

I WAS LOST

God calls us to care for the stranger in our midst; to protect orphans and widows; to 'act justly and love mercy' (Micah 6:8). How does this translate to the way we care in 21st century Britain?

Over the past 20 years refugees numbering hundreds of thousands have come to the UK, with many seeking asylum. As ongoing threat of violence and political instability in the Middle East (and beyond) continues, how can Christian nurses, doctors and other agencies rise to the challenge of meeting their physical and spiritual needs?

This one-day course offers an introduction to the key health, system, and spiritual problems faced by refugees and asylum seekers. The aim of the day is to equip Christian healthcare practitioners and others to respond to:

- common presentations encountered in daily practice within a UK health setting
- broader support needs within the community

The programme is practical and interactive, led by doctors, nurses and others working in this field.

The afternoon sessions are particularly relevant to a wider audience than healthcare professionals.

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PROGRAMME

SATURDAY 13 OCTOBER 10.00 Introductions and perspectives Fi McLachlan 10.20 Common physical and mental health presentations Andy Lephard 11.20 Break 11.45 An Introduction to Trauma, Toxic Stress & the Health Impacts of Severe Adversity Laura Wood Feedback/questions 12 45 Fi McLachlan 13.00 Lunch (food provided). Agencies in this area of work will be exhibiting information 14.00 Seminar Session 1. Choose from either: Transcultural psychiatry: the importance of the liminal phase in migration Bert Nanninga 2. Accessing support: signposting to necessary services Reynette Roberts 3. Journeying in faith Mohammed 14.45 Seminar Session 2. Choose from either: Destitution: denial of asylum - how to help Sr Ruth O'Neill 2. Health encounters - learning from refugees 15.30 Break

15 45

16.30

Plenary session
Panel/Ouestions

Close

CONTRIBUTORS

Andy Lephard

is a GP based in Bradford with a special interest in refugee and asylum seeker health.

Fi McLachlan

is head of CMF Global with a background of involvement in healthcare management and mission.

Bert Nanninga

is a Psychiatrist from the Netherlands with special interest in psychological trauma in refugees.

Sr Ruth O'Neill

belongs to an international group of Catholic Religious Sisters. Ruth has set up two projects in Cardiff giving priority to destitute asylum seekers. She is helping coordinate the Community Sponsorship of a family from Syria and is supporting a project in Calais.

Reynette Roberts

is the founder and director of Oasis Cardiff, a centre which works with both refugees and asylum seekers supporting them as they settle in Wales. The centre runs many activities including lunch, ESOL, an integration project, sports and women's sessions.

Laura Wood

is a paediatrician in Bradford specialising in the health needs of children in care and undertaking a PhD into the health needs of refugee, migrant & trafficked children in the care system.

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BOOKING FORM

Refugee & Asylum Seeker Health Course

13 October 2018

Ararat Baptist Church, Plas Treoda, Cardiff CF14 1PT

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SMALL GROUP CHOICES			
Session 1: Session 2: Reserve choice:			
VENUE			
Dietary requirements (including vegetarian):			

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PAYMENT

RATE		NO.	FEE
Qualified doctor	£40		
FY and retired doctors	£25		
Nurses & midwives	£25		
Allied health professionals	£25		
Students & unwaged	£10		
Charity workers (from 14.00)	* £15		
Total		£	

* This is a half day cost and does not include lunch Included is a non-refundable registration fee of £5.

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Cardiff

CF14 1PT

www.ararat.org.uk

Directions from Junction 32 of the M4

- 1. At Coryton Gyratory/Coryton Roundabout take the exit onto the A470 slip road to Cardiff/Caerdydd
- Merge onto Northern Ave/A470
- 3. At the fourth set of traffic lights turn right onto Cae Gwyn Rd
- 4. Ararat will be on your left.



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