

Course Calendar January – December 2023

Course Dates and Times	Trainers	Learning Outcomes
Alcohol and Substance Misuse (Level 3) 10:00 -15:00	Heidi Hall, Aquarius (Derby Family Drug and Alcohol Safeguarding Service) Mary-Jade Harris, Social Worker, Derby City Council	 To increase understanding of the needs of parents who use drugs and/or alcohol and the impact on their children To provide an introduction to the evidence and good practice in working with families affected by substance misuse To build capacity by increasing confidence amongst front line workers to explore strategies of working effectively with parents in relation to drug and alcohol use. To be able to respond to concerns about parental substance misuse and develop effective assessments and intervention skills To improve effectiveness of partnership working in response to parental substance misuse by increasing understanding of different agencies roles and responsibilities
Child Sexual Abuse (Level 3) 10:00 – 13:00 (includes comfort break)	David Crowther, SV2 Tansy Gerrity, WFLD Derby City	 Understand the definition of CSA Know how to respond if a child discloses abuse Understand the underpinning theories of CSA Recognise how issues of diversity and identity impact on our understanding of CSA Identify ways to help a child heal and recover
Child Exploitation (Level 3) 10:00 – 15:30	 Child Protection Manager (City and County) Catch 22, Safe & Sound Derbyshire Police L&D, Derbyshire County Council 	 What makes a child vulnerable Types of exploitation Triggers and signs to look out for Reporting and referral process Learning from SCRs





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Child Protection Conferences 10:00 – 15:00	Gareth Davies, Child Protection Manager, Derbyshire County Council Tammy Lloyd, Child Protection Manager, Derby City Council	 Understand the purpose and function of Child Protection Conferences Understand the roles and responsibilities of agencies Recognise potential barriers to communication and how to overcome these Develop awareness of the involvement of children and families Develop skills and knowledge to implement and evaluate effective multi-agency protection plans
Disclosure and Barring Service (Level 3) 09:30 – 12:30	Lizzie Whittington, DBS	 What types of DBS checks are available and their eligibility The update service How information is filtered on DBS certificates How "regulated activity" with children and adults is defined What leads to an individual being added to the "barred list"? The harm test When do you have a legal duty to make a referral? How to make a good quality barring referral
Domestic Abuse: Impact on Children (Level 3)	Lisa Donelan, DDSCP	To raise awareness of:
10:00 – 15:00	Kerry Chisnall, L&D Derbyshire Matt Hartley, L&D Derbyshire	 The extent and impact of domestic abuse on children, young people and adult victims/survivors What action can be taken to promote and safeguard the welfare of children and young people This webinar assumes you have an awareness of domestic abuse and is addressing the impact on children and how we can support them. This webinar aims to provide practitioners with the skills and knowledge to support children affected by domestic abuse at the earliest possible opportunity in order to safeguard and promote the wellbeing of children and young people



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Effective Support & Supervision (Level 4) 10:00 – 15:00	Sarah Parkman, Virtual School for Looked After Children, Derby City Council Chetna Mistry, Safeguarding Children Advisor, Derbyshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	 To raise awareness of: the principles of supervision the importance of building resilience and promoting a safeguarding culture understanding how stress, anxiety and secondary trauma can impact on critical thinking, emotions and effective decision making understanding what is good supervision, explore expectations and the different models available
Keeping Babies Safe (Level 3) 10:00 – 15:00	Kayleigh Noble, NHS Derby and Derbyshire Integrated Care Board Lisa Donelan, DDSCP	 Describe the specific vulnerabilities of babies Understand the risk of infant crying Explore home and sleep safety Identify the issues relating to 'Shaken Baby' and bruising in babies Describe how to develop responsive parenting Understand learning from child practice reviews to ensure babies thrive Recognise additional vulnerabilities in families and promote professional curiosity
Making a Difference to Children in Care 10:00 – 15:00	Heather Peet, Designated Nurse for Children in Care (aligned to Derby City), NHS Derby and Derbyshire Integrated Care Board Paul Wilson, Independent Reviewing Officer, Derby City	 Understand what we mean by children in care, the national and local picture Describe some of the experiences of children in care Explain some of the terminology and legislation relating to children in care Identify ways to support children in care's physical and emotional well being Understand the roles of practitioners and agencies Describe what children in care have fed back about their experiences



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Managing Allegations (Level 4) 09:15 – 12:15	Child Protection Managers (City and County)	 Identify the behaviours that could lead to an allegation being made Identify the difference between care and criminal thresholds when
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	Pauline Allgood, Police	Know the behaviours that indicate a practitioner is unsuitable to work with children
	Elizabeth Whittington, DBS	Know the key roles and responsibilities of other agencies if
		allegations are made against staff, carers or volunteers
		Understand how to access and apply local policies and procedures
		 Understand what decisions or action an employer can take following an allegation – managing the risks in the interim
MAPPA Briefing Foundation (Level 1 / 2) 09:30-12:30	Becky Evans, MAPPA Coordinator	The MAPPA briefing will cover:
	Zoe Willis, MAPPA Coordinator	Understanding the purpose and function of MAPPA
		Identification of MAPPA cases and agency responsibility
		MAPPA levels of management
		Local MAPPA arrangements/processes
MAPPA Practitioner Training (Level 3) 09:30 – 12:40	Becky Evans, MAPPA Coordinator	• Develop knowledge and skills around identification, risk assessment and risk management of MAPPA offenders
	Zoe Willis, MAPPA Coordinator	• Enhance understanding of MAPPA processes within Derbyshire and agencies' roles within them
		Develop confidence for staff attending MAPPA meetings
Neglect and Graded Care Profile (Level 3)	Lisa Donelan, DDSCP	To identify neglect at the earliest opportunity and understand the
10:00 – 15:00		impact neglect can have on children and young people
	Stuart Revill, L&D Derbyshire	• To develop knowledge and understanding of the Graded Care Profile assessment tool
		• To confidently use the Graded Care Profile assessment tool to ensure good outcomes for children and young people





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Private Fostering (Level 3) 09:30 – 11:30 13:30 – 15:30	Belinda Rose, Deputy Head of Service, Quality Assurance, Derby City Council Rod Duncan, Senior Team Manager, Derbyshire County Council	 To understand the definition of Private Fostering To understand the difference between a Looked After Child and a child who is Privately Fostered To know why it is important to be able to identify children living in a Private Fostering arrangement and understand the additional issues that come with living in this arrangement To understand the role and responsibilities of professionals when working with or visiting a family or child in respect of Private Fostering To know the role and responsibility of the Local Authority when a child/young person is identified as being Privately Fostered How to make a referral
Working with Resistant Families (Level 3) 10:00 – 15:00	Lisa Donelan, DDSCP Candice Cook, WFLD Derby City Council	 To understand the difficulties of working with resistant families To develop skills in working with resistant families and ensure workers and children are safeguarded Describe the barriers to effective engagement with families and reasons why parents and children can be fearful of contact Describe how practitioners can develop a productive relationship with families to foster trust, openness and respect and keep the child in focus Develop strategies for keeping safe when working with families
Working Together: Everyone's Responsibility (Level 3) 10:00 – 15:00	Lisa Donelan, DDSCP Cath Brannan, Senior Early Help Advisor, Derby City Council Justine Rimington, Designated Safeguarding Lead, Trent College Nick Pape, L&D Derbyshire County Council	 To develop awareness of: Signs and symptoms related to child abuse Thresholds for support and intervention How to identify and act on, concerns about the safety and welfare of children and young people. The principles of Information Sharing How to respond to a child at the point of disclosure of abuse