**3rd National Conference for Occupational Therapists**

**working in Diverse Settings**

**5th September 2018**

9.00-9.45 Registration and coffee and networking

9.45 am Welcome: Channine Clarke and Sarah Mead

10.00: Kate Sheehan- To Infinity and Beyond….Occupational Therapy and Entrepreneurship (www.theotservice.co.uk)

**11.00 Coffee**

11.30-11.50 Presentation 1 Enid Grennan: Working as an Occupational Therapist for people seeking asylum living in Home Office accommodation

11.50-12.10 Presentation 2 Mubenna Tarzi: From managing brain tumours to empowering children’s self-identity:  deciphering the role of paediatric occupational therapy in acute oncology.

12.10-12.30 Presentation 3 Tracy Szekely: The value of developing diverse practice placements at the University of Brighton.

**Lunch and networking**

1.45pm: Workshop: Luci Carnall-Moore: ‘Creating Community Corners’

**2.45: Tea**

2.50-3.10: Presentation 4 Helen Coombes and Amy Dickens: Supporting students as a Mental Health Advisor at Nottingham University

3.10-3.30 Presentation 5 Amanda Brodala : Working as a Best Interest Assessor (for the Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards)

3.30- 3.50 Presentation 6 Claire Gough and Claire Hines – Working as part of a Carers Health Team

3.50: COPOTDS Website

4.15 pm: Close and evaluation of the day.