

Updating *Aistear* Development Group Meeting

11 March 2024

Agenda Item	Notes
1. Minutes and matters arising	The Chairperson welcomed members to the meeting. Minutes were approved and there were no matters arising.
2. Introduction to Data Analysis	The Executive provided an overview of the data collection and analysis from Phase 2 of the Consultation on Updating <i>Aistear</i> including reaching out to seldom heard voices.
3. Phase 2: Findings from the Focus Groups	Presentation from Dr Jennifer Pope, (Mary Immaculate College, Limerick) on the analysis of the data from the Focus Groups held during Phase 2 of the Updating <i>Aistear</i> Consultation. This was followed by small group discussion and feedback.
4. Phase 2: Findings from the Questionnaires	Presentation from the Executive, on the analysis of the data from the questionnaires submitted during Phase 2 of the Updating <i>Aistear</i> Consultation. This was followed by small group discussion and feedback.
5. Phase 2: Findings from the On-line Submissions	Presentation from Dr Mary Moloney, (Mary Immaculate College, Limerick) on the analysis of the data from the written submissions received during Phase 2 of the Updating <i>Aistear</i> Consultation. This was followed by small group discussion and feedback.
6. Phase 2: Consultation with Babies, Toddlers and Young Children	Presentation from, Dr Carmel Ward, (Early Childhood Ireland) on Phase 2 of the Consultation with Babies, Toddlers and Young Children. This was followed by discussion and feedback.
7. Terminology Carousel	Presentation from the Executive on terminology that requires further consideration before finalising the Updated <i>Aistear</i> . This was followed by small group discussion and feedback.
8. Next Steps	The Executive provided an overview of the next steps for the draft updated <i>Aistear</i> document.
9. AOB	Next meeting is scheduled for 15 April 2024

