# **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. The <a href="Domestic Abuse Act 2021">Domestic Abuse Act 2021</a> recognises children as victims of domestic abuse rather than witnesses.

Domestic abuse can also be a sign that children are suffering another type of abuse or neglect.

#### **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 the intersection of multiple identities and circumstances on those who experience domestic abuse
- 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

You can **book your place** using our <u>online booking form</u>. Details of course fees and our cancellation policy can be viewed here.

## Level 2

#### **Facilitator**

Rahana Hussain, Independent Trainer

# **CLASSROOM** (full day)

Thursday 19/03/26

Committee Room 2, Redbridge Town Hall

09:15 Registration

09:30 Start 16:30 Finish

