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Suicide Bereavement is Everyone's Business: Policy, Research and Practice

The University of Manchester Second Suicide Bereavement Conference



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Professor Louis Appleby

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Louis Appleby is Professor of Psychiatry at the University of Manchester where he leads a research centre on mental health and risk. He is Director of the National Confidential Inquiry into Suicide and Homicide by People with Mental Illness and Chair of the National Suicide Prevention Strategy Advisory Group.

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Madeleine Moon

Bridgend
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Madeleine Moon has been MP for the Bridgend Constituency since 2005. Madeleine instigated the development of the All Party Parliamentary Suicide and Self Harm Prevention Group, which she is currently Chair.

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**Professor
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Ella Arensman is Director of Research with the National Suicide Research Foundation, University College York and Professor within the Department of Epidemiology and Public Health University College Cork. Her specialist interests are risk and protective factors associated with suicide and deliberate self harm, clustering and contagion of suicidal behaviour.

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**Dr
Myfanwy
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Myfanwy Maple is an Associate Professor in the School of Health at the University of New England, Australia. Her research focuses on the experience and needs of those who have experienced the suicide death of a significant other and includes a variety of populations and sub-groups, including broad community based samples.

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Dr Sharon McDonnell

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Sharon McDonnell specialises in suicide bereavement research at the Centre for Mental Health and Risk, University of Manchester. She is currently developing a suicide bereavement training pack to guide health professionals how to respond to parents bereaved by suicide.

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Liz Kool

Winstons
Wish

Liz Koole is from a social work background. She is employed by Winstons Wish, which is a charity that provides support for bereaved children and young people. Liz manages the national team that provides support for children who have been bereaved as a result of murder, suicide or a military death.

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Jill Fisher

National
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Jill Fisher is the National Coordinator for the StandBy Response Service based in Queensland, Australia. Jill's specialist areas are suicide bereavement, traumatic loss and grief. She is responsible for the practice standards and ongoing development of the StandBy program including training of police, paramedics and health providers on issues surrounding suicide bereavement.

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Dr Barry McGale

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Barry McGale is a nurse employed by the NHS in Northern Ireland. He is a Suicide Liaison Officer who provides immediate support for those bereaved by suicide. Barry is the Chair of Youth Life, a voluntary organisation run by and for young people who have experienced bereavement and loss.

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Harvey McKonley

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Harvey Ronksley is part of a national team offering a Samaritan service entitled 'Step by Step' which provides advice and practical guidance to help schools prepare for, and deal with, the repercussions of suicide or attempted suicide.

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Follow STRETFORD signs onto M60. Leave at Junction 12 and join M602 SALFORD. At end of Motorway, follow A57 MANCHESTER sign (Regent Road) for approx. 1 mile. Proceed under railway bridge, continuing onto A57M (Mancunian Way). Continue on A57M and take 2nd exit. Immediately fork right on slip road onto Sackville Street, following UNIVERSITY sign. Turn left at the Retro Bar into Charles Street for the NCP CAR PARK.

FROM YORKSHIRE VIA M62/M60:

Leave at Junction 17 signed CITY CENTRE, and follow A56 towards Manchester for 4 miles (Bury New Road, becoming Great Ducie St.) Enter city under railway bridges and keep straight ahead, still on A56, onto Deansgate. In 1/2 mile, turn left at traffic lights (signed UNIVERSITIES) onto John Dalton Street and continue straight ahead at next lights onto Princess Street. In 1/2 mile, pass under railway bridge and immediately turn left at lights onto Charles Street. The NCP CAR PARK is on left.

FROM DERBYSHIRE VIA A6:

Follow A6 signs towards Manchester City Centre until reaching the flyover junction with A57M. Continue on A6 and in 200 yards pass under railway bridge and turn left at traffic lights onto Fairfield Street. Pass Sackville Gardens on your right, and turn left at traffic lights onto Sackville Street. Pass under railway bridge and turn right onto Charles Street for the NCP CAR PARK.

FROM THE SOUTH VIA M6 / NORTH WALES & CHESTER VIA M56:

Leave M6 at Exit 19 and follow A556 MANCHESTER for 4 miles. Join M56 MANCHESTER at roundabout and follow to end of M56 and continue straight onto A5103 MANCHESTER for 4 miles. At roundabout take 3rd exit following A57M SHEFFIELD to next roundabout. Here take 2nd exit up ramp to join A57M. Keep in nearside lane for 200 yards, and leave 1st exit signed UNIVERSITY. Immediately fork right on slip road, following UNIVERSITY sign. Turn left at the Retro Bar onto Charles Street for the NCP CAR PARK.

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Head for the escalators to the left of the concourse. Follow the signs for Fairfield Road/ 'Taxis'. Cross Fairfield Street to the Bulls Head pub. To the left of the pub is Granby Row. Walk to the end of Granby Row and turn left onto Sackville Street. Walk 250 yards and the Manchester Conference Centre will be on the right.

