

Inclusion Health Special Interest Group (SIG)

Welcome to this SIG - we look forward to seeing what can be realised from this collaboration with the International Foundation for Integrated Care.

Vision: reduce the health inequality experienced by people living in social exclusion

Mission: To share knowledge and to collaboratively develop approaches to design, implement and evaluate integrated care in Inclusion Health

Key values/terms:

- Human rights-based approach
- Intersectionality
- Structural violence
- Psychological trauma-informed care
- Structural and social determinants of health
- Person-centred care
- Centrality of trust between patient and care-provider

Aim: We aim to facilitate sharing and creation of knowledge on how to develop, deliver and evaluate integrated care using a human rights-based approach to inclusion and intersectionality. Adopting Maclachlan et al. (2007) thinking of inclusive health and promoting the idea of inclusion as a proactive approach to understanding the impact of the structural determinants of health and inequity experienced by so many globally.

Objectives:

- Develop an international platform for sharing experiences in integrated care in Inclusion Health
- Ensure that all evidence reviews, studies and programmes in integrated care consider health equity and socially excluded people
- Develop key documents, including a chapter in the Integrated Care Handbook, outlining the principles of Inclusion Health
- Understand the impact of social exclusion, intergenerational trauma and social and structural determinants on health
- Develop tools for evaluation of integrated care in the context of social exclusion

The activities:

We invite and welcome members to shape the SIG activities and outputs, and with this in mind, we propose a panel discussion an introduction to assist in the co-creation of this group.

Activities may include

- Webinars with international guest speakers
- Sharing of practice and lessons learned in building trust and engagement
- Publication of book chapter

Get involved: If you have an interest in shaping this SIG please contact us at IFICireland@integratedcarefoundation.org to join the mailing list.

Reference

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