Knowledge for Change

Data and research to inform policy making and strengthen children’s protection from violence

Sätra Bruk, Sweden 18-21 June 2012

Programme

Monday 18 June

Arrival and transport to Satra Bruk

19.30   Dinner

Tuesday 19 June

10:00   Registration of participants

12.30   Lunch

14:00   OPENING SESSION

- Ms. Ingela Thalen, Chairman of the Board of Directors
- Mr. Goran Holmstrom, Swedish Ministry of Health and Social Affairs
- Ms. Marta Santos Pais, SRSG on Violence against Children
- Presentation of moderators Trond Waage and Barbara Voors
14.30  **SESSION 1 – VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN – GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON RESEARCH AND DATA COLLECTION**

- Gaps in data and research: a global impression – Mr. Chris Mikton, WHO
- A global perspective: a multi-country study on child disciplinary practices – Ms. Claudia Cappa, UNICEF
  *Discussion*
- Cross-national indicators of child maltreatment, policy and legislation across the OECD – Ms. Maria Huerta, OECD
- Reflections from Africa – Mr. Assefa Bequele, Africa Child Policy Forum
  *Discussion*

16:00  Coffee & tea Break

16:30 – 17:45  **SESSION 2 – VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN – NATIONAL EVIDENCE**

- The Tanzania national study on violence against children – Ms. Ummy Mwalimu Deputy Minister, Community Development Gender and Children
- The US National Survey of Children Exposed to Violence – Mr. Chris Mikton, WHO
  *Discussion*
- Towards a national survey on Violence against Children – Ms. Bernadette Madrid, University of the Philippines, Child Protection Network Foundation
- Evidence from studies on violence against children – Ms Clara Sommarin, UNICEF
  *Discussion*

19.30  Dinner

**Wednesday 20 June**

09:00  **SESSION 3 – VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN IN SPECIFIC CONTEXTS: THE HOME, SCHOOLS, THE COMMUNITY AND PLACES OF WORK**

- The baby-shaking syndrome – Prof. Olof Flodmark, Karolinska Institute, Sweden
- Measuring the impact of legislation on violence against children in Sweden - Prof. Staffan Janson, Academy on the Rights of the Child, Obrero University
- The Learn without Fear campaign – Mr. Cesar Bazan, Plan International
  *Discussion*
- Film, video documentary about children and adolescents' homicides in Brazil
10.30  Coffee & tea break

11.00  **SESSION 4 – VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN IN SPECIFIC CONTEXTS**

- Violence against children in the community: Homicides – evidence from Brazil – Ms. Heloiza Egas, Human Rights Secretariat of the Presidency of Brazil
- Violence in place where children work – Mr. Bijoy Raychaudhuri, Project Director, Global Action Program on Child Labour Issues, International Labour Office

Discussion

**SESSION 5 – VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN IN EMERGING CONTEXTS: INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES – RISKS AND PROMISES**

- Child sexual abuse through images – Corinne Dettmeijer, Netherlands National Rapporteur on Trafficking in Human Beings and Sexual Violence against Children and Suzanne Heerdink, Office of the National Rapporteur

Discussion

12:30  Lunch

13:45  **SESSION 5 – CONTINUED**

- Bullying and threats via Internet and social media – Ms. Elisabeth Staksrud, University of Oslo, Norway
- Violence against children via new technologies – Ms. Tink Palmer, Director of Stop it Now UK & Ireland
- Evidence from Child helplines – Johan Martens, Child Helpline International

Discussion

15:15  Coffee & tea break

15:45 – 17:30  **SESSION 6 – ETHICAL CONSIDERATIONS ON INVOLVEMENT OF CHILDREN IN DATA COLLECTION AND RESEARCH**

- Building Capacity for Ethical Research with Children and Young People - Ms. Anne Graham, University of Australia
- Reporting on children’s views in Sweden – Mr. Frederik Malmberg, Ombudsman for Children, Sweden
- Manual on Child Led Data Collection (experience from Arab countries) – Ms. Dominique Sbardella, Save the Children

Discussion

18.30  Visit & Dinner
Thursday 21 June

09:00 SESSION 7 – INFORMING POLICY AND LAW - BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN KNOWLEDGE AND POLICY AND LEGISLATION

- Linking national data collection to the development agenda in the Caribbean region – Ms. Elizabeth Ward, Chair, Violence Prevention Alliance, Jamaica
- Building Partnerships: The example of the Violence Prevention Alliance – Mr. Chris Mikton, Violence Prevention Alliance
- Multi-stakeholder research networks – Claudia Cappa, UNICEF

Discussion

- The role of national institutions – Ms. Shirin Cziffra, Frmr Child ombudsperson. Mauritius / Mr. Giorgios Moschos, Ombudsman for Children, Greece

Discussion

10:30 Coffee & tea break

11:00 SESSION 8 – THE WAY FORWARD – AN AGENDA FOR THE NEXT FEW YEARS

Discussions, proposals and recommendations for future data collection and research on violence against children, moderated by Ms. Marta Santos Pais, SRSG on Violence against Children

12:30 End/lunch

13:30 Departure to Stockholm