

# 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

For notes on training fees and cancellation policy, please click [here](#).

## Level 2

### Trainer

Rahana Hussain

### ONLINE

#### Friday 22/10/21

09:15 Registration  
09:30 Start  
14:30 Finish

### CLASSROOM (to be confirmed)

#### Tuesday 22/02/22

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

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