

# Kent and Medway Safeguarding Adults 2020-2021



## **Multi-agency safeguarding adults training:**

### **Domestic abuse workshop including a focus on stalking and harassment, harmful practices, female genital mutilation (FGM) and honour-based crime**

#### **One-day workshop – delivered over two half-day sessions**

The training has been agreed and is commissioned by the Kent and Medway Safeguarding Adults Board, and is developed as part of an integrated programme of development for staff from statutory partner agencies. Each agency provides its own introductory safeguarding adults training, as well as other associated learning. Contact your agency's lead for learning and development to discuss available training relevant for your role.

This course is primarily for those staff with responsibility for direct practice in safeguarding. As safeguarding is integral to all work, it is important that delegates who attend the course have the agreement and support of their line manager and that adequate cover for attendee's absence has been arranged.

#### **Coronavirus COVID-19 update**

Whilst face to face training is not possible, facilitated online training sessions have been designed, enabling delegates to participate through a video conferencing platform, which will ensure training is interactive, practical and relevant to practice.

The Domestic Abuse workshop will be delivered across two half-day remote training sessions of 3 hours each, with built-in breaks. Where these take place on different dates, delegates must be able to attend both dates with the same group.

Course workbooks will be e-mailed in advance, along with detailed instructions for participants, including any preparation which may be required.

## Workshop dates

**This course will be delivered across two half-day remote training sessions of 3 hours each, with built-in breaks**

**Participants must be able to attend both sessions with the same group**

Morning sessions will run from 9.30am to 12.30pm

Afternoon sessions will run from 1.30pm to 4.30pm

Group one	Tues 8 September 2020 - pm	Session one
	Thurs 10 September 2020 - pm	Session two
Group two	Tues 29 September 2020 - am	Session one
	Weds 30 September 2020 - am	Session two
Group three	Tues 6 October 2020 - pm	Session one
	Tues 13 October 2020 - pm	Session two
Group four	Thurs 19 November 2020 - am	Session one
	Tues 24 November 2020 - am	Session two
Group five	Weds 2 December 2020 - am	Session one
	Thurs 3 December 2020 - am	Session two

## Who this course is for

Those with some experience and knowledge of safeguarding and who have completed their agency basic training. Delegates wishing to book a place should ensure the training is appropriate for their role and ideally the training need will have been identified in discussions with their manager.

## Learning objectives

1. Delegates will be given an understanding of the reality of domestic abuse (DA), female genital mutilation (FGM), stalking and harassment, harmful practices, and honour-based crime, including the legal framework of domestic abuse using examples of case law
2. Training will look at the impact of domestic abuse on adults, children and the whole family
3. Signs and indicators that domestic abuse is taking place will be highlighted, including coercion and control
4. The course will explore situational capacity
5. There will be a focus on conducting a safe enquiry and staff making Multi-agency Risk Assessment Conference (MARAC) referrals

6. The local perspective relating to domestic abuse in Kent and Medway will be featured, including local reporting mechanisms
7. Collaborative working, family focus, information sharing and professional curiosity will also be discussed

The course will make use of the Kent and Medway multi-agency protocol documents for dealing with cases of domestic abuse and to safeguarding adults who are at risk of exploitation.

Use will be made of current research to ensure interventions are effective as well as best practice. Learning from Safeguarding Adults Reviews (SARs) will be included, and case examples will be used to adopt a strength based collaborative working approach. How and when to escalate cases will be considered.

**Training facilitator:        LCS Limited**

This training is commissioned by the Kent and Medway Safeguarding Adults Board (KMSAB), and delegates will be asked to work alongside colleagues from other professional backgrounds to ensure a multi-agency perspective.

To book a place, please use the online booking form available from the following website: <http://www.kent.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/information-for-professionals/training-and-development#tab-2>

For further information please contact the KMSAB training administrator via e-mail: [multiagencytraining@kent.gov.uk](mailto:multiagencytraining@kent.gov.uk)

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