



**SPOTLIGHT
ON
DOMESTIC & SEXUAL
VIOLENCE**

3rd March

10am - 4.00pm

Strangford Arms Hotel

The Conference

Domestic Violence is a serious and widespread problem with devastating consequences for victims and families. In Northern Ireland the PSNI responded to 31,682 domestic abuse incidents in 2018 - 2019 and over the past 10 years there have been 55 homicides as a result of domestic violence.

The aim of the conference is to increase delegates understanding of domestic violence so that they can respond appropriately and work together to better support and protect victims and their families.

The event will:

- Provide information on recent and proposed initiatives being undertaken in Northern Ireland across agencies in relation to domestic violence.
- Highlight findings from the Domestic Homicide Review process in England.
- Hear from experts in Stalking and Non-Fatal Strangulation

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE &
ABUSE DISCLOSURE
SCHEME**

IRIS

DOMESTIC HOMICIDE REVIEWS

STALKING

**PROMOTING POSITIVE
RELATIONSHIPS
Programme**

NON-FATAL STRANGULATION

**COERCIVE
CONTROL**

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

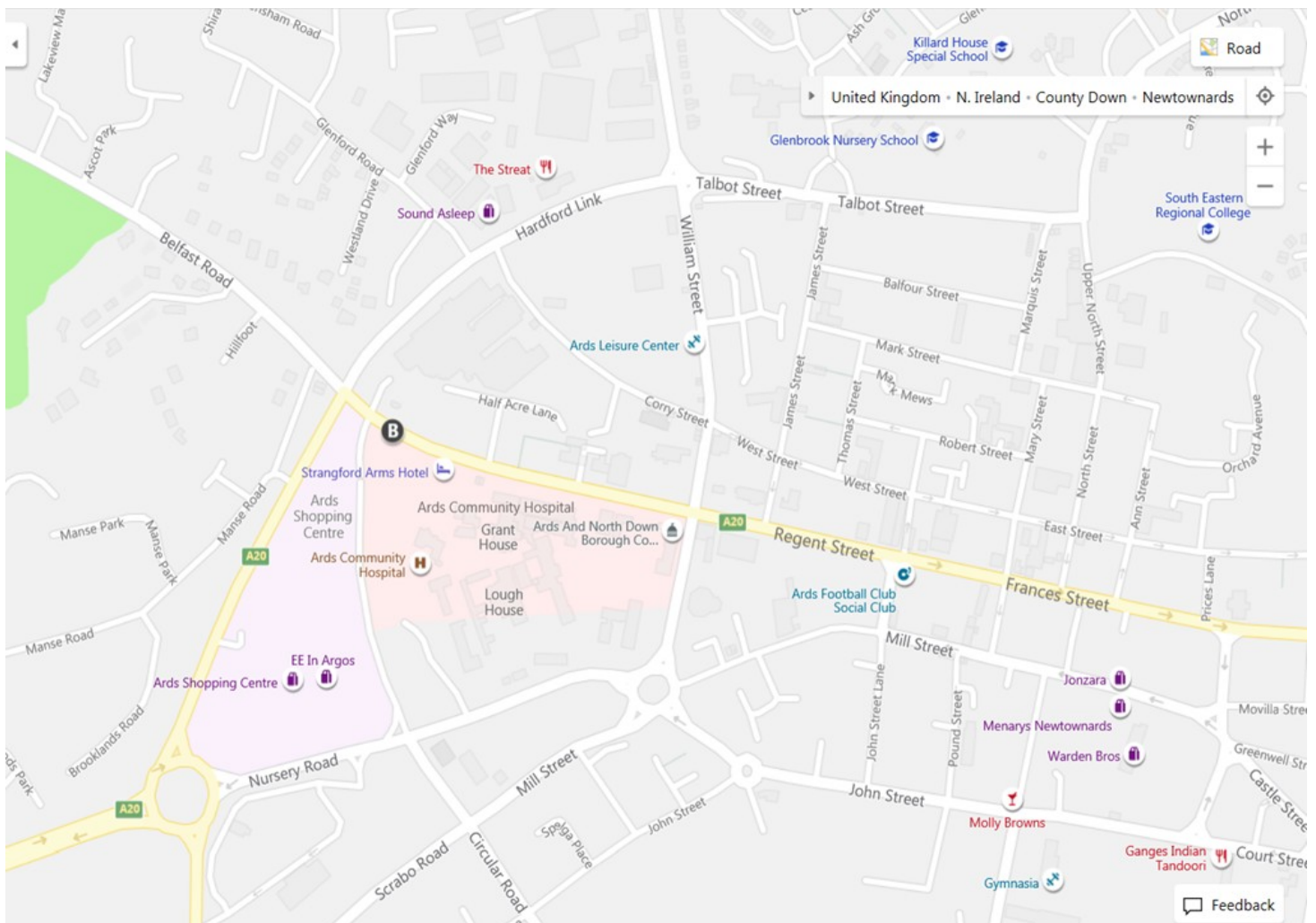
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9.30 am	REGISTRATION & COFFEE
10.00 am	Welcome, Sheila Simons, Chair, SED&SVP
10.05 am	Opening Address, Nigel Edmund, Chair, North Down & Ards PCSP
10.10 am	Superintendent Brian Kee, District Commander, PSNI, Ards & North Down
10.20 am	Lisa Trueman, Department of Health, IRIS Pilot
10.30 am	Farah Yusuf, Forensic Physician, Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust, Non-Fatal Strangulation
11.00 am	Caroline Conway, PPS, Non-Fatal Strangulation
11.20 am	BREAK
11.40 am	Emma Crozier, Department of Justice
11.50 am	Clive Ruggles "My Daughter Alice"
1.00 pm	LUNCH AND NETWORKING
2.00 pm	Lucy Kay, "Understanding Stalking"
3.15pm	Ruth McKelvey, PBNI Promoting Positive Relationships Programme
3.30pm	DI Adrian Keon, Domestic Violence & Abuse Disclosure Scheme
4.00 pm	CLOSE



VENUE:

**Strangford Arms Hotel,
92 Church Street, Newtownards,
Co. Down, Northern Ireland, BT23 4AL**



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