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Getting the 'Right' Youth Justice

...engaging with the findings of
the review of the Youth Justice
System in Northern Ireland

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Aim

To bring key stakeholders together to examine and debate the findings of the Review of the Youth Justice System in Northern Ireland and collectively develop the way forward towards a child rights compliant youth justice system.

Objectives

The conference offered participants the opportunity to:

- Inform themselves of the findings of the Review of the Youth Justice System in Northern Ireland
- Hear directly from young people with experience of the youth justice system as to what they believe needs to happen in relation to youth justice
- Hear the views of key stakeholders in relation to youth justice
- Develop an understanding of the key issues in relation to the Review of the Youth Justice system in Northern Ireland from a children's rights perspective
- Explore in greater depth a number of critical themes in relation to youth justice
- Network with a range of stakeholders from across government, statutory agencies, elected representatives, community and voluntary organisations, practitioners and young people.