

Families Affected by Parental Mental Illness

***Do you have a mental illness?
Do you know someone with a mental illness?
And CHILDREN are involved?
Parents with a mental illness, their children and
other family members have their own needs and issues***

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FORUM**

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5.30pm to 7.00pm

St Paul's Anglican

Grammar, Middle School

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Come and hear Professor Joanne Nicholson, a world renowned expert in this area and hear, from local workers, what supports are available in the community

Guest Speaker:

Professor Joanne Nicholson, Ph.D.

Joanne Nicholson, Ph.D. has been a clinical and research psychologist for over 25 years. She is Professor of Psychiatry at the University of Massachusetts Medical School (UMMS), and directs the Child and Family Research Core of the UMMS Centre for Mental Health Services Research.

Dr. Nicholson has established an active, consumer based program of research on parents with mental illness and their families. Her team of researchers, providers and consumers is developing education and skill training materials for parents, integrating the current knowledge and program evaluation through the pilot Family Options program.

