

## In Care Survivor Support Fund (Scotland) Engage Events

The In Care Survivor Support Fund is for people who were abused or neglected as children while living in care in Scotland. We'd like to invite you to join us to find out more and share ideas.

At the events:

- We will thank survivors who were involved in the initial InterAction process and those who took part in engagement activities leading to the development of the In Care Survivor Support Fund
- We will update survivors, their family and carers on the In Care Survivor Support Fund, including how to access it, and the support that is available to them
- Survivors can engage with us about the In Care Survivor Support Fund

These events will be chaired by Professor Andrew Kendrick from the University of Strathclyde and CELCIS (The Centre for Excellence for Looked After Children in Scotland). Each event will involve staff from the In Care Survivor Support Fund. We'll be there to meet you, answer questions, hear views and discuss different ways to make sure we continue to engage and learn from survivors going forward.

Three initial information sessions will take place from 10.30am – 3pm in the following locations:

- **Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2016, Mercure Hotel, 201 Ingram St, Glasgow G1 1DQ**
- **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2016, central Edinburgh, venue TBC**
- **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2016, central Perth, venue TBC**

We are working hard to ensure the events feel helpful and safe, and individual support is available for those who may wish to use it.

Refreshments and lunch will be provided and travel expenses will be reimbursed.

RSVP and you'll receive a registration pack and secure your place at one of the events. Please let us know of any dietary or access requirements you may have:

Email [engagement@icssf.scot](mailto:engagement@icssf.scot) or Freephone 0808 164 2240

***If you would like to know more about the In Care Survivor Support Fund but are unable to attend these events, please tell us now so we can let you know about future engagement events.***