casey & Gerry Lowry CYPSP Family Support Hubs: Helen Dunn
<p>(H) FAMILY WORK - Engaging Children and Parents</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> DCYA/TUSLA Family Resource Centres: Bill O'Dea WHSCCT Signs of Safety Evaluation: Deirde Mahon NSPCC - Family Smiles Programme: Catherine McClean