

**National Children's Commissioning and Contracting Training  
Conference Programme**

***nccTc The Commissioners' Conference***

***How to commission children's services that work***

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018**

11:00	Arrival & Registration in Reception (Buffet Lunch available from 12:00).
1:00 - 1:15	Welcome & Opening Remarks from our chair <b>Kathy Evans</b> in the <b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
<b>How to Commission Children's Services that Work</b>	
1:15 – 1.45	<b>Keynote Speaker: Andy Couldrick</b> ; Chief Executive Birmingham Children's Trust
1.45 – 2.15	<b>Keynote Speaker: Ashley McDougall</b> . Director National Audit Office
2:15 - 2:30	Questions and Answers for first two Keynote Speakers
2:30 - 3:30	Tea & Coffee served in the <b>Exhibition Hall</b> (Main Sports Hall). Free Time to collect room keys in <b>Exhibition Hall</b> .
3:35 – 4.35	<b>Workshop Choice 1</b> (see workshop programme and signup sheets in Exhibition Hall).
4.40 – 5.20	<b>Conference Presentation: Creating Social Change: One Step at a Time</b> <b>Keynote Speaker: Lisa Cherry</b>
5.20 - 6.00	Free Time to collect room keys in <b>Exhibition Hall</b> .
6:15 - 7:00	Prosecco & Pimms Reception in the <b>Bar</b>
6:30 - 8:00	Dinner
8:00	<b>Networking and Relaxing</b> in the <b>Bar and Main House</b>
7:00	Alternatively for those who are interested there will be <b>Live Screening of The World Cup 2018 Pool game England vs Belgium (Butterley Hall)</b> <b>Sponsored by Compass Community</b>
9:00-12:00	<b>General Knowledge Quiz and Disco (Butterley Hall)</b> <b>Sponsored by Compass Community</b>



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8:00 - 9:00	Breakfast (last sitting at 8:30).
<b>Please return your room key to reception before the Conference resumes</b>	
9:00	Start of second day and announcements <b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
<b><i>How to use Different Approaches, Assets &amp; Evidence to Improve Outcomes</i></b>	
9:05 - 9.35	<b>Keynote Speaker: Amit Dixit – Head of Business Development Barnardos</b>
9.35 - 10.05	<b>Keynote Speaker: Sir Alan Wood- Chair of Residential Care Leadership Board</b>
10.05 - 10.20	Questions and Answers for this morning's Keynote Speakers
10.20-11.00	Tea & Coffee served in <b>Exhibition Hall</b>
11:00 - 12:00	<b>Workshop Choice 2</b> - See WS Programme
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch
1:00 - 2:05	<b>Workshop Choice 3</b> - See WS Programme (Exhibition stand dismantling starts)
2:10 – 2.55	Conference Presentation: <b>Continuous improvements in Commissioning: Learning from the Review of Fostering In England &amp; the Regionalising Adoption Programme</b> Key Note Speaker: <b>Mark Owers National Fostering Stocktake &amp; Regionalising Adoption Programme</b>
3:00	Closing Remarks, Feedback / Evaluation details and Prize Draw
3.20	Tea will be available in the Bar area after the Closing Remarks.
3.30	The Taxis for Derby Railway Station will start to leave from main entrance from 3:20 for Trains leaving Derby after 4pm.
4.00	<b>Conference Close.</b>

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