



**STUDY DAY:
THE PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL ASPECTS OF
DISFIGUREMENT**

**Tuesday 23rd November 2010
10.00 – 1630**

The Institute of Health and Social Care Studies

Changing Faces is offering this one-day study day to enable health and social care professionals to:

- **Explore the psychological and social difficulties posed by a changed appearance resulting from disfiguring conditions either congenital or acquired**
- **Discuss how assumptions, beliefs, attitudes and language surrounding visible difference can influence communication**
- **Understand how the *Changing Faces*' psycho-social model supports children, young people and adults who have a changed appearance, and their families**
- **Examine how this model can be adapted to a hospital or community setting**
- **Learn how to equip patients and their families with a range of communication skills and coping strategies for dealing with difficult social situations**

“Excellent course, many thanks”

“Thank you – a very informative day, great opportunity to network too”

The course is designed for any health or social care professional who works with children, young people or adults. It is suitable for doctors, nurses, occupational therapists, physiotherapists, speech and language therapists and social workers etc.

To apply please complete an IHSCS “Training Events Booking Form” and return to The Training Administrator, Institute of Health and Social Care Studies, Rue Mignot, St Martins.

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