

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

Ireland's Community Addiction Studies Training Centre

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URRÚS - Ireland's Community Addiction
Studies Training Centre

A Ballymun Youth Action Project Initiative

Injecting Drug Use (IDU) Harm Reduction Strategies (½ day workshop)

Wednesday 14th March 2012

Facilitated by: -

Noel O'Connor, URRÚS Trainer.



This workshop is for project workers and volunteers working in the drugs field. To participate fully in this workshop you need to have a good knowledge of drugs (types and effects).

IDU Harm Reduction Strategies

This workshop is designed to enable participants: -

- » To recognise why people inject.
- » Gain an understanding of the possible dangers and risks involved with injecting drug use.
- » Identify harm reduction measures and safer injecting methods.

Contents will include: -

- Injecting: -
 - Why Inject
 - Injecting technique
 - Injecting sites
- Health Risks: -
 - Blood borne viruses
 - Fungal and bacterial infections.
 - Vein and tissue damage, associated with IV use.
- Injecting equipment/paraphernalia.

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

Injecting Drug Use Harm Reduction Strategies (½ day workshop)

Dates: Wednesday 14th March 2012

Times: 10:00am-1:00pm
Registration at 9:45am.

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

Cost: - Category 1 - €30.00. Booking Deposit €10 (non-refundable).
Category 2 - Living/working in the Ballymun Local Drug Task Force Area €5 Registration Fee (non-refundable).

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.

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IDU Harm Reduction Strategies Booking Form

(BLOCK CAPITALS)

Name _____

Address _____

Current Employment:

Tel. No. _____ (home/mobile)
_____ (work)

Email. _____

Please give details of your current contact with drug use: -

What do you hope to gain by participating in this training?

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**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
3rd Floor, Horizons Centre
Balcurris Road, Ballymun
Dublin 11

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