



## Children thrive when families thrive

### *The focus:*

The importance of genuine engagement with families through a nurturing system that lifts and supports them.

### *Keynote Speaker:*

**Dr Robyn Mildon**, Executive Director - Centre for Evidence and Implementation; Knowledge Translation & Implementation, Melbourne

### *Speakers:*

**Professor Frank Bloomfield** - Liggins Institute

**Professor Susan Morton** - The University of Auckland

**Angie Tangaere** - The Southern Initiative

### *Host:*

Judy Bailey - Founding Trustee, Brainwave Trust Aotearoa

### *Who should attend?*

Child and whānau focused kaitiaki, professionals and policy advisors working in the education, health, social services and justice sectors.

### *Why come?*

- To understand what evidence says is effective for tamariki in our communities
- To learn about innovative practices you can incorporate into your work with whānau
- To explore what initiatives are likely to be effective while supporting whānau and children
- To understand the long term health and wellness impacts of early childhood development
- To hear about the latest findings in longitudinal research – ‘Growing up in New Zealand’

### **Dates:**

#### **Auckland:**

Tuesday 24 March  
Ellerslie Event Centre

#### **Wellington:**

Thursday 26 March  
Pipitea Marae and Function Centre

### **Cost (incl GST):**

#### **Early Bird:**

\$295 until 31 December 19

#### **Full Rate:**

\$375 incl

#### **Groups of 10 or more:**

\$295 per person

### **Closing Date:**

28th February 2020

### **To Register:**

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