Somerset Safeguarding
Children Board

Training Programme

April 2019- March 2020

http://sscb.safeguardingsomerset.org.uk/
Introduction to the Programme

I am pleased to introduce the Somerset Safeguarding Children Board multiagency training plan for 2019/20.

Somerset’s children’s workforce has much to be proud of. The dedication and hard work of hundreds of professionals in so many settings - child and adult focused; statutory, voluntary and community based - keep the children and young people of Somerset safe and promote their wellbeing every day. Many others - carers, volunteers, councillors - also contribute to this most important of responsibilities, supported by the families and communities in which children live. Your knowledge, skills and experience are indispensable. The quality of what you do is increasingly recognised and appreciated by children, families, managers and inspectors.

The Safeguarding Children Board partners believe that an important way we can support you to keep children safe is to ensure that you have access to the highest quality training which offers opportunity to learn alongside colleagues from a range of other agencies and professional backgrounds as well as benefit from the latest research and evidence from practice.

In this training plan, you will find a range of learning opportunities that have been informed by the Board’s priorities, quality assurance activities and case reviews, alongside information from other sources such as national research, which aim to give you the knowledge, tools and confidence to work alone and with others to keep children safe and promote their wellbeing.

I encourage you to book early to make full use of the opportunities on offer, and trust that you will find them helpful in your work and your professional development.

Thank you for all that you do for the children and young people of Somerset.

Sally Halls

Independent Chair

Somerset Local Safeguarding Children Board
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About this Programme

This is the 13th annual training programme published by the Somerset Safeguarding Children Board (SSCB).

The SSCB recognises the importance of keeping practitioners up to date with the latest research, knowledge and best practice available in child protection. The training is developed to provide an inter-agency experience which complements the single-agency and professional learning opportunities offered by individual agencies.

The SSCB offers all practitioners (paid / voluntary) this valuable opportunity to learn together through a variety of different safeguarding courses. In addition to the SSCB trainer, training is delivered by skilled practitioners from many agencies across Somerset.

We now offer the opportunity to attend twilight and weekend training for a selection of our training events in response to feedback and identified need of the workforce. New courses will become available during the year in response to identified needs and learning from practice.

The SSCB positively promotes inter-agency working through this training programme. This is a public document and can be accessed via the SSCB website. http://sscb.safeguardingsomerset.org.uk/

If you have any queries re booking or course attendance please contact:

Stephanie Gonzalez Quintans - SSCB Business Support Administrator

Tel: 01823 355975

Email LSCBtraining@somerset.gov.uk

‘A fantastic overview of the multiple and challenging situations that arise in the world of safeguarding children and vulnerable young adults. So much to cover but all delivered really well. Perfect preparation for dealing with ‘real life’ situations’

General Course Information

Pre-Course Preparation

- Child protection can be a very difficult and emotive subject. The training may include subjects that participants find difficult. Issues are approached as sensitively as possible but avoiding issues does not prevent children from being abused. We advise that you consider beforehand where you can get support after the course if necessary.

- Your application form includes a self-assessment of your individual learning needs. Please ensure that you complete these and return with your application.

- Please contact the SSCB Training Manager, Kate Greenwood, if you would like to discuss any concerns prior to attending.

Expectations of Participants

- Check the course and learning outcomes are relevant to your level of work and responsibilities for child protection and will meet your own learning needs. If you are unsure which course you should attend, please refer to the SSCB Training flowchart on page 12.

  Attendance on Working Together and themed courses is subject to confirmation of underpinning knowledge through attendance at previous training, usually attendance on the Introduction to Child Protection course.

- If you have a line manager, please discuss your application with them and gain their agreement to your attendance on the training and confirmation that they will release you on the relevant date. There is a charge for non-attendance.

- Participants should also discuss with their manager their expectations for the training and should arrange to follow this up after attendance at the course. A post-course evaluation approximately one month after the course will be completed. Managers will be requested to complete an evaluation approximately three months after their staff have attended. Each of these evaluations will ask questions in relation to how the training has made a difference from the perspective of the participant and their manager, and if there has been any impact in the workplace.

