



**7th Annual NZASID Conference and AGM
24th – 26th August 2010**

Programme

Day One: Tuesday 24th August 2010

9.00am **Registration Desk Opens**

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1.15pm **Opening address:**

Room	1	2	3
1.30pm	Key Note Address: Dr Jennifer Torr A Life Well Lived – mental health and well being for older people with intellectual disabilities		
2.30pm	Afternoon Tea		
2.50pm	Hannah Pomare Transition:- A Maori perspective	Ainslie Gee Circles of Support for People with Disabilities: Research and Practice	Amanda Smith "Experiences of the Intellectual Disability (Compulsory Care and Rehabilitation) Act 2003."
3.30pm	John Gilroy Australian Aboriginal people's participation in disability services	Clair Stewart Supported Decision-Making: Having a voice when change is needed	James Williams Becoming a good man
4.10pm	Hannah Pomare Dying with dignity:- A Maori perspective to assist the aged through the transition period between life and death and those who support them	Deborah Espiner Transition planning: Engaged and participating	Anthony Duncan Transitioning to the Intellectual Disability (Compulsory Care and Rehabilitation) Act 2003.
4.50pm	Book Launch Drinks Meet and Mingle		

Wednesday 25th August 2010

9.00am **Keynote Address: Prof. Patricia O'Brien**

Transition: Entry or exit to the good life?

Room	1	2	3
10.00am	Sharon Brandford Successful Ageing – reporting on an organisation-wide planning to meet the needs of older persons	Nancy Higgins In, out of, and the making of homes: The support worker's journey	Angela Arnold-Saritepe Psychology Student Research at the University of Auckland. Examples From a Scientist Practitioner Framework
10.40am	Morning Tea		
11.00am	Teresa Turish The Stepping Stones Programme: A New Zealand group-therapy programme for the treatment of emotion regulation difficulties in offenders with an intellectual disability.	Rachel Daysh The SISSAL Project	Luke Hatzipetrou Brief cognitive behavioural interventions for adults with dual diagnosis.
11.40am		Kieran Forster The formation of a community based mental health service for people with intellectual disability	Marilyn Raffensperger Facilitating positive counselling outcomes for clients with an intellectual disability
12.20pm	Lunch		
1.30pm	Luke Hatzipetrou Can I tell you what happened? Assessing the capacity of persons with intellectual disability to provide testimony in court.	Christine Wilson et al. In Search of Excellence: Best Practice in Vocational Services	Sandra Malcolm Physical problems which aren't – adults with an intellectual disability who present to health services
2.10pm	Kate Prebble Care Managers under the IDCC&R Act: A report on Stage One of a research study.	Peter Stevens & Phyllis McPherson A job like anyone else. Introducing People First's employment service "Works4US"	Jenny Conder et al. Maintaining the mental health and wellbeing of women with intellectual disability through life transitions
3.10pm	Afternoon Tea		
3.30pm	IDCCR Care Manager Forum Facilitator Kate Prebble	Yvette Proud A Healthier Process – engaging people with intellectual disability in health promotion	Wendy Becker & Chris Harris Extraordinary Journeys: Lived Experience
4.10pm		Kim Fuller Tara grows up. A guide to periods and puberty for young women with an intellectual disability.	Paul Milner Why did they go? The reflections of adults with intellectual disability about the transitions staff make in and out of their lives.
5.00pm	NZASID AGM – All Welcome		
7.30pm	CONFERENCE DINNER		

Thursday 26th August 2010

9.00 **Keynote Address: Dr Brigit Mirfin-Veitch**
Critical Transitions in the journey to parenthood and beyond for people with intellectual disability

Room	1	2	3
10.00am	Teresa Evans-Turner The Maslach Burnout Inventory and its relationship with staff transition in and out of the intellectual disability workforce	Dr Jenny Torr (Details to follow)	Luke Hatzipetrou Coping with psychological distress associated to positive symptoms of Schizophrenia: A brief cognitive behavioural intervention.
10.40am	Morning Tea		
11.00am	Leigh Hale Preventing falls the physical way: Perspectives and practices from a physiotherapy balance clinic specifically for people with an intellectual disability.	Anne Mathieson "Horny Boys"	Martin Matthews ASD Plus: Evidence based training for families of children newly diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder
11.40am	Conference Closing Feedback Raffle Draw		
12.00pm	Conference Close		

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