



25TH NOVEMBER
15.30pm-17.30pm

YOUNG MEN, RISKY BEHAVIOURS & CRIME

WITH YOUNG MEN OFTEN LINKED IN THE MEDIA TO REPORTS OF VIOLENCE AND YOUTH CRIME, INCLUDING GANGS AND OTHER TYPES OF EXPLOITATION, THIS WORKSHOP EXPLORES THE CULTURE OF MASCULINITY THAT YOUNG MEN ARE GROWING UP IN, INCLUDING MUSIC AND ONLINE HARM. IT EXPLORES FRIENDSHIP GROUPS, RISKY BEHAVIOURS AND GANGS, ALONG WITH REASONS WHY SOME ARE MORE VULNERABLE. IT CHALLENGES MYTHS ABOUT LOYALTY, HONOUR AND POWER, TO RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT THE EMOTIONAL, PHYSICAL AND SOCIAL RISKS OF GANG LIFE AS WELL AS THE POTENTIAL LEGAL CONSEQUENCES OF TOXIC MASCULINITY AND VIOLENCE.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- EXPLORE THE CULTURE OF 'TOXIC MASCULINITY'
- UNDERSTAND WHO IS MORE VULNERABLE TO GROOMING AND EXPLOITATION
- CONSIDER WHAT A 'GANG' IS AND REASONS FOR JOINING
- UNDERSTAND LINKS TO VIOLENCE AND ORGANISED CRIME
- KNOW POTENTIAL INDICATORS OF GROOMING AND EXPLOITATION BY GANGS
- KNOW WHERE TO GO FOR MORE INFORMATION AND SUPPORT.

THIS IS A VIRTUAL TRAINING SESSION HOSTED ON THE TEAMS PLATFORM. TRAINING CAN BE DONE AROUND ONE SCREEN IF DESIRED, BUT WE WILL STILL REQUIRE ALL CONTACT NAMES AND EMAIL ADDRESSES OF STAFF ATTENDING.

Please contact courtney.hopson@gloucestershire.gov.uk to book onto this Virtual School Training opportunity.

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