Domestic Abuse and Safeguarding Children

Background
The trauma that children experience when they witness domestic violence in the home plays a major role in their development and physical well-being, effects of which can last into adulthood. Parents or carers may underestimate the effects of the abuse on their children because they don’t see what’s happening but a child witnessing domestic abuse is recognised as 'significant harm' in law. Domestic abuse can also be a sign that children are suffering another type of abuse or neglect (Stanley, 2011).

Learning Outcomes
At the end of this training participants will be able to:
• Define domestic abuse considering its breadth and manifestations
• Identify the impact of domestic abuse on parenting capacity.
• Link the effects of domestic abuse on a child’s welfare and development.
• Use relevant knowledge in effective engagement with families where domestic abuse is an issue.
• Identify the multi-professional roles in meeting the needs of children and families affected by domestic abuse.
• Understand local support and safeguarding procedures for those affected by domestic abuse and their children.

Level 2

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Duration  Full day
09:15  Registration
09:30  Start
16:30  Finish

Dates and Venue
Thursday 20/06/19
Jo Newman Suite, Lynton House, Ilford

Tuesday 17/03/20
Committee Room 2, Town Hall

For notes on training fees and cancellation policy, please click here.