

# Immersion Event 22-26<sup>th</sup> April, 2013







Malton Hotel, Killarney


## Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April

 <p><b>10•30</b></p>	<b>Registration &amp; Tea/ Coffee</b>	
 <p><b>11•15</b></p>	<b>Welcome</b> <b>Brian O' Donnell</b> –CEO, National Federation of Voluntary Bodies	
 <p><b>11•20</b></p>	<b>Introduction</b> <b>Christy Lynch</b> – Chairperson National Federation of Voluntary Bodies	
 <p><b>11•30</b></p>	<b>John O' Brien</b> Open heart open mind	
 <p><b>12•10</b></p>	<b>Prof Gerard Quinn, NUI Galway</b> The need for change in the Law	
 <p><b>12•35</b></p>	<b>Avril Webster</b> Why families want change	

	<p><b>Brian Hayes &amp; Adrian Noonan, Seasamh</b> Building Bridges to Inclusion</p>	
	<p><b>LUNCH</b></p>	
	<p><b>Ann McGrane, Department of Health</b> Value for Money &amp; Policy Review of Disability Services in Ireland</p>	
	<p><b>Cate Hartigan, HSE</b> New Disability Policy in Ireland</p>	
	<p><b>Brendan Broderick, Marie Beades, Sean Bohan- Muiriosa Foundation</b> Moving from Contemplation to Implementation</p>	
	<p><b>Coffee Break</b></p>	


 <p><b>4:05</b></p>	<p><b>Michael Kendrick</b> How Ireland fits with International Policy</p>		
 <p><b>5:00</b></p>	<p><b>Change Team Discussion -</b> <i>“Let’s make sense of today”</i></p>		
<p><b>7.30 pm</b></p>	<p><b>Conference Dinner &amp; DJ</b></p>		
	<p><b>Tuesday 23rd</b></p>	<p><b>Wednesday 24th</b></p>	<p><b>Thursday 26th</b></p>
 <p><b>9:00</b></p>	 <p><b>Bernard O’ Regan</b> <b>Sandra Flaherty</b> <b>Ann Nally</b> <b>Colin Kelly</b></p>	 <p><b>Claire Murphy</b> <b>Willie Walsh</b></p>	 <p><b>Caroline Doolan</b> <b>Ann O Donoghoe-Deacy</b> <b>Ann Wilcox</b> <b>Jean Morgan</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delegates will then divide into six groups covering 3 different themes.</li> <li>• Every group will get to attend <u>all</u> the six workshops during the 3 days.</li> <li>• You will know your group by the colour on your name badge.</li> </ul>			
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>WORKSHOPS 10am – 5.00 pm</b></p> 			

 <p><b>10:00</b></p> <p>UNTIL</p>  <p><b>5:00</b></p>	 <p>Coffee at 11.00 am</p>  <p><b>LUNCH AT 1.00 PM</b></p>  <p>Workshops continued</p>  <p>Coffee at 3.45 pm</p>
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 <p><b>5:00</b></p>	<p><b>Change Team Discussion</b></p> <p><i>“Let’s make sense of today”</i></p>	
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<b>Tuesday 23rd</b>	<b>Wednesday 24th</b>	<b>Thursday 25th</b>
<p><b>7.30 pm</b> Mangerton Suite</p> 	<p><b>Free evening</b> see entertainment list</p>	 

**Workshop Themes**

<p><b>Theme 1:</b></p> <p>Personal Journey to Citizenship</p>	<p><b>Hope Leet Dittmeier</b> Discovery of the Person</p> <p><b>Room Muckross Suite 3</b></p>	
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	<p><b>David Pitonyak</b> Including those often excluded</p> <p><b>Room: The Mangerton Suite</b></p>	
<p><b>Theme 2:</b> Supporting Relationships</p>	<p><b>Janet Klees</b> Supporting Relationships</p> <p><b>Middle Lake Suite</b></p>	
	<p><b>Pat Fratangelo</b> Building relationships</p> <p><b>Malton Suite</b></p>	
<p><b>Theme 3:</b> Exploring the Challenges</p>	<p><b>John O' Brien &amp; Patti Scott</b> Social Innovation &amp; Brokerage</p> <p><b>Muckross Suite 2</b></p>	
	<p><b>Michael Kendrick</b> Successful change</p> <p><b>Muckross Suite 1</b></p>	
	<p><b>Change Team Discussion</b></p> <p><i>"Lets make sense of today"</i></p>	

# FRIDAY 26<sup>th</sup> April.

 <p><b>9:00</b></p>	<p><b>Eithne Fitzgerald</b>          Accessing Need and          Resource Allocation</p>	
 <p><b>9:30</b></p>	<p><b>Bob McCormack</b>          Independent Support          Brokerage – The Challenges          of a New Approach</p>	
 <p><b>10:00</b></p>	<p><b>John O’ Brien &amp;          Michael Kendrick</b>          Developing Change</p>	 <p><b>Coffee at 11.00 am</b></p>
 <p><b>1:00</b></p>	<p><b>LUNCH</b></p>	
 <p><b>2:00</b></p>	<p><b>Panel Discussion</b></p>	
 <p><b>3:30</b></p>	<p><b>CLOSE OF          CONFERENCE</b></p>	

**Thank  
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