Safeguarding Children with Disabilities - Face to Face Session

Aims and Objectives

The purpose of this course is for participants to have gained an understanding of:

- Child protection procedures in relation to disabled children

- Legislation and guidance relating to disabled children

- Awareness of the increased risk of abuse and neglect disabled children face

- The difficulties in identifying abuse in disabled children

- Local and national reviews in relation to children and young people

- Ways of working that protect disabled children

Course information

To obtain a certificate all 3 parts of the course must be completed:

Part 1: Complete 3 1/2 hours of pre-reading and set tasks - available within the Child Protection Handbook. This is available to download from the attachment section on your training account after you have enrolled on the course.

Part 2: Attend face to face One Day course (7 hours) led by experienced Child Protection practitioners/ trainers. This is an opportunity to learn together with other local practitioners, ask questions and be tested on safeguarding knowledge and skills.

Part 3: Complete your feedback form via your training account to obtain your certificate. You must also continue with your professional development - CPD by attending further virtual training courses and viewing additional safeguarding resources i.e. webinars of local reviews, local assessment tools, policies and procedures, range of topical eLearning courses. The CPD requirement is a minimum of 10 hours per year.

Audience

Members of the workforce who work predominately with children and young people and/or their parents and carers and are responsible for making safeguarding referrals to the Police and Children's Social Care E.g. Police, Health, Education and Voluntary Sector. It also applies to all practitioners who work with children and families in any capacity but also practitioners who may not be working directly with them but still need an awareness and understanding of neglect .