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23rd January 2020 / 6pm / Twilight Meeting Mecure Glasgow City Hotel, 201 Ingram St, Glasgow G1 1DQ

The physical space that a child interacts with can play a significant role in their mental health, increasing connectedness and relationships. Creating positive therapeutic physical environments can be achieved with any existing space, even on the smallest of budgets, right through to those who are designing a new space.

- How can the interior and exterior of a care home help children feel calmer, happier, healthier?
- Does the design of a school classroom increase wellbeing, and maybe therefore learning?
- How can a CAMHS waiting room or clinic room make visiting CAMHS feel more supportive, welcoming and relaxing?

Just three of the questions that will be answered at this Twilight event hosted by our Scottish Branch.

Key takeaways

- An understanding of what the theory says about how to create therapeutic environments
- Knowing what the latest evidence says is effective in making space and environment therapeutic
- Taking practical examples and ideas of how this can be done in 'real-world' settings.

Who should attend

The event for child and youth care carers, education staff, inpatient staff, anyone that works within a physical environment with children: from the care home to the classroom to the clinic!

Prices and Booking

This event is £10 for ACAMH Members, £10 for Students, and £25 for Non-Members.

Ways to book;

- 1. Online
- 2. Call the office **Mon-Fri 08.30-17.00** on **020 7403 7458**.

About the speakers



Valerie Carr

Valerie is a Project Director with Snook. Her core focus is on co-designing person-centred services: involving those seeking, accessing and providing services in improving service delivery and experiences. She has a PhD in Healthcare Service Design and is motivated by creatively addressing the challenges associated with engaging diverse groups of stakeholders in coproducing services across complex service ecosystems. Her motivation is to make services more efficient, effective and equitable, with a specific interest in the role that digital can play in extending access to services. She has worked on a range of projects for Scottish Government, Department of Health, Department of Work and Pensions, Department for Education, NHS24 and various local authorities and third sector groups.



Diarmaid Lawlor

Diarmaid is Director of Place at Architecture and Design Scotland. He is a designer with over 20 years experience of crafting stories, services and spaces to support stronger communities. Diarmaid is a facilitator, designer, educator and communicator. He speaks and writes on creative approaches to making better places.



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Closing date: 20 January 2020

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