Children, education and homelessness: getting it right

A half-day seminar on tackling disadvantage for children facing homelessness

Wednesday 2 March 2011, City Halls, Glasgow  9.15am–1pm
Every child has a right to a safe and secure home. But the unfit, cramped or dangerous conditions and temporary accommodation thousands of children in Scotland are growing up in poses a major threat to their well-being – including their educational achievement.

This half-day seminar marks the culmination of Keys to the Future, a three-year Shelter Scotland programme to tackle the worst effects on children's lives of bad housing and homelessness.

The event will also see the launch of online resources giving advice on how to support children whose learning is affected by housing problems. The resources were developed for the education sector in partnership with Children in Scotland.

Expert speakers will describe the positive influence of closer ties between the housing, homelessness and education sectors in improving outcomes for children in bad housing. The event will also consider the impact of proposed welfare reforms on struggling families. Delegates will have the opportunity to discuss and reflect on best practice and comment on recent developments.

This event is unmissable for:

- homelessness staff working in policy and frontline services
- professionals working in the education sector
- staff who support children and families affected by homelessness
- senior professionals in local authorities
- anyone involved in social work, health, education or housing strategy or provision
- policy staff in a range of organisations.

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VAT of 20% will be charged in addition

For each of our seminars Shelter sets aside a limited number of places for people who are service users who are or have recently been homeless or experiencing housing problems. We charge £20 for these places and they are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

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