

DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP & DIGITAL SAFETY WORKSHOP

for Early Childhood Educators

WHEN: Tuesday July 3rd 2018 4-6pm
WHERE: Room 1, Education Centre, Timaru Hospital

Developing Capable, Confident and Caring Cyber Citizens ..A Whole Centre Approach..

Education centres are increasingly challenged by the complexities of preparing much younger children for the digital world. Boundaries are becoming blurred between life online and offline, and much younger children are increasingly online in shared spaces with adults and teens. In this interactive session with Netsafe you will explore strategic oversight of digital citizenship/online safety preparation, and pragmatic approaches and resources to take back to your own centre so you can review and plan your next steps.

The session will touch on the following:

- **Digital Citizenship** – what is it and what's needed (Netsafe's positioning based on research)
- **Whose responsibility** – the education centre; child involvement; community involvement
- **How can staff pragmatically address needs?** Weaving in your centre's values, frameworks (Te Whāriki curriculum) and using a wide variety of available resources
- **Harmful Digital Communications Act** - Briefly review the Act and discuss online incidents or challenges that may surface within the ECE context.
- **Staff wellbeing and safety** - in relation to online environments, digital devices and ethical responsibilities.

Facilitator: Anjie Webster 

Anjie Webster is an Education Advisor at Netsafe and has worked in schools for over 25 years. She has taught across all school sectors from ECE to Secondary, and has held a variety of leadership roles. She recently completed her M.Ed. with a focus on children, young people and privacy, and what's needed to navigate and manage challenges and opportunities in online spaces.



To register: email your contact details and name of the workshop to ally.pieromaldi@cdhb.health.nz or phone Ally on 687 2606

RSVP: By Friday 22 June 2018