  There is an expectation that participants commit to attend the full course, arriving and leaving at the times specified. A certificate of attendance is only given for full attendance.

- Some courses have pre-course reading. Please ensure that you have completed this prior to attending the course.
• Information will be emailed to all participants prior to courses, although it is not necessary to print it, all participants should have looked at the material before the course

Allocation of Places

• Places are not allocated on a first come, first served basis. A good inter-agency mix is the priority and each agency has an allotted number of places on each course. Any places not utilised, within 10 days of the course date, are offered to those waiting. The maximum number of participants on courses is 32, unless stated otherwise.

• Should there be increased demand additional courses may be commissioned at the discretion of the Training and Development Group.

• It is not usual to accept multiple bookings for single settings; however, such requests will be considered on a case by case basis.

• All courses will start promptly, so please note the start time and allow time for parking and so on.

• Certificates of attendance will be given for all courses and can be used to demonstrate professional development and are important for inspection evidence. Delegates are responsible for keeping their own record of learning.

Venue Information

• Where possible please apply for courses near to your working locality. This will allow you to meet colleagues from other organisations you may work with in the future.

• A range of venues are used for training and are chosen for quality and best value. If you have any special requirements, please state this on your application. A list of venue addresses can be found on page 33.
Application Process

- In order to be considered for any of the SSCB training courses you will first need to complete and return an application form.

- Application for a specific course on a specific date, does not automatically guarantee a place. If you have a place, confirmation will be sent.

- The themed courses dates and venues are listed on pages 38 - 41

- You will need to determine which course is most appropriate for your needs. The ‘target audience’ guidance for each course will assist with this; you should also consult your line manager. The SSCB Training Manager may also be able to help you.

- Please send your completed application form by post, or email to:

  Stephanie Gonzalez Quintans  
  SSCB Training Administrator  
  PP2 B3W  
  County Hall  
  Taunton  
  TA1 4DY

  Email: LSCBTraining@somerset.gov.uk

  Tel: 01823 355975
Completing the Course Application Form

All sections must be completed fully, including cost centre number AND invoice address. Please print clearly and note points below:

1. Receipt of an application does not guarantee a place on the course (see page 7 “Allocation of Places”).

2. Please check course fees on page 10 and note cancellation and non-attendance charges.

3. Confirmation of acceptance, course and venue details will be via email at least six weeks before the course.

Applications will not be accepted without a cost code centre number OR invoice address

Procedure for applying for courses

Once the full application has been received with line manager’s signature, (or via manager’s email) or through the online booking system, a provisional place will be allocated, providing the delegate meets the course requirements.

Once the application and payment (if applicable) has been registered, a confirmation of place email will be generated, only then is a place on the course confirmed. (We acknowledge that some organisational processes may make it difficult to complete this process in advance of commencement of the course, this will be built into the process and a place is only confirmed when an email has been received from the SSCB).

If there are spaces on a course and a last minute booking is made, it is expected that payment will be made at the time of booking.

**IMPORTANT**

Please note you cannot apply for the Working Together course unless you have completed the SSCB endorsed Introduction to Child Protection Course, or equivalent Level 2 training or qualification e.g. BA Hons Degree or Post Graduate Diploma in Social Work.
Course Fees

Training will generally be charged at an agreed rate per delegate as follows:

All delegates will be expected to pay for places in advance, at the point of booking; free places will only be agreed in exceptional circumstances by prior arrangement with the SSCB.

Day rate

- £85 per delegate

Half Day rate

- £55 per delegate

Two day courses are charged at £150.

Payment may be made by cheque payable to Somerset County Council or by invoice provided on request.

Please note that any variation to these charges will be clearly advised on course information at the time of booking.

These fees and cancellation policy will be subject to review by the Somerset Safeguarding Children Board on an annual basis.

