



**16th Annual Workshop**  
June 10-11, 2025 Liverpool, UK

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## PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

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### CHILD HEALTH INEQUALITIES IN A TIME OF POLITICAL CHANGES

#### WORKSHOP DAY 1: Tuesday, June 10, 2025

**Location: Tung Auditorium, University of Liverpool, Liverpool, UK**

8:30 Registration of participants

8:45 **Opening remarks**

**Session 1: Chair: David Taylor-Robinson**, Professor of Public Health and Policy, Liverpool University, Liverpool, United Kingdom

9:00 Clare Bamba, Professor of Public Health, Population Health Sciences Institute, Faculty of Medical Sciences, Newcastle University, UK  
*'Getting Better. The Policy and Politics of Reducing Health Inequalities'*  
(based on my forthcoming book <https://policy.bristoluniversitypress.co.uk/getting-better>)"

9:20 Questions and Discussion

9:30 Dame Margaret Whitehead, Emeritus W H Duncan Chair of Public Health, Department of Public Health, Policy and Systems in the Institute of Population Health at the University of Liverpool, UK  
*"The long and winding road": speaking up for children's health"*

9:50 Questions and discussion.

10:00 Sir Michael Marmot, Professor of Epidemiology at University College London, Director of the UCL Institute of Health Equity, London, UK – On-line  
*"Health Inequalities, Children and Young People"*

10:20 Questions and Discussion.

10:30 **Health Break** (juices and coffee)

## 10:45 **Panel**

- Clare Bamba, Professor of Public Health, Population Health Sciences Institute, Faculty of Medical Sciences, Newcastle University, UK
- Dame Margaret Whitehead, Emeritus W H Duncan Chair of Public Health, Department of Public Health, Policy and Systems in the Institute of Population Health at the University of Liverpool, UK
- Sir Michael Marmot, Professor of Epidemiology at University College London, Director of the UCL Institute of Health Equity, London, UK – On-line
- Professor Matt Ashton, Director of Public Health, Liverpool
- Another panelist?? TBC

## 11:30 **Tour of Posters #1**

## 12:00 **Group photo - location**

## 12:15 **Lunch**

## **Session 2:**

**Chair: Josie Dickerson**, Director - Better Start Bradford Innovation Hub and Bradford Inequalities Research Unit, Bradford, United Kingdom.

13:30 John Lynch, Professor of Epidemiology, Deputy Dean Research, School of Public Health, Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences, University of Adelaide, South Australia;

Rhiannon Pilkington, Associate Professor, Better Start Health and Development Research Group, University of Adelaide, South Australia University of Adelaide, South Australia

*'Better evidence for better outcomes for disadvantaged children: are RCTs the answer?'*

13:50 Questions and discussion.

14:00 Ruth Gilbert, Professor of Clinical Epidemiology, Population, Policy & Practice Department, University College London, UCL Institute of Child Health, London, UK  
*'Using administrative data across sectors and families to address inequalities'*

14:20 Questions and discussion.

14:30 Anna Pearce, Senior Research Fellow, School of Health & Wellbeing, University of Glasgow, UK  
*'Approaches to tackling health inequalities – a call for greater clarity (plus reflections for a Scottish Child Payment evaluation)'*

14:50 Questions and discussion.

15:00 **Health Break** (juices and coffee):

## 15:15 **Tour of Posters #2**

15:45 Leonie K. Elsenburg, Assistant Professor, Copenhagen Health Complexity Center, Department of Public Health, Faculty of Health Sciences, Copenhagen, Denmark  
*" Childhood adversity and early adult life and mortality"*

16:05 Questions and discussion.

16:15 Maria Melchior, Research Director, French National Institute of Health and Medical Research, (INSERM), Paris, France.

*"Social inequalities in children's mental health: what else is new?"*

16:35 Questions and discussion.

16:45 Special Event. INRICH new team, Josie Dickerson, Emmanuelle Arpin, Baltica Cabieses, Anna Price

17:15 End of Day 1

## **19:00 INRICH DINNER AND NETWORKING EVENT - Restaurant ...**

### **WORKSHOP DAY 2: Wednesday, June 11, 2025**

#### **Session 3:**

##### **Research from Low and Middle Income Countries**

**Chair: Anna Price**, Child Health Equity Scholar and Senior Research Fellow at Murdoch Children's Research Institute, Australia

9:00 Paul Wise, Professor of Child Health and Society, Professor of Health Policy and Senior Fellow at the Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies, Stanford university, CA, USA.

9:20 Questions and discussion.

9:30 Aluisio Barros, Professor of Epidemiology and Director of the International Center for Equity in Health, Universidade Federal de Pelotas, Brazil.

*"Achieving Health Equity: Slower Progress in Key Interventions in the SDG Period vs. the MDGs Makes Success Less Likely".*

9:50 Questions and discussion.

10:00 Baltica Cabieses, Social Epidemiologist and global public health researcher. Senior Lecturer, Universidad del Desarrollo, Chile.

*"Nurturing Resilience: Research on Healing and Well-being for Migrant Children in Latin America"*

10:20 Questions and discussion.

#### **10:30 Health Break (juices and coffee):**

#### **Session 3b: Students and PhD fellows**

11:00

11:10 Questions and discussion.

11:15

11:25 Questions and discussion.

11:40 **Tour of posters #3**

12:15 **Lunch**

**Session 4:**

**Chair: Emmanuelle Arpin**, Assistant professor, School of Public Health, University of Montreal.

13:30 Arjumand Siddiqi, Professor and Canada Research Chair in Population Health Equity at the Dalla Lana School of Public Health, University of Toronto, Canada.  
On-line.

*"Light on the Politics" Research on Child Health Inequalities Won't Do Any Longer"*

13:50 Questions and discussion

14:00 Sharon Goldfeld, Director, Centre for Community Child Health at the Royal Children's Hospital, Theme Director, Population Health at the Murdoch Children's Research Institute, Melbourne, Australia

*"Children with additional health and developmental needs: policy investment opportunity and implementation failure"*

14:20 Questions and discussion.

14:30 David's invited speaker from Liverpool. TBC

14:50 Questions and discussion

15:00 **Health Break** (juices and coffee)

15:30 **INRICH Business meeting**

The INRICH new team: Josie Dickerson, Emmanuelle Arpin, Baltica Cabieses and Anna Price will lead the meeting.

*All INRICH members are invited to participate. Non-members are also welcome.*

**16:30 Closing remarks:**

**Next year INRICH workshop will be held at -----**