

Date: Friday, 28th March 2014

Venue: Britannia Stadium,
Stoke-on-Trent, ST4 4EG

Engaging Children & Young People in Service Development

PiP is focusing on the work around Engaging Children and Young People in service development and review. This is following on from the theme of the Annual Conference (held in October 2013), and the report from the Children's Commissioner for England, Professor Maggie Atkinson

"We would like to make a change".

The aims of the day are to:

- hear the experiences of young people: how can they influence our work?
- build confidence in professionals in engaging with children and young people
- explore how we embed the concept into organisations and influence our Senior Leaders
- share examples of good practice
- develop supportive networks (for those engaged in this work)

In the morning there will be presentations from young people and specialists in this area of work.

During the afternoon there will be a number of Interactive workshops, looking at examples of good practice, including:

- Arts-based techniques
- 'Quality Assured' Toolkits
- Work being undertaken in school settings
- Working with young children (5-10)

Who should attend this event?

The event is aimed at clinicians and professionals working with children & young people in health and education.

Certificate of attendance will be given to all delegates attending.

Presenters include:

Kath Evans - Head of Patient Experience (Maternity, Newborn, Children and Young People), NHS England

Professor Rod Thomson - Director of Public Health Shropshire

Ann Hartley - Lead Member for Children's Services and Deputy Leader for Shropshire Council

Lorraine Warrender - MYP Support Worker Positive Activities Team, Shropshire Council

Karen Higgins – Young Health Champions Project Manager, Shropshire CCG

Dr Liz Nicholson – Chair, PiP

A number of **'Young Health Champions'** working in Shropshire, will be presenting and helping to lead the workshops.

Where & when?

Venue: Britannia Stadium, Stanley Matthews Way.

Registration from: 09:30 hrs

Start: 10:00 hrs **Finish:** 16:00 hrs

Cost & Booking

£50 per person (including refreshments and lunch).

To reserve your place: please complete attached booking form and return to Lesley Hines at: l.hines@nhs.net or to the address on booking form.