Cancellations

Once a booking is made there will be no refunds given. However it is possible to offer the place to another member of your organisation or company on the original date booked, or to use the place on an alternative course for the original applicant (subject to availability). If the place remains unfilled on the day and no rebooking has been received, prior to the date of attendance, no refund will be given.
Course Overview

The Inter-agency training offered by the SSCB:

Working Together – 1 day- fast track and Update

Working Together to Safeguard Children – The Designated Lead – 2 day

The training delivered by other organisations and Quality Assured by the SSCB:

Basic Awareness – Cascade Training – single agency

Introduction to Child Protection – multi-agency

In addition to these courses we also offer:

- Cascade training packages available on the SSCB website www.sscb.safeguardingsomerset.org.uk/training

- A series of stand-alone specialist, themed courses which can be accessed after completion of Introduction to Child Protection, covering a range of key issues pertaining to child protection and safeguarding.

- Managers’ and specialist training courses covering:
  - Safer Recruitment and Allegations Management
  - Courageous Conversations
  - Children who display Sexually Harmful Behaviour
  - Child Exploitation – Contextual Safeguarding

- If you have been a lead/designated person and have attended LSCB inter-agency training in another area you may be exempted from the Introduction to Child Protection and Working Together Courses (exemption based on Learning Outcomes from previous training). You will be required to provide evidence of prior learning in the form of copies of certificates.
I hold a specific child protection role within my employment

- NO

I have had CP training from Somerset SSCB in the last 2 years.

- NO

- YES

I have done the ‘Introduction to Child Protection’ in the last 2 years

- NO

- YES

I am a child minder who has not yet attended Des. Lead / or is due an update

- NO

- YES

I am lead or deputy lead in my work setting

- NO

- YES

I have done the ‘Working Together’ in the last 2 years

- NO

- YES

Go on to the 1 day ‘Working Together/Update to Child Protection’ 2 years after ‘Working Together’

- and

You need a ‘Basic Awareness’ level training from your employer

(NO, This can be commissioned from the SSCB to be delivered within your organisation)

You will need to do ‘Introduction to Child Protection’ (ITCP) – this is delivered by external trainers, yet quality assured by the SSCB. PLEASE NOTE: QUALIFIED SOCIAL WORKERS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO COMPLETE ITCP

You will need to attend the identified training for the Designated Person in a Child-minding Setting, available from SCIL, and attend Update Training every two years thereafter.

You can attend a ‘Refresher’ Introduction Course every two years. You should also keep up to date through single agency training, SSCB website, briefings, newsletters etc

Attend the ‘Introduction to CP’ course, follow after a month with Working Together Designated Lead course if in Designated lead role

Repeat the ‘Update to CP’ every 2 years; you should also keep up to date through single agency training, SSCB website, briefings, newsletters, etc
Courses for Practitioners
Basic Awareness Child Protection Training

The SSCB has designed a 3.5 hour training package that gives the basic overview that your staff need, with regard to their safeguarding and child protection responsibilities. It offers participants information about the different types of abuse and what to do if you have concerns about a child, together with up to date information around legislation and local practices.

The cost for this training is £60 for the Cascade Pack and it is recommended the maximum number of participants per training session would be 40. The training must be delivered by a trainer who has attended the Working Together (Level 3) or Update training within the last two years.

The aim of this training material is to provide suggestions and assistance for those charged within their agency, to offer training to all staff who do not hold specific safeguarding roles, on basic child protection.

Basic awareness training is single agency training and does NOT equate to any of the SSCB inter-agency training. (For details see the SSCB Training Strategy – available on the SSCB website).

To be accredited by the SSCB, this 3.5 hour basic awareness cascade training pack should be delivered in its entirety. The timings provided on the session plan are for guidance only. This pack must be delivered in-house and must not be delivered for profit or commercial gain.

It is the policy of the SSCB that only people who have completed both ‘Introduction to Child Protection’ and ‘Working Together’ of the SSCB inter-agency child protection training, are deemed to be suitably skilled, trained and knowledgeable in the field of child protection to use this pack to train others. If you have not completed Introduction to Child Protection and Working Together, you should not be using this pack and are doing so against the advice of the Somerset Safeguarding Children Board.

