

Safeguarding Adults and Domestic Abuse

Level 1 & 2 - 2 Day Course

Who should attend?

All staff that have contact with a person who might be considered an 'Adult at Risk' (Two day course). Those working within Domestic abuse services would benefit from day two of the training. For further information email: safeguarding_training@durham.gov.uk

Aim

For participants to have an increased awareness of safeguarding adults processes and procedure in relation to Domestic Abuse, including how to recognise and report abuse, Domestic Abuse referral process and the role of the Alerter.

Day 1: Basic Domestic Abuse Training and referral routes in County Durham

Day 2: The relationship between Safeguarding Adults, Domestic Abuse, MAPPA, MARAC, SARC and other Durham based resources and the decision making process for referral.

Outcomes

By the end of this session participants will:

- Be alert to the signs and symptoms of domestic abuse
- Have an understanding about who is an 'adult at risk' and who may require the support of domestic abuse services
- Be able to identify the different categories of domestic abuse
- Be clear about the roles and responsibilities of the 'Alerter' and their importance within the referral process in dealing with and passing on information regarding potential domestic abuse
- Have a raised awareness of Safeguarding Adults issues in relation to domestic abuse
- To have an understanding of referral routes to outreach services and other Durham based resources
- To have a raised awareness of the MARAC and MAPPA process and referral routes.
- To raise awareness of MAPPA, MARAC and SARC
- To identify and understand appropriate communication in relation to domestic abuse and the Safeguarding Adults process

Delivery

This training programme will contain a combination of teaching input:

- Powerpoint slides
- Videos
- Case studies
- Form completion
- Experiential learning
- Peer discussion
- Question and answers
- Quizzes and questionnaires
- Handouts and links

Training Materials

- Copy of presentation / slides
- Video
- Flow charts of safeguarding process
- Risk Support Tool
- Handouts – Relevant policies and procedures
- Quiz to reflect on learning
- Case studies and questions
- Useful contact details

To Book

Staff from Durham County Council—nominations should be made via the Supervision and Appraisal Section of SSID. The course SSID ID's are level 1 **23638** and level 2 **23639**.

For those **not on SSID** please email safeguarding_training@durham.gov.uk or complete and return the training application form.