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# The challenges of living in poverty and experiencing maltreatment on children's future

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## L'impatto della povertà e del maltrattamento nel futuro dei bambini

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## Session 1 – Plenary session: 9,00-11,30

- 9,00-9,30 Welcome and introduction  
Saluti e introduzione  
Francesco Gnesotto, Prorettore Vicario Università di Padova
- 9,30-10,00 **Vision and places: snapshots on outcomes**  
Vision e luoghi: frammenti sugli esiti  
Storia History, Marianne Berry, University of Hawaii, Usa  
Risultati Findings, Wendy Rose, Cardiff University, United Kingdom  
Reti Connections, Hans Grietens, University of Groningen, Netherlands
- 10,00-11,30 **Session 1 - Children in poverty Bambini in povertà**  
Coordinator: Anat Zeira, Hebrew University of Jerusalem and Haruv Institute, Israel
- Poverty, inequality and social exclusion  
Povertà, disuguaglianze ed esclusione sociale  
Gill Main, University of York, United Kingdom
- Tfiefy: a transatlantic forum for contrasting poverty  
Tfiefy: un forum transatlantico per lottare contro la povertà  
Marzia Sica, Compagnia di San Paolo, Italy
- In what ways might poverty contribute to maltreatment?  
In che modo la povertà può influenzare il maltrattamento?  
Marian Brandon, East Anglia University, United Kingdom

## Session 2 - Parallel sessions: 11:30 – 13:30

### Room 1 – Children's wellbeing Il benessere in età evolutiva

- Introduction Introduzione  
Cinzia Canali, Fondazione Emanuela Zancan, Italy
- Child Well-Being and the Impact of Poverty: Young People's Perspectives  
Il benessere nell'infanzia e l'impatto della povertà: il punto di vista dei ragazzi  
Colette McAuley, University of Bradford, United Kingdom

### Room 2 – Child Maltreatment Il maltrattamento all'infanzia

- Introduction Introduzione  
Patricia McNamara, La Trobe University, Australia
- Children in statutory care in New Zealand: Are they safe and secure?  
I bambini in carico allo stato nella Nuova Zelanda: sono al sicuro e protetti?  
Marie Connolly, University of Melbourne, Australia

The Crescere Longitudinal Study for assessing the wellbeing of children

Lo studio longitudinale Crescere per valutare il benessere dell'infanzia

**Giulia Barbero Vignola**, Fondazione Emanuela Zancan, Italy

Understanding Child Well-Being in the United States: The Child Well-Being Index

Capire il benessere dell'infanzia negli Stati Uniti: Il Child Well-Being Index

**Robin Spath**, University of Connecticut, Usa

Achieving long term family membership for children who need out-of-home care

Sentirsi in famiglia per i bambini che hanno bisogno di una presa in carico esterna alla famiglia di origine

**June Thoburn**, East Anglia University, Uk

Discussion and conclusions

Discussione e conclusioni

**Jane Aldgate**, University of Edinburgh, Uk

Maltreatment of Children with ADHD in Hong Kong and Family Centered Intervention

Maltrattamento di bambini con deficit di attenzione in Hong Kong e interventi familiari

**Joyce Ma**, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, China

Caring for maltreated children: the perspective of care leavers

La cura dei bambini maltrattati: il punto di vista di chi termina la presa in carico

**Carne Monserrat Boada**, University Girona, Spain

Going home: outcomes of reunification for maltreated children

Il rientro in famiglia: gli esiti della riunificazione per i bambini vittime di maltrattamento

**Nina Biehal**, University of York, Uk

Discussion and conclusions

Discussione e conclusioni

**Mark Ezell**, University of North Carolina, Usa

## Closing session - Plenary session: 14,30-17,00

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### **Session 3 – Children's future *Il futuro dei bambini***

Coordinator: **Elizabeth Fernandez**, University of New South Wales, Australia

The wellbeing of children in public care

Il benessere dei bambini nell'assistenza pubblica

**Ferran Casas**, University of Girona, Spain

The well being of children in an international perspective

Il benessere dei bambini in una prospettiva internazionale

**Asher Ben-Arieh**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Haruv Institute, Israel

Investing in childhood for growing life

Investire nell'infanzia per coltivare la vita

**Tiziano Vecchiato**, Fondazione Zancan, Italy

Conclusions

Conclusioni

**Fausta Ongaro**, Università di Padova, Italy

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