On the anniversary of the first UK lockdown, this online conference will bring together national and international speakers to explore the wider impact of Covid-19 for families worldwide.

The event will also explore the lessons learned from research and will help to inform policy debates relating to children and families living through the pandemic.

This will be an opportunity to engage with the latest debates and research in this area, including policy and practice implications across the globe, whilst providing opportunities for attendees to network as part of the event. We have confirmed speakers from the University of Oxford (Key note by Dr Polly Waite, Principal Investigator of the Co-Space Study), and latest research from national and international perspectives, including findings from China, Canada, India, Ukraine, Israel, and the UK.

The conference is aimed at academics, professionals, policy makers and other stakeholders across the UK and internationally. The event is free of charge to be as inclusive as possible and considering the negative financial impact that the pandemic has had on organisations and individuals.

Register to attend on Eventbrite at: https://covid19summit.eventbrite.co.uk

Visit the summit webpage for speaker profiles and session abstracts.

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FAMILY EXPERIENCES AND LESSONS LEARNED
16 MARCH 2022

1.00 - 1.15 - FORMAL WELCOME
PROFESSOR CHARLES EGBU
Vice-Chancellor, Leeds Trinity University, UK

1.15 - 1.35 - KEY NOTE
DR POLLY WAITE
University of Oxford, UK
Tracking the mental health of children, young people and families through the Covid-19 pandemic: Findings from the Co-SPACE project

1.35 - 1.50 - DR MEENAKSHI SHUKLA
Magadh University, India
Young people’s worries during the Covid-19 pandemic: Cross-country similarities and difference

1.50 - 2.05 - DR YUWEI XU
University of Nottingham, UK
Understanding young children’s perspectives on and experiences of Covid-19 in China and the UK

2.05 - 2.20 - BREAK

2.20 - 2.35 - PROFESSOR HELEN MINNIS
University of Glasgow, UK
Exploring new models of learning: Lessons from the pandemic

2.35 - 2.50 - PROFESSOR CARMEN CLAYTON & RAFE CLAYTON
Leeds Trinity University and University of Leeds, UK
Family screen use during the pandemic

2.50 - 3.05 - YULIA SOBOL
Ukrainian Cultural Foundation, Ukraine
The effects of the Covid-19 pandemic on children’s everyday practices in Ukraine

3.05 - 3.20 - PROFESSOR JONATHON MAGUIRE & DR SHELLEY VANDERHOUT
University of Toronto and University of Ottawa, Canada

3.20 - 3.30 - CLOSING REMARKS

3.30 - 4.30 - GLOBAL CAFE