

A one-day conference and workshops for professionals and families who live or work with children and young people affected by an acquired brain injury

MEMORY

Understanding the impact of childhood acquired brain injury on memory

Conference aim

Raise awareness and increase understanding of the issues that memory loss has on children and young people when childhood acquired brain injury occurs

Speakers include:

*Dr Andrew Curran – Consultant Neurologist
Dr Tom Kelly – Consultant Clinical Neuropsychologist
Dr Judith Middleton – Consultant Clinical Neuropsychologist
Dr Liam Dorris - Consultant Paediatric Neuropsychologist*

Wednesday 24th October 2007

9.30am — 5.30pm

Centre for Life
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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

9.30am	Registration and coffee	
10.00am	Welcome and overview of the day	Lisa Turan Chief Executive - Child Brain Injury Trust
10.10am	Neurobiology of memory A guide for anyone	Dr Andrew Curran Consultant Neurologist
10.40am	What happens to memory and new learning when the brain is injured?	Dr Liam Dorris Consultant Paediatric Neuropsychologist
11.30am	Coffee Break	
11.50am	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) What it is – What it isn't	To be confirmed
12.15pm	Failing to integrate new information	Dr Tom Kelly Clinical Neuropsychologist
12.45pm	LUNCH	
1.45pm	The past – holding on and letting go	Dr Judith Middleton Consultant Clinical Neuropsychologist
2.10pm	Young persons' perspective	Young people tell their stories
2.30pm	Practical strategies for coping	Jenny Hill Project Manager - CBIT
2.45pm	CBIT in the North East	CBIT Project Manager - North East
3.00pm	Tea Break	

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Afternoon Sessions 3.15 – 5.00

These sessions are about understanding acquired brain injury and the issues around memory through fun activities and interactive learning. The sessions are appropriate for both families and professionals.

There will also be an opportunity to visit the Centre for Life

A chance to visit the Centre for Life

Life Science Centre - Explore the exhibitions, watch live demonstrations, read about the latest science news, see shows in a unique Dome Theatre and take part in family activities

Mind Boggle

Your chance to take part in CBIT's demonstration of mind confusing activities

Creative Memories

How you can capture memories creatively in an album

Memory Games

How you can improve your memory through fun... Have a go!

Families Attending	Number of children (please indicate)
During the conference, children are able to look around the centre when accompanied by an adult. Please indicate how many children require supervision.	

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Who should attend?

This conference will benefit families, staff from health, social work, education, the voluntary sector and community groups. The conference will enable delegates to understand the effect that childhood acquired brain injury has on memory. It will also be of interest to service commissioners and health professionals from all disciplines, including neurologists, neurosurgeons, paediatricians, clinical psychologists, paediatric nursing staff, speech and language therapists, physiotherapists, occupational therapists, GPs, health visitors, child development centre staff and community nurses.

To book a place, please complete the details below:	Names of ALL people attending:
<u>NB: 30 family places available (free of charge)</u>	Name 1.....
Number of family places: <input type="text"/>	Job title.....
Number of paid places: <input type="text"/> Cost per professional: <input type="text"/> £80.00	Organisation.....
CBIT Associate/Corporate 10% discount	Name 2.....
Tick here <input type="checkbox"/>	Job title.....
Total amount payable <input type="text"/>	Organisation.....
Please make cheques payable to : 'Child Brain Injury Trust'	Name 3.....
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