

ICDP FINLAND REPORT YEAR 2018

The ICDP association in Finland looks back upon an active year:

The level of activity is especially remarkable considering that nobody is employed by the ICDP Finland association; all work is voluntary.

First, we are happy to announce that we launched our new web site, where the programme is being presented in Finnish and Swedish (both national languages in Finland).

During 2018, ICDP Finland was part of a national project with NGOs, thus increasing the visibility of the programme. In addition, there were four caregiver level training processes in different parts of the country with 49 people from day care, child protection and different NGO workers.

Slowly but surely the programme is catching on even in these northern spheres.

ICDP Finland also hosted the Nordic countries board meeting and arranged a network meeting for 16 ICDP trainers.

One of the events keeping us really busy lately is preparing for the biannual Nordic ICDP networking conference, which will be held 9-10th of May 2019 in Espoo, Finland.

This is the first time ICDP Finland will host the Nordic conference so we have a lot to learn.

ICDP in Turku

A totally engaged group of professionals completed their basic course in ICDP in Turku, Finland.

Participants came from both North and South of Finland and from different professional arenas: school, day care, social family work and mother-infant rehabilitation.