This role also carries with it the responsibility to ensure the devolvement of basic awareness child protection training to all staff. In order to ensure that this is effective and current, DSLs must ensure that their own training is updated every two years and that the whole staff group is updated every year. Keeping Children Safe in Education (Sep ‘18) states “CP training provided for staff must be in line with advice from the LSCB”.

The pack provides the information and resources that you will need to train people within your organisation in basic child protection issues. It will offer participants information about the different types of abuse that children can experience and what to do if you believe that a child is at risk of or is being abused.

To order a cascade pack please email LSCBtraining@somerset.gov.uk
This is a one-day introduction course for practitioners to gain a good understanding of the basic issues relating to the protection of children. This course is an introduction to child protection aimed at frontline practitioners and managers who work directly and indirectly with children and families. Priority will be given to those who have specific roles and responsibilities within their organisations, in relation to child protection and safeguarding.

This course is delivered externally yet Quality Assured by the SSCB. PLEASE CONTACT SOMERSET CENTRE FOR INTEGRATED LEARNING FOR DETAILS OF DATES http://www.supportservicesforeducation.co.uk/ AND VENUES

Please note: If more than 2 years have elapsed since you completed Introduction to Child Protection training, you may need to complete this course again.

Applicants must leave at least 1 month between completion of ‘Introduction to Child Protection’ and attendance at the Working Together course.

Aims

• To provide an introductory level of knowledge and understanding about child abuse.
• To provide a local and national perspective, and to know what to do if you suspect that a child is being abused.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course participants will:
• understand the different types of child abuse and the ways that they can affect children
• have a basic understanding of the way that key agencies work to protect children
• have a clear understanding of the Somerset child protection referral procedures
• have had the opportunity to develop better inter-agency working partnerships and consider the unique responsibility that each has in the protection of children
• have an understanding of their own professional responsibility in relation to child protection.
Working Together to Safeguard Children - Safeguarding Lead Role

‘the trainer delivers a potentially dry subject matter in a lively and engaging manner. Emotive areas are dealt with sensitively. You come away feeling empowered and equipped to deal with this tricky area of work’

Deputy Head Teacher - June ’19

This two-day course provides staff, who have a responsibility for completing safeguarding assessments and referrals or designated role within their organisation or setting, with an unrivalled opportunity to unpick process and procedure in assessing ‘the right service, in the right place, at the right time’.

Participants are taken through an interactive case study designed to provide the maximum opportunity to consider how a multi-agency approach to safeguarding provide the best care for our children and young people within Somerset. A must if you have you have a responsibility in an advisory role or training delivery within the organisation, or simply want to develop a greater understanding of how Working Together to Safeguard Children July ’18 is translated into practice.

This course is ‘experiential learning’ and participants will be expected to take an active role in their learning and sharing practice.

• This course will provide an opportunity for participants who have already received basic child protection training to improve their understanding and knowledge of their own and other’s responsibilities.
• It will be an opportunity to explore with colleagues from other organisations the challenges and benefits that exist in working in a multi-agency system and to promote and improve inter-agency best practice.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course participants will:

• have a sound understanding of principles and processes for effective collaborative inter-agency work
• communicate and develop inter-agency working relationships to promote and safeguard the welfare of children and young people
• understand the contribution made by other key agencies to safeguarding children
• understand legal and organisational frameworks, including levels of accountability of decision making
• have an understanding of their own professional responsibility in relation to child protection.

