

Two half-day seminars on:

Date: Wednesday 18 May 2011

Venue: Central Glasgow

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Morning

Challenging behaviour: good practice in working with people whose behaviour is described as challenging

People whose behaviour is described as challenging are amongst the most vulnerable to poor services, poor intervention and abuse. Yet over the last two decades we have seen a wealth of policy, research evidence and good practice guidance as to what works and how services should be developed and delivered. This event will bring together the main stakeholders in services for people whose behaviour is described as challenging and examine what is good practice and how this can become embedded in everyday working.

This event is linked to the *Challenging behaviour: a training pack* published by Pavilion Publishing. Steve Hardy, the event chair is one of authors of the pack which is designed to help staff develop good practice in working with people with learning disabilities whose behaviour is described as challenging.

9.30am Registration and refreshments

10.00am Welcome and introduction

- What is challenging behaviour
- Understanding and assessing challenging behaviour
- Approaches to challenging behaviour

Chair: **Steve Hardy** Training and Consultancy Manager, Estia Centre, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust

10.30am What families want and how to get it

- Person-centred support
- Individualised interventions
- Practical support

Kate Sanger Family Carer, Challenging Behaviour Foundation, Scotland

11.00am Refreshments

11.30am Good practice in assessing and supporting communication

- Communication issues and why these may lead to challenging behaviour
- How can we improve communication

Catherine Hurrell Training Officer, Enable Scotland Leading the Way

12.00pm Developing ethical interventions

Speaker to be confirmed

12.30pm Developing a holistic, person-centred care pathway for people with challenging behaviour

Professor Bill Lindsay Castlebeck Scotland

1.00pm Questions and discussion

1.15pm Seminar close

Afternoon

Sexuality and people with learning disabilities: exploring sexuality and relationships

One of the main aims of this seminar is to assist delegates to stop thinking of sexuality as a 'problem' for people with learning disabilities (as has long been the case), and to offer ideas about about framing it more positively. The seminar aims to provide practical and realistic ideas for supporting people with learning disabilities and will cover many areas concerning sexuality and people with learning disabilities. Those who attend should leave better informed about ways to help people achieve more positive and valued sexual lives.

This event is linked to *Sexuality and learning disabilities: a handbook* published by Pavilion Publishing. One of the authors, David Thompson, joins the panel of speakers alongside other local experts.

1.45pm Registration and refreshments

2.00pm Welcome and introduction

Chair: **Peter Jung** Operations Manager, Turning Point Scotland

2.05pm Sexuality issues for people with learning disabilities

- Sexual health, abuse and violence
- Forced marriage
- Becoming a parent

David Thompson Co-author, *Sexuality and Learning Disabilities: a handbook*

2.30pm Young people with learning disabilities: how to educate and build awareness around sexuality, sexual health and contraception

Speaker to be confirmed

3.00pm Refreshments

3.15pm Same-sex relationships

David Thompson Co-author, *Sexuality and Learning Disabilities: a handbook*

3.45pm Balancing responsibility towards vulnerable people with their rights to relationships: issues and acceptance within the workforce

Adrienne Hannah FPA Associate, Family Planning Association Scotland

4.15pm Attitudes of parents towards their children developing relationships

- Exploring mothers' views about the sexual understanding and needs of their sons and daughters with learning disabilities
- How do mothers deal with this aspect of growing up and transition to adulthood and what are their support needs and experiences?

Dr Jaycee Pownall Glasgow University

4.45pm Questions and discussion

5.00pm Seminar close



Who should attend?

- Family carers
- Staff working in residential, supported living, day, employment and outreach services
- Health and social care professionals from community teams and services for people with learning disabilities
- Health care staff working in assessment and treatment services
- Professionals working in services, e.g. social workers, nurses, psychologists
- Support workers for people with learning disabilities
- Community learning disability teams and students
- Relatives
- Sex education, health promotion and family planning workers



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