

Dear Members

Please find some information below which may be of interest to you.

Please note: if interested, you should contact the advertisers of these posts directly and not the IACP. Thank you.

Yours sincerely

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### **IACP in the Media**

This week the profile of the IACP and its Members got a further boost on National Radio and Print Media.

**National Radio:** This morning, IACP Professional Services Manager - Shane Kelly, appeared the Pat Kenny Radio Show on Newstalk FM to discuss "The Fear of Flying". Shane's interview with Pat Kenny meant that the profile of the IACP and its members reached almost 200,000 people. You can listening back to a podcast of Shane's interview by clicking on the links below:

Shane's interview Starts at 55 minutes on part 2 and continues on part 3.

[http://www.newstalk.ie/player/listen\\_back/13240/11309/14th\\_July\\_2014 -  
\\_The Pat Kenny Show Part 2](http://www.newstalk.ie/player/listen_back/13240/11309/14th_July_2014_-_The_Pat_Kenny_Show_Part_2)

[http://www.newstalk.ie/player/listen\\_back/13240/11310/14th\\_July\\_2014 -  
\\_The Pat Kenny Show Part 3](http://www.newstalk.ie/player/listen_back/13240/11310/14th_July_2014_-_The_Pat_Kenny_Show_Part_3)

**Print Media:** Shane also had an article on the Fear of Flying published in the Journal.ie. So far, the article has been viewed almost 10,000 times, which is a massive boost to the IACP's and its Members' National profile. You can view Shane's article by clicking the link below:

<http://www.thejournal.ie/readme/fear-of-flying-tips-1565337-Jul2014/>

**Regional Radio:** Shane also appeared on Tipp Today with Seamus Martin on Tipp FM this week, discussing how to deal with the Fear of Flying. [www.tippfm.com](http://www.tippfm.com)

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## Dublin Regional Committee Seeking Volunteers

The Dublin Regional Committee is looking to recruit 2 new members.

Volunteering for this Committee involves attending committee meetings 4-5 times per annum in a central Dublin location, contributing to the work of sourcing and assessing workshop proposals together with assisting in the organisation of administering and running up to 4 workshops a year.

If you are interested in Volunteering for this committee please download and complete the "Volunteering with IACP" form on IACP Website at <http://www.irish-counselling.ie/voluntary-work-psychotherapy-counselling> and return to Liz Gannon at [liz@iacp.ie](mailto:liz@iacp.ie).

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## Dundalk Outcomers – Diverse LGBT Families Seminar

Dundalk Outcomers proudly presents the fifth annual celebration of the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) community in North east region of Ireland, running from 14th to 19th of July 2014.

This year's theme is *"Because Family matters"*, reflecting the fact that all LGBT people are part of family whether as fathers, mothers, sons or daughters, partners, husbands, wives, grandchildren... or a chosen family of friends and community.

Arising from this year's theme, we proudly present and invite you to celebrate Pride by attending a **Diverse LGBT Families Seminar** that will take place in **The County Museum Dundalk** on 15th of July, **11am - 12.30pm**.

This seminar will give you a glimpse into the lives of LGBT families, their experiences and challenges they are facing in everyday life.

As a part of Diverse LGBT Families Seminar, we also invite you to the launch of our Pride photography exhibition *'Relate'*. We had the pleasure of collaborating with photographer Ken Finnegan whose work celebrates everyday, ordinary LGBT lives. Photography exhibition will run until 25th of July 2014, in The County Museum Dundalk.

Admission to the seminar and photography exhibition is free.

Should you require more information, don't hesitate to contact us.

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## Job Opportunity - Clinical Co-ordinator, Aisling Centre, Enniskillen

The Aisling Centre, providing a professional counselling and psychotherapy service to the people of Co Fermanagh and the surrounding area for more than 20 years.

Applications are invited for the position of **Clinical Co-ordinator - 2-year Fixed Term contract**.

The Clinical Co-ordinator will be expected to co-ordinate all aspects of the Aisling Centre Counselling / Psychotherapy service.

This will include the provision of line management supervision and support, triage of referrals, undertaking assessments and therapy work, collating statistics and overseeing governance and service standards. They will be expected to uphold the ethos of the Aisling Centre.

