

# Hear by Right Workshops

## Who the course is for:

For all staff interested in or delivering children and young people's participation, including key participation leaders and senior management.

## Aim of the course:

- To increase participants understanding of participation and why it is important
- To provide information about the *Hear by Right* standards framework and how to use the Participation Works *Hear by Right* Self-Assessment Tool

## Information about the course:

*Hear by Right* workshops are designed to raise awareness about participation and assist organisations and practitioners on how to use the Participation Works *Hear by Right* Self-Assessment Tool. The Tool helps individuals:

- Identify current participation practice in their organisation (with the involvement of children and young people)
- Create a strategic plan for improvement
- Record progress, which can be used for evidence and evaluation purposes when applying for funding

The workshops are designed around the *Hear by Right* participation standards framework developed by The National Youth Agency (NYA) to help organisations map their current level of children and young people's participation and create a strategic plan for improvement.

## Learning outcomes:

By the end of the workshops delegates will:

- Have better knowledge about how to improve children and young people's participation in organisations
- Find out effective ways to involve children and young people in the mapping and planning process
- Understand how to use the *Hear by Right* Mapping and Planning Self-Assessment Tool to develop a strategic plan for improvement

