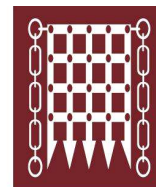


**Westminster Education Forum Keynote Seminar:  
Improving mental health provision for children and young people  
- policy developments, collaboration and the role of schools**

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*Venue: Central London*



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Baroness Massey of Darwen**, Co-Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group for Young People's Health
- 9.05 - 9.25 **Where next for children's mental health provision in England?**  
**Kadra Abdinasir**, Head, Children and Young People's Mental Health, Centre for Mental Health and Strategic Lead, Children and Young People's Mental Health Coalition  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.25 - 9.35 **Introducing the Link Programme - improving collaboration between the NHS and schools**  
**Neil Dawson**, Co-Head, Anna Freud Services for Schools, Anna Freud National Centre for Children and Families and Co-Founder, The Family School
- 9.35 - 10.25 **Next steps for creating a joined-up approach to children's mental health provision: identification, collaboration and prevention**  
**Dr Julie Greer**, Headteacher, Cherbourg Primary School, Hampshire  
**Jane Caro**, Programme Lead, Families, Children and Young People, Mental Health Foundation  
**Dr Tara Porter**, Acting Lead Clinical Psychologist, Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust  
Senior representative, local authority  
Parent voice  
Questions and comments from the floor with **Neil Dawson**, Co-Head, Anna Freud Services for Schools, Anna Freud National Centre for Children and Families and Co-Founder, The Family School
- 10.25 - 10.50 **Joint inspections focusing on children's mental health - key findings so far**  
**Wendy Ghaffar HMI**, Specialist Adviser, Cross Remit Safeguarding, Ofsted  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.50 - 10.55 **Chair's closing remarks**  
**Baroness Massey of Darwen**, Co-Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group for Young People's Health
- 10.55 - 11.20 Coffee
- 11.20 - 11.25 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Baroness Parminter**, Member, House of Lords Food, Poverty, Health and Environment Committee
- Mental health services in schools - inspections, links between health and education, and teachers' mental health**
- 11.25 - 11.35 **Training the mental health support teams**  
Senior speaker to be confirmed
- 11.35 - 11.45 **Tackling resource concerns and improving the mental health of teaching staff**  
**Rosamund McNeil**, Assistant General Secretary, National Education Union
- 11.45 - 12.25 **Implementing the new health curriculum**  
Senior speaker to be confirmed  
  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.25 - 12.55 **Policy priorities for children's mental health provision**  
**Dr Prathiba Chitsabesan**, Associate National Clinical Director, Children and Young People's Mental Health, NHS England  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Education Forum closing remarks**  
**Baroness Parminter**, Member, House of Commons Food, Poverty, Health and Environment Committee  
**Sean Cudmore**, Deputy Editor, Westminster Education Forum