

Speaker Biography

Kevin Chesters

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After studying Social Work at Keele University Kevin worked on the Younger Persons Physical Disability and Sensory Team at Stoke on Trent City Council. He helped to develop personalised care services to empower people to manage their own support and helped with the implementation of carers legislation and the development of personalised support for carers. For the past ten years he has worked at the Douglas Macmillan Hospice in Stoke on Trent and has led on projects to improve support for patients in advance care planning and developing volunteer support for people at end of life and those caring for them. He is Midlands Regional Representative for the Association of Palliative Care Social Workers.