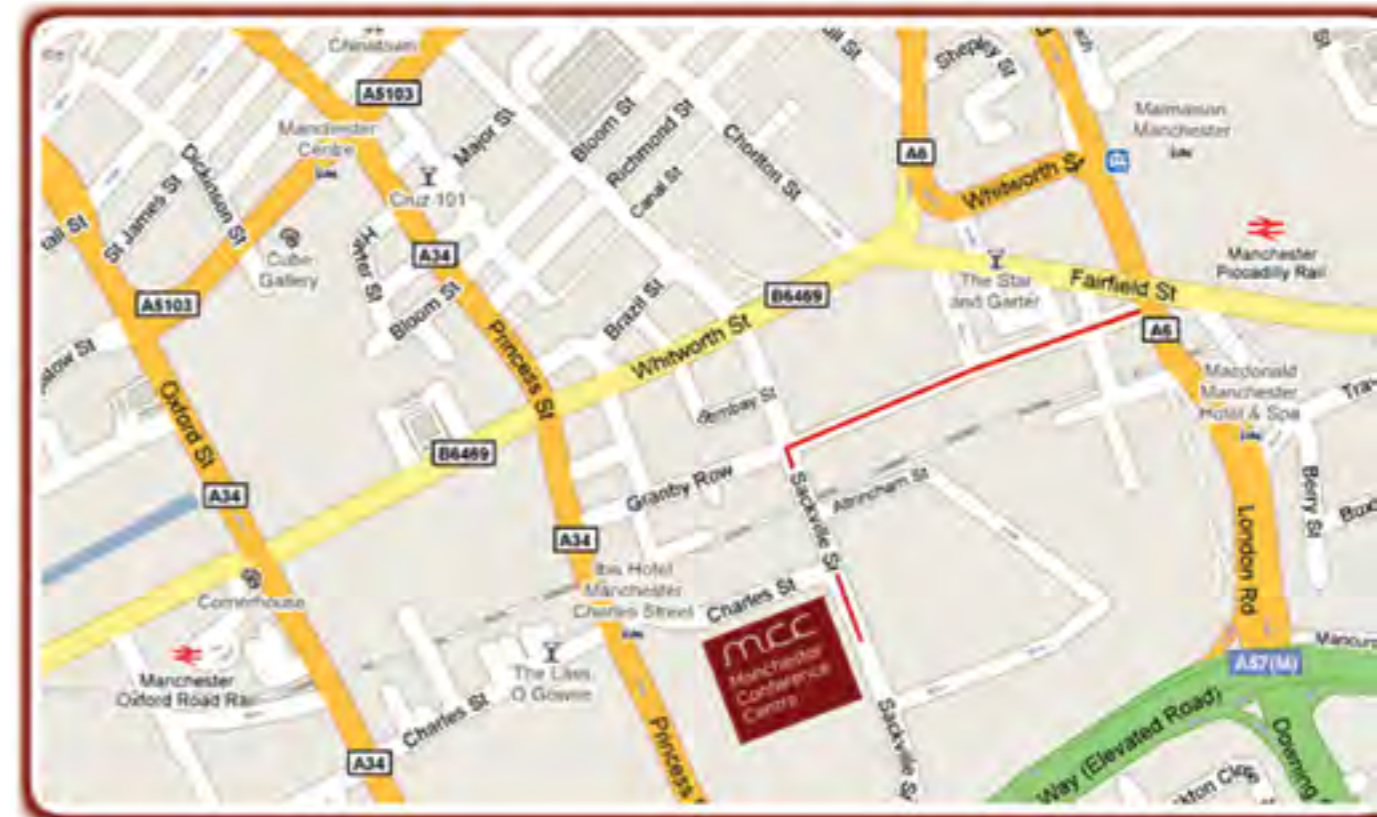
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Contact Details and Itinerary

Registration		8.30 - 9.25
Chair Prof Nav Kapur	Welcome to Manchester University	9.30
Professor Louis Appleby	The National Suicide Prevention Strategy for England	9.35
Madeleine Moon (Bridgend MP)	Impact of Suicide on Community Health and Wellbeing	10.10
Coffee Break		10.45
Dr. Ella Arensman (Eire)	Suicide Clustering and Contagion: Early Identification and Responding	11.15
Dr. Myfanwy Maple (Australia)	Uncovering and Identifying the Missing Voices in Suicide Bereavement Research	11.45
Panel Discussion		12.15
Lunch		12.30
Chair Prof Jenny Shaw		1.30
Dr. Sharon McDonnell, University of Manchester	Parents Experiences of Finding their Deceased Child.	1.35
Liz Kool, Winston's Wish	Why did Dad Choose to Die? Working with Children and People Bereaved by Suicide	2.00
Coffee Break		2.45
Jill Fisher (Australia)	National StandBy Response Service: Working with the Community, Paramedics and the Police to support those Bereaved by Suicide.	3.05
Dr. Barry McGale (North Ireland)	Developing Community Response Plans in Northern Ireland to Reduce Suicide Contagion	3.30
Harvey McKonley (Samaritans)	Step by Step Project: Supporting Schools after a Suicide	3.55
Panel Discussion		4.15
End of Conference		4.30pm

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