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Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect:

These two courses cover a variety of child protection and safeguarding children issues and are suitable for anyone who comes into contact with children. They aim to inform about the various types of abuse or neglect to a child and then explain what you must do if you suspect that a child is being abused or neglected.

**Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect – Core**: Suitable for frontline professionals and those who have direct contact with children.

**Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect – Foundation**: Aimed at those who have direct contact with children.

Safeguarding Children in Education

In this course, you’ll learn how to safeguard children in an educational setting and about the legislation that governs this. By the end of the course you should be able to recognise the legislation and guidance that governs safeguarding children in education and recognise the signs of abuse and neglect. You should be able to identify safe working practices in education settings, identify what to do if you have concerns about children and recognise the importance of early intervention.

An Introduction to FGM, Forced Marriage, Spirit Possession and Honour Based Violence

Provides an understanding of Female Genital Mutilation, Honour Based Violence, Spirit Possession and Forced Marriage. These are the four main types of abuse that stem from culture related traditions and this course increases awareness of specific cultural and religious needs whilst providing the knowledge practitioners need to be confident when conversing with those from a different cultural background around the subjects.

Dementia Awareness

This module aims to raise carers’ understanding about the lived experience of a person with dementia, looking at the person first and then exploring simple techniques to help keep the person with dementia independent for longer.
E-Safety – Guidance for Practitioners:

Safeguarding risks are associated with the internet and other forms of modern technology. This course helps you understand the different ways children and young people use technology and how this can make them vulnerable.

Early Help / Lead Professional / Information Sharing in Wigan

Since its introduction, integrated working has become the cornerstone of professionals’ working practices; and coupled with the Early Help Assessment now provides a solid basis for delivering frontline services.

Hidden Harm

When it comes to drug and alcohol misuse in adults focus is often on the parent. This course aims to emphasis the effects on children and young people, raises awareness and helps spot signs and identify appropriate windows to help break the cycle and safeguarding the child.

Mental Capacity Act

The Mental Capacity Act is intended to assist and support people who may lack capacity and to discourage anyone who is involved in caring for someone who lacks capacity from being overly restrictive or controlling. This course aims to help care workers look at how the Act will affect them and to help them to develop best practice to include in the new legislation.

Safeguarding Adults

This training course is for anyone who encounters adults at risk of abuse in the community, in a person’s own home, in a hospital, in a day care or residential setting. This includes formal and informal carers, volunteers, health and social care professionals.
Safeguarding Children and Young People from Abuse by Sexual Exploitation

Increases awareness of the main issues in the sexual exploitation of children and young people and raises awareness of the legislation and guidance that applies to vulnerable groups and how these policies can be applied in practice. Aimed at anyone who comes into contact with children and young people during the course of their work.

Working with Children with Disabilities

This course aims to raise awareness of specific needs of these disabled children in relation to their vulnerability and communication. The course contains an overview of the national and local agenda in relation to children with disabilities, basic knowledge of the range of protection needs of disabled children and information on how you can enable them to communicate about their experiences and provide support.

Safer Recruitment

Any employer or volunteer co-ordinator is responsible for ensuring that staff and volunteers are recruited safely to work with children and young people. This course covers knowledge required by anyone recruiting so that best practice and legal safer recruitment requirements are met.

Information Sharing - Level 2

Over four million people in the UK work with Children, young people and families. This module will be useful to all frontline practitioners who deal with children and who will need to share information about cases. The focus of this module is the importance of information sharing, why it is important and who it can affect.