This course is designed for practitioners

• who have a lead/designated role within their organisation or setting and have already completed the Introduction to Child Protection course within the last 2 years,
• have a need to extend their knowledge about safeguarding children as you have a responsibility in an advisory role or training delivery within the organisation

Please note you cannot apply for the Working Together course unless you have completed the SSCB endorsed Introduction to Child Protection Course, or equivalent Level 2 training or qualification, e.g. BA Hons Degree or Post Graduate Diploma in Social Work/Intercollegiate
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*Please note should demand exceed these courses additional dates will be made available*

Book Now
Working Together to Safeguard Children and Update

This is a one-day course that is designed to meet the requirements of those practitioners who have previous experience in a safeguarding role, whose agency is not subject to improvement actions as a result of inspection and who may not hold a lead designated role, or you are a health professional working towards your level 3.

This course serves as the Update course required every 2 years for those in a lead designated role.

Not all practitioners who have completed Introduction to Child Protection training will need to complete the Working Together course.

Aims

- This course will provide an opportunity for participants who have already received Level 2 child protection training to improve their understanding and knowledge of their own and other’s responsibilities.
- It will be an opportunity to explore with colleagues from other organisations the challenges and benefits that exist in working in a multi-agency system and to promote and improve inter-agency best practice.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course participants will:

- have an understanding of principles and processes for effective collaborative inter-agency work
- communicate and develop inter-agency working relationships to promote and safeguard the welfare of children and young people
- understand the contribution made by other key agencies to safeguarding children
- understand legal and organisational frameworks, including levels of accountability of decision making
- have explored the balance between vulnerability and resilience for children and families in need
- have an understanding of their own professional responsibility in relation to child protection.

The course is designed for practitioners who are either:

- Working within an agency that is not subject to improvement actions as a result of inspection and who may not hold a lead designated role or
- a health professional working towards your level 3

Please note you cannot apply for the Working Together course unless you have completed the SSCB endorsed Introduction to Child Protection Course, or equivalent Level 2 training or qualification, e.g. BA Hons Degree or Post Graduate Diploma in Social Work/Intercollegiate training.
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*Please note should demand exceed these courses additional dates will be made available*

‘The course was very helpful update with an opportunity to reflect on and improve current practice’

**(Working Together Update Feb ’19).**
Themed Courses

For all dates, venues and course attendance application
Domestic Abuse

1  **Introductory Course (Level One)**

Domestic Abuse: Identifying the signs and how to respond

What is the purpose of this course?

It aims to increase understanding of domestic abuse, and help people know how to respond. The course will also provide an introduction to assessing risk using the Safe Lives DASH RIC, and how to access local specialist domestic abuse support.

Who is the course suitable for?

Anyone who has contact with people who may be affected by domestic abuse as part of their work, and is open to statutory, voluntary and private sector agencies.

2  **Domestic Abuse and Teenage Relationships (Level Two)**

This level 2 Domestic Abuse course is to help professionals to know more about how to respond to teenage relationship abuse.

The aims of the course are:

- To understand current research findings in relation to the prevalence and nature of domestic abuse between young people
- To consider common attitudes held by young people towards domestic abuse and how to engage and challenge
- To explore some of the reasons why it is difficult for young people to recognise and disclose abuse in relationships.
- To understand some of the ways in which young people may behave in response to abuse
- To understand the importance of risk assessment and safety planning
- To understand the importance of child protection measures and of working with other relevant agencies.

3  **Domestic Abuse Refresher (Level Two)**

The aims of this course are to:

- Build on existing knowledge of domestic abuse to better identify victims and help access support
- Increase awareness of interventions to support victims and perpetrators

Please note that prior to attending any of these specialist courses, you must have attended an introductory level (Level One) domestic abuse course, either in Somerset or elsewhere. Alternatively, normally you will be required to evidence having substantial experience of working with people affected by domestic abuse.
4 Engaging Safely with Perpetrators of Domestic Abuse (Level Two)

The aims of this course are to:

- identify the themes of abusive behaviour and their possible motivation
- recognise the challenges posed by perpetrators when assessing domestic abuse
- understand the most effective working practice when seeking to engage perpetrators of domestic abuse
- develop ways of identifying who is doing what to whom and with what consequences
- work within a context of monitoring risk and keeping safety at the focus of all practice.
- to be aware of local services and care pathways for victims and perpetrators of domestic abuse within Somerset
- have safe conversations with those using abusive behaviour and encourage the seeking of help and support

