



Following on from the very successful Immersion event in April 2013 the National Federation of Voluntary Bodies are hosting a one-day follow-up event

HOW ARE WE DOING SINCE IMMERSION?

on

Tuesday 24th September, 2013

10.00 am – 4.00 pm

in the

Mullingar Park Hotel

This event will give the members of the Immersion Change Teams the opportunity to reflect on the learning gained from Immersion and to share their experiences of the process so far.

The day will begin with a welcoming address from **Ms. Marion Meany, Interim Assistant National Director with the HSE** followed by Ms. Pat Fratangelo with a presentation entitled "The challenges of the ever changing need to change".

Muiriosa Foundation will give presentations on their change process that will enable other organisations to hear about what worked and what did not work? This will be an honest review of the process including hearing from individuals, families, frontline staff and senior staff. Roundtable discussions will take place in the afternoon which will be facilitated by **Prof Roy McConkey** to explore the key themes for organisations implementing change.

Who should attend this event?

This event is open to the Immersion Change Teams, individuals and family members **and all organisations interested in developing beneficial individualised supports to enable people to live good lives.**

Cost: The fee per delegate will be **€60.00** and with a special rate of **€30.00** for people with disabilities or their family member.

Booking: Online booking is available at <http://form.fedvol.ie/follow-up-immersion-event-24th-september-2013>

Programme

10.00 Registration and tea/coffee

Chairperson: Mr. Christy Lynch, KARE

10.30 Welcoming Address

Ms Marion Meany, Interim Assistant National Director Disability, HSE

10.40 Welcoming Address: The challenges of the ever changing need to change

Ms Pat Fratangelo.

11.10 Presentation: Muiriosa Foundation

Muiriosa Foundation will give a detailed presentation on their change process that will enable other organisations to hear about what worked and what did not work. This will be an honest sharing of the change process hearing from the different perspectives:

Brendan Broderick,
Josephine Glackin,
Colm Conroy,
Mary Sullivan a parent of a supported Person,
Martin Mangan
Christian O' Leary, self advocate, supported by Tom Madden

Questions & Answers will take place after each speaker.

1.10 Lunch

2p.m. Round table discussions on key themes emerging in the change process:

Facilitated by Professor Roy McConkey, University of Ulster

3.30 Planning Next Actions

4.00 Close