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"Truly inspirational and extremely valuable training. I have taken so much away from these three days both on a personal level and most certainly on a professional level". D.C - Advance FGC training

**Online Accredited Family Group Conference
Facilitator Training
OCN Level 3**

Facilitated by Jim McGrath

Trainer, facilitator and speaker

Dates

1, 2 & 3rd September 2021

9.30 – 12.30pm

1.15 – 3.30pm

Lock down and skill up



Training will include

- Ethos, Values and Philosophy
- Theories underpinning the process
- The Five Stages of Family Group Conference
- Strength Based Approaches

Preparing participants

- Use of Genograms
- Remaining Child Focused
- Working with Fears, Tears and Hope
- Working effectively with difference
- Allowing the narrative to unfold
- What is behind resistance and how to work with the energy
- Positions, shift and moving forward

The Family Gathering

- Setting up the room
- Creating a safe and nurturing space
- Facilitating the pre-Private Time meeting
- Clarifying ambiguity and perceptions
- Keeping it child centred solutions
- The agreement
- Developing the plan
- Closing and reviewing

Also included

- Open College Network Accreditation @ Level 3
- Training and practice materials (65 page manual, Portfolio)
- Telephone/Email/virtual Support with the first conference
- Access to further upskilling training including; Restorative Practices, Mediation, and creative engagement skills

Cost £450 per learner. There is a reduced cost for a booking of 5 learners or more

About the trainer



Jim McGrath has 40yrs experience in the Social Care settings.

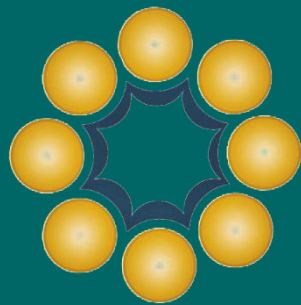
He has worked in restorative practices for the past 25yrs and specialises in family led decision making. He is an international trainer, speaker and consultant in this area of work.

Jim has written papers, articles and chapters for several professional publications and has advised Government on legislative changes to enhance the inclusion of children and families in child care proceedings as well as providing the Italian children and family court judges/magistrates on the benefits of Family Group Conference in care and protection proceedings.

NetCare was set up in 1999 to provide training, consultancy and practice development in child, young person and family led processes. They have worked with social care staff, projects and local Government in the UK, Ireland, Europe, Canada, US, Australia and New Zealand.

Jim currently sits on the boards of Restorative Practices International, Restorative Practices Ireland and Restorative Practices NI.

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