



Friday, 18th October 2024

Dear Colleagues,

I am writing to you in my capacity as Chair of Social Care Ireland.

Social Care Ireland is the representative body for Social Care Workers, Managers and Educators in Ireland and we are delighted to inform you that we are presenting our Annual Conference in Dundalk in April 2025.

As a Charity, we rely greatly on sponsorship to support our Conference and keep ticket prices at a reasonable cost for our delegates. We are grateful for all contributions by our Sponsors over the years. Currently there are approximately 10,000 people who work in the Social Care Sector in Ireland, which makes us the largest Health & Social Care Professional grouping in the country.

Our Annual Conference takes place on the 2nd and 3rd of April 2025, in the Fairways Hotel, Dublin Road, Haggardstown, Co. Louth, Dundalk. We anticipate approximately 350 people will attend this Conference, and it is an opportunity for you to present the services that you offer to a broader audience.

Below are the options available for Sponsorship:

Tea/Coffee break (each)	€300
Keynote Speaker Travel + Accommodation	€350
Drinks Reception (Wednesday evening)	€350
Two Awards -Student Award & Outstanding Achievement Award	€350
*Exhibition Stand for Private Providers (this includes lunch for two people per day)	€500
*Exhibitors stand for Charities (this includes lunch for two people per day)	€100

**Accommodation is not included you need to book this directly with the hotel*

If you choose the option to take any Sponsorship over the amount of €600, you will automatically have the opportunity to host an Exhibitor Stand at no extra cost. Alternatively, should you choose an option less than €600, the Stand will cost an extra €500.

What do you get for your sponsorship?

We have digitalised our Delegate Pack and exhibitors have the option of having their promotional material included, should they so wish (this information is required at least two weeks prior to the event).



All exhibitor's promotional material will be included in an online booklet which will be uploaded to the Social Care Ireland website and forwarded to delegates prior to the conference, ensuring visibility by delegates and visitors to the Social Care Ireland website.

If you decide to sponsor a Tea/Coffee break and/or the Drinks Reception this sponsorship will be advertised at the Tea/Coffee Stations and/or the Gala Dinner accordingly.

Both the Student and Outstanding Achievement awards comprise of engraved Newbridge Silver Plates which are sourced by Social Care Ireland once the Award recipients have been chosen.

I thank you for your time in your attention to this matter and please contact socialcareirelandcon@gmail.com or cpd@socialcareireland.ie should you wish to avail of one of the above options or if you have any further questions.

Yours sincerely

Leon Ledwidge
Chair