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♥ 1 DAY INTENSIVE TRAINING ✿

# Love is the drug

BABIES, PARENTS & DRINK & DRUGS



13 MARCH 2009 ~ BATH

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## Workshop description



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This unique combination of presentations from two specialists, one in Infant Mental Health and one in Substance Misuse, brings together current thinking on the biochemical and psycho-social impact of maternal substance misuse.

### Attendees will learn about

- ♥ The direct effects of substance misuse in pregnancy.
- ♥ The implications for maternal mental health in the perinatal period.
- ♥ The interaction of factors which may influence the development of mother-infant attachment.

The workshop presenters will facilitate further discussion and exploration of related areas of practice and service development – assessments for court, accessing services and implementing recommendations following *Hidden Harm* (2003).

This workshop day would be suitable for a range of professionals including social workers, substance misuse workers, community paediatricians, commissioners of children's services, midwives and CAMH professionals.

## Location

Bath Royal Literary and Scientific Institution  
16-18 Queen Square, BATH,  
Bath and North East Somerset, BA1 2HN  
The building is situated on the west side of the square,  
in the centre of BATH.

[LINK TO STREETMAP](#)



## Love is the Drug with Shirley Gracias & Deborah Judge



**Dates** 13 March 2009 – full programme details to be confirmed

**Venue** Bath Royal literary and Scientific Institution

16-18 Queen Square, BATH, Bath and North East Somerset, BA1 2HN

**Refreshments** Tea and coffee breaks, buffet lunch provided

Special dietary requirements  please give details

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**Dr Shirley Gracias** – Consultant Child & Adolescent Psychiatrist with a special interest in Infant Mental Health.

Shirley is a Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist

working in Western Wiltshire. She has developed a special interest in Infant Mental Health over many years and has been active in leading the development of a service to young babies and their families.

Shirley is currently looking at the development of a perinatal service for parents and babies provided by CAMHS, AMHS and substance misuse services. In addition Shirley has experience of assessing attachment relationships and reporting to the Courts. Outside of the NHS Shirley is the Chair of the Association for Infant Mental Health (AIMH) UK. Shirley has lectured on Infant Mental Health locally, nationally and internationally.

**Dr Deborah Judge** – Consultant Child & Adolescent Psychiatrist with a special interest in substance misuse.

Deborah has been working as a CAMHS consultant psychiatrist for 8 years. She has specialised in the treatment of young people's substance misuse disorders over the last 5 years and practices in Bristol and Wiltshire. She is part of a national CAMHS psychiatrist group involved in developing this specialist area of work and its significant overlap with adolescent mental health problems. She has presented nationally and internationally at conferences on the topic. She is also trained in Equine Assisted Psychotherapy seizing occasional opportunities to engage young people in therapy, working with some excellent four-legged colleagues!

