

National Networking Event - Developing Best Practice



Setting Up Start for Life Services in Challenging Times'

Thursday 28th September 9.30am - 12.00pm



BOOK TICKETS ON EVENTBRITE

Members: Free

Non-Members: £20

Programme

Following the success of our first National Networking Event for Developing Best Practice, we are delighted to be offering our 2nd themed event, "Setting Up Start for Life in Challenging Times" which takes place on Thursday, September 28th 2023, at 09:30 AM BST. This event offers a unique opportunity to connect with other professionals and exchange ideas.

9:30 - 10.15am Clare Nuttal & Cathy Coombs - Setting Up Start for Life in Challenging times

Cathy and Clare will talk about their experience of setting up Start for Life in Birmingham, where there are a range of Start for Life initiatives. They will address some of the challenges that have been inherent in establishing Start for Life as well as the way in which Start for Life funding is being utilised and starting to benefit babies and their families.

10.15 - 10.45: National Breakout rooms: share experiences and gain ideas by hearing what is happening in terms of Start for Life throughout the UK.

10.45: Break

11.00 to 11:30: Regional Networking Breakout Rooms: a chance to network locally and think together about the development of Start for Life initiatives in your area.

11.30 - 12.00 - 'Making the most of your AiMH Membership'

- **An Introduction to the AiMH UK IMH CPD Programme**

Designed to enable your team to map their skills, knowledge and practice experience against the UK national Infant Mental Health Competency Framework (IMHCF), to build their IMH Portfolio, and gain entry to the Infant Mental Health Recognition Register (IMHRR). Orion Owen and Alison Bird will talk you through the process and update you on the new streamlined levels and online learning platform.

- **Mighty Networks - Your Membership Portal**

Lin Carruthers will present and show you around the updated portal for members of AiMH UK where you can access all the professional resources / news and learn how to connect with your fellow practitioners.

By attending this event, you'll have the chance to expand your professional network, discover new resources, and contribute to the development of best practices in infant mental health.

Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity to connect with colleagues from across the country!

Members: FREE

Non-members: £20

All attendees will receive an AiMH UK IMH CPD Certificate

<https://imhcpd.aimh.uk>

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FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
INFO@AIMH.UK

A photograph of a baby in a light blue onesie being held up by a woman. The baby is looking towards the woman and has a joyful expression. The woman is seen from the side, looking up at the baby. The background is softly blurred, showing indoor plants and a bright, airy setting. A large teal graphic overlay is positioned at the bottom of the image, containing the text.

AIMH UK MEMBERSHIP

THE UK'S LEADING MEMBERSHIP
ORGANISATION FOR ALL INFANT
MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONERS,
EARLY YEARS WORKERS, STUDENTS
AND EDUCATORS

SUPPORTING YOUR WORK IN INFANT
MENTAL HEALTH

ABOUT US



Our mission is to promote understanding about infant mental health (IMH) and its importance, and to support the continuing professional development of all practitioners, early years workers, educators and students working to improve outcomes for parents, babies and toddlers.

AiMH UK, which was founded in 1996 and is an affiliate of the World Association for infant mental health (WAIMH), is a not-for-profit organisation and our primary function is to contribute to the raising of standards of IMH practice.

WHAT WE DO

- Raise awareness of the importance of Infant Mental Health for the child's future development
- Bring together practitioners working to promote the well-being of infants and toddlers in local AiMH UK hubs
- Provide CPD training events and conferences, delivered by experts in the field of infant mental health to update professional practice
- Provide practitioners with access to a range of resources that will improve their practice including the AiMH UK Best Practice Guides, the IJPE Journal, recommended IMH Books, articles and research papers.



Cited in the Family Hubs and Start for Life (SfL) Programme Guidance (2022)

THE AIMH UK IMH CPD PROGRAMME

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AIMH UK MEMBERSHIP



Access to all professional resources on the AiMH UK Member area including the AiMH UK Best Practice Guides and the 'Getting to Know Your Baby' Videos



Access to AiMH UK Skills Box sessions and online events and workshops



Access to the AiMH UK community through Mighty Networks; an App based platform available online and on mobile phones and membership of your local networking hub.



Quarterly copies of the International Journal of Birth and Parenting Education (IJBPE) and access to an archive of past issues (this would normally cost £25)



Discounted access to the AiMH UK National Conference, Spring Conference and the AiMH UK IMHAW Conference



Access to the AiMH UK IMH CPD Programme to generate an IMH CPD Portfolio and secure registration on the UK Infant Mental Health Recognition Register (IMHRR) <https://imhcpd.aimh.uk>



Regular email updates on the latest news and research in Infant Mental Health with downloadable articles, and reports. Clinical updates, regular newsletters and best books in IMH



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INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

QUALIFIED PROFESSIONAL

£65

AiMH UK Membership and access to the IMH CPD Programme

EARLY YEARS WORKER

£35

with a Level 2 or Level 3 childcare qualification/Level 3 Diploma for the Children and Young People's Workforce/Level 3 Diploma for the Early Years workforce and the CACHE Diploma for Nursery Nurses

STUDENT

£30

Evidence of your University / College, course, and tutor must be provided to admin@aimh.uk

ORGANISATIONAL / TEAM MEMBERSHIP PACKAGES AVAILABLE

We offer several packages for your team / organisations to join AiMH UK. From a basic membership to a Bespoke IMH CPD package with access to events, support for building your teams IMH Portfolio and access to the IMH Recognition Register upon successful completion of the IMH CPD programme.

all valid for 1 year

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