

Invitation to Presentation on

"Family Caring In Ireland in 2017 - Trends in Self-Identification and Income Supports"

19 September 2:30pm-3:30pm.

Liam O'Sullivan, Executive Director, Care Alliance Ireland to make presentation, followed by Panel Discussion and Q and A. Response from Frank Browne, Chair, Irish Association of Social Workers (IASW).

Open to All

When: Tuesday 19 September 2017

Time: 2.30pm to 3.30pm

Location: The Carmichael Centre, Dublin 7.

Background

- To promote a cause in the not-for-profit sector, "awareness raising" is often seen as key to success. In the case of Family Carers, individual self-identification is also considered important.
- This presentation will consider the recent trends in Family Carer prevalence statistics and supports for Family Carers. We draw on recent quantitative data sources in an attempt to provide an objective analysis of Family Caring in Ireland in 2017.
- Irish published statistics and international data are reviewed, and some plausible causes for the large discrepancy in Family Carer numbers reported in these different studies are suggested.
- We review trends in state income supports, both absolute and relative, and the possible drivers of these changes. We also examine how different policy changes in Ireland since 2000 may have impacted reported Carer numbers.

We look forward to seeing you on 19 September.

Please rsvp to info@carealliance.ie by 15 September.

(The Care Alliance Ireland AGM will follow at 3:30pm)

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