Including People with Autism

Tuesday, 27th September 2016 - 10.00 am—4.00 pm
Scottish Youth Theatre, 105 Brunswick Street,
Glasgow, G1 1TF

This one-day workshop will provide participants with state of the-art information and strategies for including adults and children in mainstream settings. The day will involve a mix of presentations and active problem-solving in small groups and will enable participants to develop strategies for supporting people with Autism in their schools, communities and families.

Our guiding principle throughout the day will be to understand people with autism first and foremost as individuals with unique strengths and challenges. Our emphasis will be on the accommodations needed in school and other settings to build participation and belonging for individuals with autism.

The session will be values based and practical and will aim to allow the sharing of experiences and good practice as well promoting innovative approaches to inclusion through the design of best practice. Parental perspectives and individual experiences will also be explored.
Learning Objectives

- increased confidence regarding people with autism and their inclusion in mainstream settings including schools.
- access to a wider range of practical strategies to impact on communication and behaviour issues.
- deeper understanding of core values surrounding inclusion.
- learn new skills and processes to make inclusion of people with autism successful.

Key themes include

- Movement differences
- Strategies for Facilitating Communication
- Supports and Accommodations for Sensory Sensitivities
- Developing Friendships and Peer Support

ABOUT THE PRESENTERS

Derek Wilson and Colin Newton are co-founders of Inclusive Solutions. They have combined experience of over 50 years working as educational psychologists across the UK. They are passionate about inclusion and provide training and consultancy nationally and internationally.

In Control Scotland

In Control Scotland works with organisations, local authorities and people across Scotland to support the development of a sustainable system of self-directed support. We provide training, development and consultancy and share what we learn to improve the experience of self-directed support for everyone.

Cost

Professionals £110 - (INCLUDES Tea/Coffee/lunch)
In Control Scotland Members £70
Individuals/Family Members £20

To book a place on this event, please email june.d@in-controlscotland.org.uk or download a booking form www.in-controlscotland.org