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DYSPRAXIA CONFERENCE

Overview of Developmental Co-ordination Disorder and Strategies for the Classroom and Home

- What is DCD and how does it overlap with other specific learning difficulties
- Identification . ages and stages in presentation- what stays and what goes!
- Practical strategies in the classroom and at home- considering key times of transition
 - Free websites and resources

Tuesday 12th April

In the

Clarion hotel, Sligo

9.15am – 3.30p.m

Professor Kirby is the founder of the Dyscovery Centre in Cardiff. The Centre is internationally recognised for its work in Developmental Co-ordination Disorder (also known as Dyspraxia). Amanda previously worked as a General Practitioner and has worked in Community Paediatrics and Psychiatry, her PhD was in emerging adulthood in DCD.

She has had several books published in the field of specific learning difficulties, and has published Mapping SEN – a CD-based programme for schools and ‘100 Ideas for Supporting Pupils with Dyspraxia and DCD’ as well as academic texts. She is very interested in the ability to transfer evidence based research into everyday practice and has recently developed several different websites including www.adhdtraining.co.uk, www.boxofideas.org , www.spldtransitions.co.uk and www.move627.org and has undertaken a lot of work considering key times of transition for individuals with DCD

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Booking fee of €30 will apply and will include lunch and refreshments on the day.

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