For more information and to book onto these courses please follow the link below:-

http://www.somersetsurvivors.org.uk/training/

‘really useful update on training and knowledge. Invaluable to discuss training with colleagues from different settings’

Working Together- Update – Feb ‘19

Please note: There is an expectation that participants have attended an Introduction to Child Protection course or are able to demonstrate an equivalent knowledge.
Child Exploitation

A half-day course for practitioners working with children and young people in Somerset to raise awareness of child exploitation. Applicants do not have to attend other SSCB courses to apply. Please see further course details for full day training overleaf.

Aims

To understand the experiences and practice issues that relate to children and young people who are at risk of exploitation.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course participants will:

- be able to define and understand child exploitation
- be able to identify risk indicators that a child is being/or is at risk of being exploited
- have considered which vulnerabilities contribute to a child being at risk of exploitation
- be aware of the different models of child exploitation
- recognise the links between going missing and exploitation
- understand young people’s behaviours in the context of perpetrators’ abuse
- know what safeguarding steps to take if they suspect a child is being exploited
- raised awareness of County Lines and the risks posed to children and young people

This course will be facilitated by

Androulla (Andri) Nicolaou
Prevention Officer and Coordinator
Topaz Child Exploitation Team (Child Sexual & Criminal Exploitation)
Avon and Somerset Constabulary

FREE of CHARGE
Manager/
Designated
Lead Courses
For all dates, venues and course attendance application
Children who Display Sexually Harmful Behaviours – Raising Awareness

Day one is raising awareness of sexually harmful behaviour and is standalone without attendance at day two. Day two is for those actively working with this group and aims to develop knowledge and skills in direct work. Attendees must complete day one in order to attend day two.

NB THIS TRAINING IS LIMITED TO 12 SPACES AND IS FREE OF CHARGE

This course will help you identify concerns and respond to risk within your agency however it will not provide you with training in the structured risk assessment of sexually harmful behaviour. It is run jointly with colleagues from the YOT (Youth Offending Team).

Aim

To provide participants with basic awareness and knowledge to identify when children’s behaviours move beyond what could be considered ‘normal’ and become potentially sexually harmful or pose a risk to others.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course participants will:

- have increased understanding of children and young people who display sexually harmful behaviour, including reviewing some theories and research regarding underlying causes
- be able to recognise indicators of abusive behaviour versus ‘normal’ sexual development
- have considered a holistic approach to understanding the potential risks as well as the needs of children and young people
- have the opportunity to acknowledge personal feelings and attitudes and how these can impact on the process of work and to apply some of these ideas to potential situations

The course is designed for practitioners who may have either:

- completed the SSCB Inter-agency Working Together courses, or
- completed the SSCB Inter-agency Introduction to Child Protection course and have contact with children who display sexually harmful behaviour.
Courageous Conversations

Open discussion with parents and carers when there are welfare concerns about a child often provokes anxiety in practitioners. Professional challenge is part of good child protection practice.

This practical **half day** course will consider ways that these difficult conversations can best be managed.

NB THIS TRAINING IS LIMITED TO 12 SPACES AND IS FREE OF CHARGE

**Aims**

- To increase practitioners’ confidence in having difficult conversations.
- To understand some of the barriers to effective communication between professionals
- To increase the confidence and ability of practitioners to challenge one another.

**Learning Outcomes**

By the end of the course participants will:

- have considered the impact on themselves and others of difficult conversations
- have increased their confidence in talking to parents and carers about welfare concerns about children
- have increased knowledge and skills to support them in professional challenge in an inter-agency context

‘Great to meet with others and talk about how to have those difficult conversations, it does help build confidence! I feel better equipped to have those difficult conversations with hopefully better outcomes.’

**Courageous Conversations**

Oct ‘17

The course is designed for practitioners who may:

- have already completed the SSCB Inter-agency Working Together training or Level 3 equivalent and who work with children, parents and carers.
Safer Recruitment and Allegations Management

This is a **one-day** course for managers who are involved in the recruitment of staff, focusing on the safeguarding aspects of the process.

