

Mayo Education Centre
in association with
Mayo Children's Initiative

**Introduction to the
"Protective Behaviour" (PB) Programme**

For Primary & Post-Primary Teachers

Topics to be addressed:

- Providing all children with a safe, secure and caring environment is the direct responsibility of parents, the school system and the community as a whole
- Being safe is not about teaching children self defense; it is about teaching them through knowledge, examples and preventative measures
- One of the best ways of keeping children safe is to implement and maintain a 'Protective Behaviour' which gives all children safety measures and procedures which may result in saving their lives or the lives of other children

**Please note that there are 2 venues to choose from,
Castlebar or Belmullet.**

Dates:

Mayo Education Centre - Monday May 10th 2010

Broadhaven Bay Hotel, Belmullet - Tuesday May 11th 2010

Time: 7pm - 9pm

Refreshments will be provided

Travel expenses will be paid to teachers in accordance with Department of Education and Science Regulations

This course is free to teachers

Facilitator:

Helen Mortimer, B.A., M.A. is Manager of the Mayo Children's Initiative (MCI), a groundbreaking Initiative working to support children living with domestic violence and family conflict. MCI is the first Irish-based project to put the needs and rights of children living with domestic violence centre stage. MCI has completed delivery of the PB Programme in Inver N.S., and in St. Brendan's and Our Lady's post-primary schools in Belmullet and it is currently being delivered in Scoil Raifteirí and Davitt College.

This is an opportunity to learn about the PB Programme and request delivery in your school.

Booking

Contact Mayo Education Centre at 094 90 20700