

### **About URRÚS**

URRÚS (Irish for “strength” or “confidence”) was founded in 1996, by the Ballymun Youth Action Project, to provide training in relation to drug misuse. The training provided includes:-  
Community Addiction Studies Course©;  
Training for Trainers  
Drug Information & Awareness  
Process of Addiction  
Addiction & the Family  
Specially designed training packages tailored to the needs of particular groups/agencies  
Motivational Interviewing

### **Ballymun Youth Action Project**

The Ballymun Youth Action Project was established in 1981. The project offers a range of services on all aspects of drug misuse ranging from work with individuals, families and groups to education and training courses.

### **URRÚS**

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Studies Training Centre

A Ballymun Youth Action Project Initiative



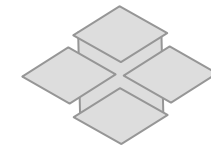
## **Advanced Introduction to Addiction Studies**

(1 day workshop)

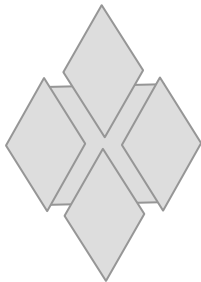
6<sup>th</sup> March 2012

**Facilitated by: –**

Noel O’Connor, URRÚS Trainer.



This workshop is for project workers and volunteers working with drug users. To participate fully in this workshop you must have a good knowledge of drugs, e.g. have completed the Introduction to Addiction Studies.



Advanced Introduction to  
Addiction Studies  
**Booking Form**

(BLOCK CAPITALS)  
**Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Current Employment:**  
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**Tel. No.** \_\_\_\_\_ (home)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (work)

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please give details of your current involvement in the drugs field: -**  
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**What do you hope to gain by participating in this training?**  
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**Cost:** Category 1 - €50. Booking Deposit €10 (non-refundable).  
Category 2 - Living/working in the Ballymun Local Drug Task Force Area €5 Registration Fee (non-refundable).

**All cheques must be made payable to  
Ballymun Youth Action Project**

To book a place on the workshop please complete this form and return it along with the booking deposit or registration fee to: -

URRÚS  
3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Horizons Centre  
Balcurris Road  
Ballymun, Dublin 11

Please select  if you do not wish to receive further information about our training.

**Advanced Introduction to  
Addiction Studies**

This workshop is for those who have a good understanding of substance use and who wish to further their learning about addiction related issues. Ideally participants will have completed the Introduction to Addiction Studies.

This workshop is designed to enable participants to: -

- ⇒ Understand and explain the different models of addiction
- ⇒ Define Harm Reduction
- ⇒ Discuss Harm Reduction
- ⇒ Describe Intervention

**Contents will include: -**

- ▶ Models of Addiction
- ▶ Harm Reduction
- ▶ Impact of Addiction on Community
- ▶ Interventions

All of the above will be covered using input and discussion.

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Addiction Studies**

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Dates: Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2012 2011

Times: 10:00am-4:30pm  
Registration at 9:45am

Venue: URRÚS / Ballymun Youth Action Project  
Horizons Centre  
Balcurris Road, Ballymun

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**Trainer:**  
Noel O'Connor B.A. M.A. (Addiction Studies).  
Noel is the URRÚS Trainer and has worked with various groups in the community and voluntary sector of the Drug and Alcohol field over the past eleven years.