The course also explores the legal requirements and effective management of allegations made against staff who work with children.

N.B. Although this course discusses recruitment processes, it should not replace organisational recruitment and selection training programmes. It can be used as additional training to strengthen managers’ understanding of the importance of safeguarding aspects of these processes.

An accredited person should be on all panels when interviewing.

**Aims**

- This course will provide an opportunity for managers to identify and avoid common pitfalls in the recruitment process and improve practice in the safeguarding aspects.

- To be aware of statutory processes and procedures in relation to managing allegations against staff who work with children and how this should be incorporated into organisational policy.

**Learning Outcomes**

By the end of this course participants will:

- be able to identify effective safeguarding practice in each stage of the recruitment process

- have had the opportunities to reflect on the safeguarding aspects of their organisation’s recruitment and allegations processes and identify areas for development

- understand the statutory requirements of the allegations management process and how to create an effective system to manage this.

This course includes delivery of the DfE (formerly NCSL & CWDC) accredited Safer Recruitment workshop, which includes an assessment pack. Delegates will receive the associated accreditation on completion of the workshop assessment.

This will be run by our Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO) Anthony Goble.

This course is aimed at managers who are involved in the recruitment of staff who will have contact with children and their families.
Themed/Manager/Designated Lead Courses

Dates, Venues
Course Application Form

All sections **must** be completed. Please print clearly.

Receipt of an application does not guarantee a place on the course. Applications will not be accepted without a cost code centre number OR invoice address

**Ctrl +Click Book Now** buttons to apply

Please check course fees on Page 8 and note all courses must be paid for on application. Course attendance will be confirmed on receipt of course fees.

Confirmation of acceptance and course details will be via email at least six weeks prior to the course date.

**NB Somerset Partnership Staff – all applications must be submitted through the Trust Training and Development Department, Priory House, Wells (Training@sompar.nhs.uk)**
## Child Exploitation

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Children Who Display Sexually Harmful Behaviour

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Multi-Agency Practitioner Groups (MAPIG)

MAPIGs are forums established in each of the four districts in the county, so that staff from all agencies can meet up regularly to learn more about specific issues, which relate to children and share positive experiences of services and gaps in provision.

Each forum is held twice a year and will be attended by a member of the Safeguarding Board, who can take your issues to the Safeguarding Board and relay information from the Board back to forum members.

Forums are held in Taunton, Sedgemoor, South Somerset and Mendip. Details of these events can be found via the SSCB website.

http://sscb.safeguardingsomerset.org.uk/

Any new or additional training courses or training information will be posted on the Somerset Safeguarding Children Board website throughout 2019. See http://sscb.safeguardingsomerset.org.uk/
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Staplegrove  
Taunton TA2 6LP  
Tel: 01823 252225 | Sedgemoor Auction Centre (J24)  
Regional Rural Business Centre  
Market Way  
North Petherton  
TA6 6DF  
Tel: 01278 662200 |
| Abbey Manor Business Centre  
The Abbey  
Preston Road  
Yeovil  
BA20 2EN  
Tel: 01935 848524 | Wells Golf Club,  
Blackheath Lane,  
Wells  
BA5 3DS  
Tel: 01749 675005 |
| Yeovil Academy, Level 4  
Yeovil District Hospital NHS Foundation Trust  
Higher Kingston  
Yeovil  
Somerset  
BA21 4AT  
Tel: 01935 475122 | Fiveways School,  
Victoria Rd,  
Yeovil  
Somerset  
BA21 5AZ  
Tel: 01935 476227 |
| Somerset Partnership NHS Foundation Trust  
Mallard Court  
Express Park  
Bristol Road  
Bridgwater  
TA6 4RN  
Tel: 01278 432000 | The Wyvern Club,  
Mountfields Road,  
Taunton  
TA1 3BJ  
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