The Meningitis Trust

After Meningitis

A free conference exploring the after-effects of meningitis and meningococcal septicaemia

The Meningitis Trust 2010 Conference
Wednesday 17 February 2010
at the Mitchell Library, Glasgow

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Meningitis is a life changing disease. There are over 500,000 people living in the UK today who have had meningitis or meningococcal septicaemia, and nearly 18,000 have died over the last 60 years.

The Meningitis Trust is a registered charity committed to providing specialised support services to anyone who has been affected by meningitis or meningococcal septicaemia. The Trust is also committed to increasing understanding of these diseases and funding relevant research.

This conference aims to consider the wide range of outcomes of meningitis and meningococcal septicaemia and highlight the importance of specialist support in helping those affected to rebuild their lives.

Topics include

- Physical and psychological after-effects of meningitis and meningococcal septicaemia
- Impact of hearing loss after meningitis
- Research into after-effects
- Emotional support
- Rehabilitation

Contributors include

Prof. Simon Kroll	Medical Director, Meningitis Trust
Dr. Deborah Christie	Consultant Clinical Psychologist, Institute of Child Health, London
Miss Mary Shanks	Consultant ENT Surgeon, Cochlear Implant Unit, Crosshouse Hospital, Ayrshire

There will also be a number of people speaking about their personal experiences of these diseases.

Who is the conference of interest to?
This conference will be of interest to anyone who is involved in anyway with helping people affected by meningitis, including:

- GPs
- Community Paediatricians
- Social Workers
- Occupational Therapists
- Teachers
- Researchers in this Area
- Student Doctors
- Nurses
- Health Psychologists
- Physiotherapists
- Educational Psychologists
- Special Needs Specialists
- Counsellors and Art Therapists
- Student Nurses

Arrangements on the day
The conference will take place at the Mitchell Library, 201 North Street, Glasgow, G3 7DN. Please use the Granville Street entrance to the library.
The library is easily accessible by train and underground and is adjacent to the Charing Cross train station.

Registration will begin at 9.15am and lunch will be provided. The conference will end at 4.00pm.

Continuing Professional Development
A certificate of attendance will be provided at the end of the day to any delegates that request one.

DELEGATE BOOKING FORM

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Please fill in your name, title and place of work. Please use BLOCK CAPITALS.
For more than one delegate, please photocopy this form.

Full Name & Title: Prof/Dr/Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms

Post or job title:

Place of work:

Correspondence address:

Town:

County: Post Code:

Telephone Number:

Email address:

If you are happy for us to contact you by email please tick here ☐

Special requirements (diet, disability etc):

Conference reservation

Lunch, all refreshments and conference materials will be provided.

Please return this form to:

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If you have any queries, please contact Kerry Ross on the above details

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