Application packs are available to download on the website. Please click on the link below <http://www.theaislingcentre.com/index.php/vacancies/>

Date for receipt of completed applications is 5pm, Friday 18th July 2014

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The Clinical Co-ordinator position has received support (part-funding) from the Victims Support Programme for Groups Working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles, which is administered by VSS on behalf of the Office of the First and Deputy First Minister. The views expressed do not necessarily reflect those of the Victims and Survivor Service.

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Email: [info@theaislingcentre.com](mailto:info@theaislingcentre.com)

Web: [www.theaislingcentre.com](http://www.theaislingcentre.com)

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### **Presenters Positions – Avalon Relationship Consultants**

Would you like to receive advanced presentation training and then join one of Ireland's most progressive therapeutic companies?

Would you enjoy working with large groups of couples who trust **you** to help them prepare for marriage?

Would you like to earn **350** euro per course you run?

If this is you, and you're warm, funny and don't take yourself too seriously, we want to hear from you.

To apply to work as a presenter with Avalon Relationship Consultants, simply send us your CV and a 5 minute video (smart-phone video is just perfect) telling us your "5 rules for a Happy Marriage".

**Closing date is 31st July. Please email us at [info@avalonrc.com](mailto:info@avalonrc.com)**

For more about Avalon please visit [www.avalonrc.ie](http://www.avalonrc.ie) or telephone 01- 498 2242 and ask for David.

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### **Job Opportunity – Counselling Coordinator 15 hrs -Arklow / Bray, Co Wicklow**

Living Life Counselling are seeking an Accredited Counsellor (e.g. IAHIP, IACP or equivalent) to provide support to our team of volunteer counsellors.

You will have the responsibility to support our volunteers with the compliance and understanding of agency policy, practice and procedures. You are responsible for the intake of new clients and assessment as to their suitability for counselling within our service.

Working as part of a team you will be responsible for the placement of clients with counsellors, liaising with referrers and other external agencies. You will be one of the first points of contact for our clients and to this affect you must be informed on the nature of our business and the services we offer. Full training will be provided to the successful candidate.

The successful candidate will be an accredited counsellor. He/she will comply with the ethical standards of the centre and their accrediting body. The successful candidate will have excellent assessment and report writing skills. He/she will adhere to agency policy with regards to confidentiality and will need excellent communication skills and sound judgement. This position is supported by Pobal through the Community Support Programme and as such a candidate must be in receipt of a social welfare benefit e.g. jobseekers benefit, jobseekers assistance, one parent family or in receipt of disability allowance. The successful candidate must meet the Pobal criteria.

At Living Life Counselling, our mission is to provide affordable and professional counselling to persons on low income. The successful candidate will be an accredited counsellor and will be a member of IACP, IAHIP or equivalent.

This position is supported by Pobal through the Community Support Programme and as such a candidate must be in receipt of a social welfare benefit e.g. Jobseekers Benefit, Jobseekers Assistance, One Parent Family or in receipt of Disability Allowance. All candidates must meet the Pobal criteria.

**Interested applicants should contact Kirsty Kirkwood via email enclosing a cover letter and CV by Monday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2014 to [kirsty@livinglifecounselling.com](mailto:kirsty@livinglifecounselling.com).**

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### **Wellness Workshop, North & East Kerry – SOS**

SOS in partnership with the North & East Kerry Development is delighted to be hosting a Wellness Workshop on 18<sup>th</sup> July, **2014 in** Aras an Phobail Croilar na Mistealach Tralee, Co. Kerry this is a full day workshop running from **9.30am – 5pm with lunch included.**

If you or anyone you know would like to attend please **contact Jacqui on 1890 577 577 to book your FREE place.**

Please see below a brief outline of the Workshop:

The Wellness Workshop is a one day workshop that aims to help people understand, take charge of and responsibility for their own mental health. SOS is currently running a series of workshops throughout the country which are being offered free of charge to participants, thanks to our wonderful funders the National Office of Suicide Prevention, our Donors and our Fundraisers.

Our facilitators come from very diverse backgrounds including clinical psychology, motivational speakers, lived life experiences and trained therapists. They combine personal testimony with practical tools and tips that you can use in your everyday life to improve your own wellness.

Throughout the day the workshop will look at our thinking process, the wellness continuum, mindfulness, personality traits, and the wheel of change. This is all done in a very interactive non-intrusive and fun way.

Areas covered on the day include relaxation and stress management, understanding the relationship between thoughts and emotions, developing a wellness toolkit and daily plan.

Website: <http://www.suicideorsurvive.ie/>

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