

# **How to Commission Children's Services that Work:**

**Using Different Approaches, assets & Evidence to improve Outcomes.**

**28<sup>th</sup> / 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018**

**at the Hayes Conference Centre, Derbyshire**

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# National Commissioning and Contracting Training Conference for Children's Services

## Key Note Speakers

**Sir Alan Wood (Chair)** The Residential Care Leadership Board

**Sir Martin Narey** The National Fostering Stocktake

**Andy Couldrick (Chief Executive of Birmingham's Children's Trust)** on How to commission Children's Services that work through a Trust.

**Ashley McDougall (National Audit Office)** on the financial implications of commissioning services that work

**Lisa Cherry** on Creating Social Change

**Amit Dixit (Barnardos)** on how to work in partnership to commission services that work

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- ✓ The Learning from innovation projects that are delivering.
- ✓ How to deliver Mental Health Services that work. The Drop in Model
- ✓ How to make EHC plans work. The role of the key worker
- ✓ How to successful transfer people from mental health services into education
- ✓ What do we need to know about the financial state of the children's market.
- ✓ How to develop a successful sub-regional residential block contract project.
- ✓ The joy and pain of Joint commissioning. Making it work.
- ✓ Developing Domestic Violence Services
- ✓ How to reduce the risks with children who have been sexually exploited.
- ✓ Fostering Providers view of best practice within commissioning.
- ✓ How to prevent young homelessness
- ✓ How to evidence outcomes. A joined-up approach
- ✓ How to develop a Tender and the common mistakes Commissioners have made
- ✓ Developing 16 plus Accommodation
- ✓ How to develop a successful Leaving care pathway
- ✓ Developing Early Help Services
- ✓ How trained young people can really add to Commissioning
- ✓ Using modern technology to hear the voice of the child
- ✓ How to ensure Foster Carers can care for asylum Seeking Children

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