

Conference on

Shaping the Future of Mental Health Services for Black and Minority Ethnic Groups in Leicester, Leicestershire & Rutland

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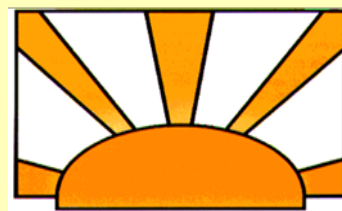
Hugh Aston Building, De Montfort University, Leicester

Aims and Objectives:

- Understand and explore the key issues from a service user, carer and service provider's perspective on addressing racial inequalities in mental health.
- Support decision makers, commissioners and service providers to develop and enhance their policies and practices in addressing racial inequalities in the delivery of mental health services.
- Develop an action plan to support decision makers, commissioners and service providers in addressing racial inequalities in the delivery of mental health services in Leicester, Leicestershire & Rutland

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Programme:

0845 - Registration

0930 - Welcome - Professor Mandy Ashton , De Montfort University) and Surinder Sharma, Chair of The Race Equality Centre

0950 - Service User Presentations introduced by Sarah Prema Leicester City Commissioning Group

1020 - Introduction to Workshops by Professor Raghu Raghavan. De Montfort University

1025 - Short break and delegates into workshops

Workshops on building Black and Minority Ethnic service user and carer voice in commissioning, planning, delivering and developing good practice in local mental health services

1130 - Professor David Chiddick, Chair of Leicester Partnership NHS Trust. Introduction to Key Note Speaker

1135 - Key Note Speaker - Professor Swaran Singh , University of Warwick

1215 - Feedback from Workshops and Action Planning led by Surinder Sharma

1300 - Lunch and networking

1345 - Service User/Carers Presentations Introduced by Gabby Briner, VSP Mental Health Forum

1400 - Introduction of Key Note Speaker

1405 - Key Note Speaker - Professor Suman Fernando, London Metropolitan University

1500 - Break

1515 - “ Shaping our Mental Health Services” Panel discussion - Chaired by Cllr Michael Cooke , Leicester City Council, Panel made up of mental health service providers, commissioners, service users and carers.

16.15 - John Ashworth MP

16.30 - Concluding Remarks and Way forward -Professor Raghu Raghavan and Surinder Sharma

1645 - Finish