

Adverse Childhood Experiences: A Trauma Informed Approach to Early Years

Monday 1 October 2018, 10:00am to 12:30pm
Belfast Central Library | Royal Avenue | BT1 1EA Belfast |

This seminar is a side event for the WHO International Healthy Cities Conference to be held in Belfast (1-4th October 2018).

Overview of the seminar

This event will explore policy and early intervention implementation implications (as well as actions to date) for Northern Ireland and Scotland to date linked to the increasing body of international research identifying the long-term harms that can result from chronic stress during childhood.

Programme

10.00am	Registration	
10.30am	Welcome	Maurice Leeson, Health and Social Care Board
10.35am	Understanding the bigger picture – A strategic policy context in Northern Ireland	Dreena Evans Children and Young People's Strategy Team, Department for Education
10.45am	A Strategic View to addressing Adverse Childhood Experiences in Northern Ireland	Maurice Leeson, Health and Social Care Board
11.15am	Early Intervention Transformation Programme: Trauma Informed Practice	Helen McKenzie, Safeguarding Board for Northern Ireland
11.25am	Building Resilient Communities – CAWT MACE Project	Maurice Meehan, Public Health Agency
11.35am	A public health approach to ACEs in Scotland – from evidence and policy to action in communities	Katy Hetherington NHS Scotland
12.15pm	Panel Discussion & Close	