

Child Protection Conferences and the Strengthening Families Approach

Background

Recognising that working in partnership with families and multi agency planning is paramount to the effectiveness of protecting children and assessing and providing for their needs. A Child Protection Conference is a multi-agency meeting to decide if children are at risk of significant harm and if so to recommend a Child Protection Plan. Using a Strengthening Families Approach, this one-day course is for all practitioners and managers who may be required to attend a Child Protection Conference. It will be particularly beneficial to those who are developing their experience in this area.

Learning Objectives

By the end of the course participants will:

- Develop skills to be able to contribute to effective outcome focused planning to safeguard children
- Understand their individual roles as part of the conference and Core Group and how to contribute effectively
- Know the required preparation needed for attending a Strengthening Families model of conferencing
- To use a Strengthening Families Approach to confidently describe the safeguarding needs of children and young people including those from culturally and racially diverse backgrounds.

Level 2/3

Trainer

Melanie Phillips

Wednesday 25/11/20

ONLINE (long course)

12:45	Registration
13:00	Start
17:00	Finish

Thursday 14/01/21

CLASSROOM (full day)

09:15	Registration
09:30	Start
16:30	Finish

[Committee Room 2, Redbridge Town Hall](#)

