

Tusla National Research Office

The Research Office is responsible for:

- Co-ordinating all research activity of Tusla Child and Family Agency;
- Establishing and maintaining relationships with all those engaged in research activities within Tusla and those within the wider research community including academic institutions, public and private research departments and independent researchers;
- Reviewing ethical standards of research proposals that affect Agency personnel, service users and their families;
- Contributing to Tusla's learning organisation objectives by strengthening the research capacity and skills of the workforce;
- Promoting a greater understanding of the relationship between research, information, knowledge and evidence by providing guidance and support to all disciplines which use and integrate research in their practice and those undertaking practitioner research and/or academic research;
- Ensuring that Tusla's research needs are addressed through the undertaking and commissioning of specific research studies;
- Providing a range of electronic-based resources to Tusla staff and the wider public to strengthen and build research capacity and skills.

'Research Empowerment'

The personal and collective capability and responsibility of all Tusla staff to ask basic research questions as an established component of their professional practice. All Tusla staff working within and contributing to such a culture see research as an activity which empowers themselves, empowers their colleagues and empowers all those they practice with leading to a cycle of reflection and knowledge creation.



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