

Getting Started - Programme

Saturday 9 November 2024 - 11am-5pm

The Hercules, Lambeth, 2 Kennington Road, London, SE1 7BL



Overview

During the day you will hear from a range of parents who have used egg, sperm or double donation. They include those who had treatment in the UK and abroad and are in different family situations, reflecting the attendees as much as we can. We will also hear from an embryologist to answer your more medical questions and donor conceived adults will share their experiences. Lunch is not included but can be ordered separately on the day.

Time	Activity
11am	Registration, coffee and biscuits
11.15am	Welcome and introductions
11.30am	Ask an embryologist Venessa Smith, embryologist at Guys and St Thomas', will be explaining more about the clinical side of things with plenty of time for questions afterwards.
1.00pm	Comfort break
1.10pm	Choices and challenges How you might be feeling and things to consider
1.30pm	Lunch & discussion in small groups
2.45pm	Parent panel Sharing their routes to parenthood followed by Q&A - includes different family situations and where they have used: anonymous donation abroad, egg donation, sperm donation, double donation
3.15pm	Break
3.45pm	DC adult presentation Sharing their experiences followed by Q&A
4.15pm	Final thoughts and words - including how DCN can help
4.30pm	Tea and cake
5pm	End

Booking queries: **020 7278 2608** or events@dcnetwork.org

Last minute queries on the day: **07503 567 212**