



Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect

Target Group: Working Together Groups 1-8

Aim: To provide participants with a basic awareness and understanding of the issues in relation to Child Protection/Safeguarding and to know what do if they are concerned that a child is being abused.

Learning Outcomes:

By the end of this course participants will be able to:

1. Explain child abuse and neglect
2. State the principles of Child Protection
3. Identify your own safeguarding role, responsibilities and know the importance of maintaining a focus on the child
4. Describe some signs and indicators of abuse and neglect
5. Learn what normal child development is
6. Explain the framework for the assessment of children in need and their families
7. State what documentation/guidance is used in Child Protection
8. List the 7 golden rules for sharing of information
9. Explain what do if you are concerned that a child is being abused.

Course Length: 2.5 hours

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Dates and Times of Course:

Thursday	9 February 2012	0915-1145 or 1300-1530
Monday	30 April 2012	0915-1145 or 1300-1530 or 1700-1930
Tuesday	26 June 2012	0915-1145 or 1300-1530
Tuesday	7 October 2012	0915-1145 or 1300-1530 or 1700-1930