

Phoebe Caldwell

“Getting in Touch”



Monday 19th April 2010 - 9.30am till 4.00pm
At Walton Conerstone (Bedford Road Walton)
2 Liston Street Walton Liverpool L4 5RT

Getting in Touch

Finding ways to develop relationships and engage with people (adults and children) with severe learning disabilities whose behaviour we find difficult to reach.

Introductory Course on Intensive Interaction: using non-verbal language to establish emotional engagement with children and adults with severe learning disability and/or autism

The day uses video and histories to illustrate themes. Participants are encouraged to ask questions and discuss problems.

Phoebe Caldwell is a free-lance consultant who has been working for twenty-five years with people with severe learning disabilities. She teaches therapists and support staff and parents to work with those adults and children who they find difficult to reach.

For four years she was funded by the Joseph Rowntree Research Foundation to look at innovative ways of communicating with people who are cut off and living in their own worlds. She runs workshops and works with individuals including those with autism or challenging behaviour, teaching staff directly through the people they are having difficulties with.

Refreshments and Lunch Provided

Free: To all member agencies of the Merseyside Joint Training Partnership.

Free: All family members, self-advocates and people who receive support from agencies who are stakeholders in the Partnership.

Non Members: £30-£50 per person per day please contact for further information.

Booking is essential – If you would book a place please call
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