



# Deinstitutionalisation - A Clear Future Policy Direction for Europe



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***Tuesday June 28, 12:00— 13:30 pm***  
***Room A5F 385***

**Mairead McGUINNESS MEP**

has the pleasure to invite you to join the launch of:



***Forgotten Europeans -  
Forgotten Rights***

OHCHR study on the international and European human rights standards relevant to the situation of persons in institutions (institutional care, deinstitutionalisation and alternative care)



***At Home  
or in a Home ?***

UNICEF report providing an overview of the major trends and concerns about children in formal care and institutions as well as adoption in Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia, including Romania and Bulgaria.

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**Agenda:**

- Opening remarks by Mairead McGUINNESS MEP
- Presentation of the OHCHR report
- Presentation of the UNICEF report
- Intervention by MEPs: Mariya NEDELICHEVA and Kinga GAL
- Representatives of the European Commission
- Representative of European De-Institutionalisation Expert group

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