# Implementation Network of Ireland and Northern Ireland (1/2)

*Purpose :* *to promote and share learning about effective implementation of policy and practice within and across the health, education, social care and related sectors, in Ireland and internationally.*

**Origins**

- Established in 2011, and now in its **6th year.  11 meetings** of the network to date

- **Steering Group**, established in 2012, advises on future development of the Network

- Network is coordinated by the Centre for Effective Services [www.effectiveservices.org](http://www.effectiveservices.org)

**Membership**

- Currently **100 members**, including senior policy makers, service providers, practitioners and researchers in Ireland and Northern Ireland – **Looking to strengthen the 'researcher' member base and members in Northern Ireland**
- Significant number of members attended the Global Implementation Conference (GIC) in 2011 and/or 2013 in Washington D.C. and in Dublin in 2015.
- **Membership is free,** and **benefits** include:
  - Access to latest developments in the field of Implementation Science;
  - Increased knowledge of implementation concepts;
  - Peer support with you own implementation efforts;
  - Links with members of the international, national and local Implementation Science community.

# Implementation Network of Ireland and Northern Ireland (2/2)

## Activities

- **2 Network meetings per year**, including case studies, connections to real world practice, Q&A sessions, and networking opportunities

- **2 Learning Communities** – (1) Schools-based implementation & (2) Area-based implementation

- Next meeting of the Network on **23rd November, 2016 in Belfast**.

To **join the Implementation Network**, email office@effectiveservices.org or kburke@effectiveservices.org

# European Implementation Collaborative

EUROPEAN IMPLEMENTATION COLLABORATIVE

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www.implementation.eu

- Launched in **2015** at the Global Implementation Conference in Dublin

- Aims to engage a broad range of individuals and organisations to build links in the field of implementation science and practice **within Europe**.

- **Members connect mostly via social media** – EIC website, twitter, linkedin

- **Events** listed online - members can leave a comment and link in with other European Implementation Collaborative members who may be attending.

- Dedicated online **resource catalogue** of freely available implementation focused materials, tagged by sector, theme and type.

- **Membership is (currently) free**

- **EIC General Assembly** taking place on 27 September 2016 in London during the What Work Works Global Summit 2016  – open to all members.

- **Sign up** online at http://www.implementation.eu/

## Global Implementation Conference (GIC) – Toronto, June 19-21, 2017

# *4th biennial Global Implementation Conference*

- **Theme:** Expanding Implementation Perspectives: Engaging Systems

- **Hosted by** Global Implementation Initiative (GII) in partnership with the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto

- **Abstracts** to be submitted by October 17th, 2016