



## Free One Day Workshop Cancer Screening and Early Detection

The National Cancer Screening Service (NCSS) in conjunction with the National Federation Voluntary Bodies (NFVB) is offering an information session on cancer screening and early detection to staff working with clients with intellectual disabilities. The session will focus on the national population-based cancer screening programmes in Ireland – BreastCheck, CervicalCheck and BowelScreen.

<b>Duration</b>	A free one-day training workshop		
<b>Date</b>	<b>Tue 15 Oct</b>	<b>Tue 12 Nov</b>	<b>Wed 20 Nov</b>
<b>Venue</b>	<b>National Federation of Voluntary Bodies</b>  <b>Oranmore Business Park</b> <b>Oranmore</b> <b>Co. Galway</b>	<b>Brothers of Charity Services</b>  <b>Lota</b> <b>Glanmire</b> <b>Cork</b>	<b>National Cancer Screening Service</b>  <b>King's Inns House</b> <b>200 Parnell Street</b> <b>Dublin 1</b>
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<b>Delivered by</b>	NCSS Screening Promotion Staff  The training style will be participatory and will include presentations and facilitated discussions.		
<b>Target Group</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nurses</li> <li>• Residential staff</li> <li>• Staff with a role in training and education</li> <li>• Staff working with Women's groups and health programmes</li> </ul>		
<b>Places on course</b>	Max 25		
<b>Aim</b>	<p>The aim of this session is to equip facilitators with the knowledge and skills needed to be able to support informed choice in relation to cancer screening within their organisation and to provide accurate information about cancer screening services to clients with ID</p> <p>The intention is that women with intellectual disabilities will be supported to make informed choices regarding their screening needs.</p>		
<b>Objective</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To provide an overview of cancer screening and why we screen for certain cancers and not others</li> <li>• To provide an overview of the BreastCheck service and breast screening</li> <li>• To provide an overview of the CervicalCheck programme and cervical screening</li> <li>• To provide an overview of the BowelScreen programme and colorectal</li> </ul>		



	<p>screening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To provide key messages on cancer prevention and early diagnosis</li><li>• To support the role of staff in services to meet the needs of women with intellectual disabilities and the people who support them</li><li>• Develop an understanding on the key issues to be explored and how to answer and advise on any questions or queries</li><li>• Develop awareness of resources and systems available, so they can then advise and direct people appropriately</li><li>• Have a clear understanding of our key messages for women to enable them to make an informed choice about screening</li></ul>
<b>Follow up:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Following this training facilitators will:</li><li>• Have access to NCSS Screening promotion Staff for on going support</li><li>• Follow up with Access Officers as required</li><li>• Be supported by your organisation representative on the delivery and application of the training</li></ul>