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RISK ASSESSING AND MULTI-AGENCY WORK — TRAINING PACKAGE



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THE STATISTICS

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2 women are killed every week in the UK by a current or former partner

85%

85% of victims sought help five times on average from professionals in the year before they got effective help for domestic abuse

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Every week 3 women in the UK take their own lives as a result of domestic abuse

DOMESTIC ABUSE IS AN EPIDEMIC AND PROFESSIONALS MUST BE PART OF THE SOLUTION.

We know four out of five victims do not call the police.

We have to go to them: where they feel supported, where they feel safe and free from stigma.

These statistics are frightening and demonstrate why we need to take action, but professionals are ideally placed to make that difference.

TRAINING PACKAGE

No matter what your profession ensure you are providing the best response by signing up to our training packages.

This one day multi-agency course is intended to increase the confidence and skills of frontline practitioners and staff in responding to victims of domestic abuse. Delegates will gain an understanding of high risk factors for serious harm and homicide, how to use the DASH risk identification checklist and how to make appropriate referrals into, and engage effectively with the MARAC.

BY THE END OF THE SESSION, DELEGATES WILL BE ABLE TO:

- Understand risk assessment in domestic abuse
- Explore agency responsibility in relation to risk identification, assessment and management
- Complete a DASH risk identification checklist
- Understand stalking and Honour Based Abuse related to risk
- Refer into the MARAC and understand the process and importance of engaging effectively
- Feel more confident to work with victims of domestic abuse in a safety focused way
- Be aware of the role of the Independent Domestic Violence Advocate (IDVA)
- Gain knowledge of local and national relevant support services
- Understand how this learning may impact on your own work situation

This training can be adapted to suit your organisational and learning needs.