The Future of Children's and Young People's Mental Health Services

The Government's new Mental Health Strategy emphasises the crucial importance of early intervention in emerging emotional and mental health problems for children and young people.

As part of the BOND Consortium (Better Outcomes, New Delivery), we would like to invite you to a **FREE** Best Practice Exchange on how commissioners can make better use of the voluntary and community sector in the future delivery of mental health services for children and young people. This event will:

- Update you on what is happening to emotional and mental health support services for children and young people across the country, including early intervention, new ways of commissioning and providing services.
- Share examples of best practice in relation to improving children and young people's mental health and wellbeing, including what was learnt from the Targeted Mental Health in Schools Programme (TAMHS) and how it can be applied across different settings and contexts.
- Identify practical, cost effective ways for developing and delivering future support.
- Facilitate learning and partnership working. Elicit feedback that will build upon the emerging evidence and provide baseline themes.

The event is aimed at commissioners of emotional and mental health support services as well as those responsible for services which support children and young people in schools, colleges and informal settings. These events will provide an opportunity for commissioners and providers to have a dialogue and to include the voluntary and community sector in thinking about the future.

To book your place please <u>click here</u> or, for further information <u>click here</u>.

Places are booking up fast for these events and places are limited - we would recommend that you book your **FREE** place as soon as possible.