

STRENGTHS-BASED PLACES

Webinar: Developing strengths-based places – the next steps for strengths-based practice

This webinar explores how local authorities are overcoming some of the barriers to a strengths-based approach, and building a whole-place approach to strengths-based working. You will need to register for a free SCIE account to watch this webinar.

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CHILDREN

IMHAW21 – New survey finds ‘baby blindspot’ in children and young people’s mental health provision

As part of this year’s Infant Mental Health Awareness Week (7-13 June), The Parent-Infant Foundation is highlighting huge and concerning gaps in mental health services for babies and toddlers. The Foundation is sharing results of an online workforce survey which shows that infants are too often overlooked and neglected in children and young people’s mental health provision.

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How common is mental illness in children aged 1-7 years old?

There has been relatively little research investigating the prevalence of mental disorders in toddlerhood and early childhood, even though mental health issues occurring at this time in life could have a lifelong impact. The Mental Elf reviews a recent paper on the prevalence of mental disorders in children aged 1-7.

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ETHNICITY

Ethnicity coding in English health service datasets

The Covid-19 pandemic has highlighted ethnic disparities in health care and outcomes in England, but data on the ethnicities of patients remains poor. This report looks at the quality and consistency of ethnicity coding within health datasets and calls on NHS England to provide new guidance for health service providers and GPs.

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COVID-19

VaccChat

A new Greater Manchester wide campaign, VaccChat, is putting key information into the hands of those who, through the course of their day, speak to lots of people. Handy cue cards are being given to frontline professionals like hairdressers, barbers and beauticians outlining the facts about the vaccine so these can be shared with members of the public, especially those aged 18-30.

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Delta variant: What is happening with transmission, hospital admissions, and restrictions?

More than 71 million doses of covid-19 vaccine have been administered in the UK, and in many areas lockdown has eased. But, as the delta variant dominates, Elisabeth Mahase asks: is another wave on the horizon?

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