

REPLY SLIP



I would like to attend: *(please tick)*

Birmingham 17 October 2008

Manchester 29 October 2008

Exeter 17 November 2008

Name	
Job Title	
Organisation	
Address	
Telephone	
Email	

We want to encourage networking between people attending. If you do not want your contact details (as above) to be shared with other attendees please tick box

Please return this slip to:
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Norah Fry Research Centre
3 Priory Road
Bristol, BS8 1TX Tel 0117 331 0982

Or email this information to
sammantha.cave@bristol.ac.uk

Non attendance

We ask that you respect the benefits of this free event by giving at least two days notice if you are unable to attend, so that we can offer your place to another person.

Please note that the Norah Fry Research Centre will be charging a **non-attendance fee of £50** where participants have not given two working days notice that they will **NOT** be attending the event.

This policy does not apply in the case of illness

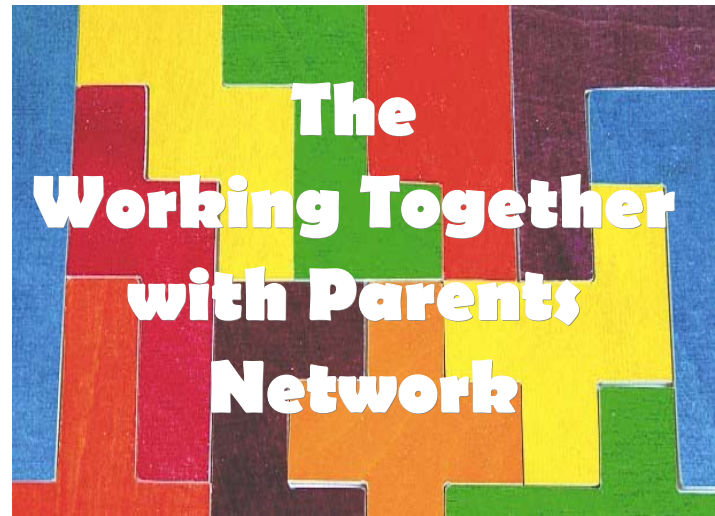


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is running 3 free regional events for anyone involved in supporting parents with learning disabilities

BIRMINGHAM
Queen Alexandra College
17 October 2008

MANCHESTER
GMCVO
29 October 2008

EXETER
Exeter Racecourse
17 November 2008

Last year the Working Together with Parents Network ran events in London, Birmingham and Bristol to raise awareness of the Good Practice Guidance on working with parents with a learning disability.

The Guidance was published by the Department of Health and the Department for Education and Skills (now the Department for Children, Schools and Families) in 2007.

The guidance covers:

- ◆ Key features of good practice in working with parents with learning disabilities
- ◆ Good practice where safeguarding procedures are necessary
- ◆ Good practice in commissioning
- ◆ Research evidence
- ◆ The policy and legislative framework
- ◆ Resources to support good practice

This year our events will focus on the best ways of implementing the Good Practice Guidance.

Each Network Meeting will run from 9.15 to 4.15 and will include:

- ◆ plenary presentations
- ◆ workshops on new initiatives and ideas for good practice
- ◆ opportunities for networking, discussion and group work

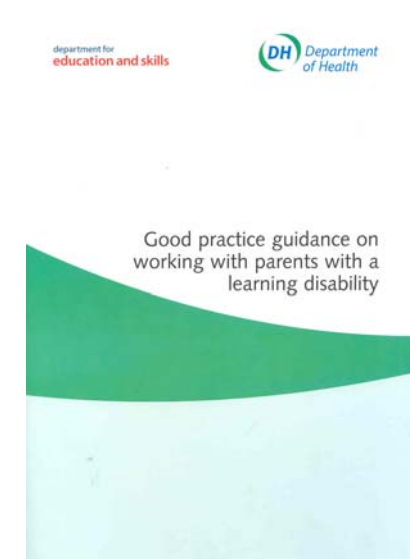
Lunch and refreshments are also included.

Confirmed speakers and workshop leaders include

- ◆ **Parents from CHANGE** who are involved in a range of projects on supporting parents with learning Disabilities (**Not Exeter**)
- ◆ **Helen Tyers** – Independent social worker and researcher
- ◆ **Sadie Young (Exeter only)**
- ◆ **Rose DePaeztron** – Family Welfare Association
- ◆ **Beth Tarleton** – Norah Fry Research Centre, University of Bristol

The Exeter Network Meeting will feature workshops from local organisations such as 'Serendipity'.

Numbers are strictly limited to 50 people per event, and places will be allocated on receipt of your individual application form.



The Good Practice Guidance can be downloaded at:
[http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/
Publicationsandstatistics/
Publications/
PublicationsPolicyAndGuidance/
DH_075119](http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/Publicationsandstatistics/Publications/PublicationsPolicyAndGuidance/DH_075119)