

# **National Collaborative Forum for the Early Years Care and Education Sector (Early Years Forum)**

## **Agenda**

Bedford Hall Suite, Dublin Castle, Dame Street, Dublin 2.

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2017, 2:30- 5:30pm

1. Minutes from previous meeting (Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2017, St.Vincent's Early Childhood Development Service, Ballyfermot.)
2. Matters arising.
3. Updates/ recommendations from sub groups:
  - 3.1. 0-3 sub-group (Margaret Rogers)
  - 3.2. Irish language sub-group (Aoife Conduit)
  - 3.3. Professionalisation sub-group-to include discussion on code of ethics (Dr Mary Moloney/  
Ian McKenna)
  - 3.4. Communications sub-group (Michael Keenan)
4. Brief update from the Chair of the Child-minding working group. (Bernadette Burke)
5. Update on the Affordable Childcare Scheme and More Affordable Childcare 'Roadshow'. (Mark Considine/Eugene Waters)
6. EY Forum Priority Issues list update. (Michael Keenan)
7. Review of Membership.
8. Review of Terms of Reference.
9. Report on the Estimates workshop from previous meeting and discussion regarding the 2018 Estimates.
10. AOB.