

Victim Focus Training



This training will equip delegates with a greater understanding of trauma informed practice and the psychology of victim blaming. It is also aimed to improve working practices within CSE and CA. Topics covered include trauma, blame, shame, Child Sexual Exploitation and Child Sexual Abuse.

MODULE 1

Understanding trauma informed practice

Date: 27th July 2022

Time: 09:00-17:00

You do not need to
attend all modules

MODULE 2

Psychology of victim blaming and self-blame of women and girls subjected to sexual violence

Date: 3rd August 2022

Time: 09:00-17:00

MODULE 3

Critical perspectives of CSE and CSA

Date: 10th August 2022

Time: 09:00-17:00



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Aimed at Practitioners who work with children and adults who have experienced trauma and/or sexual violence.

MODULE 1

- This course is delivered from a trauma-informed perspective to mental health and wellbeing, drawing on the social model and ecological model.
- This course also draws upon radical feminist approaches to understanding the oppression and categorisation of women and girls in our society
- It is a critical and challenging set of materials which aims to change the way we think about trauma and mental health

MODULE 2

- Why do we blame women subjected to sexual violence and abuse?
- What are the key theories that can help us to understand victim blaming?
- What is the latest evidence in the literature to explain victim blaming and self-blame?

MODULE 3

- To explore the way language and definitions of child sexual exploitation (CSE) and child sexual abuse (CSA) change the way we work
- To discuss the latest evidence, research and reports that are seeking to improve the way we work in CSE
- To learn more about grooming
- To explore different ways of working in CSE: strengths-based approaches, trauma-informed approaches, rights-based approaches, family-focussed approaches.

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