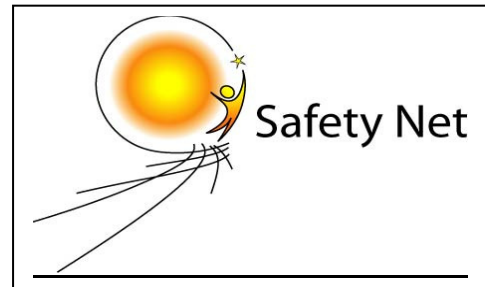


Safeguarding Training Programme



Safety Net is a registered charity which aims to promote safety and emotional well-being for children and young people at home, school and in the community. We have a community practice base established over 15 years and we have developed a range of training methods based on proven methods of working. We provide child protection training for a range of community and voluntary sector groups as well as working with schools and other children and young people's organisations. We currently hold a number of contracts to deliver child protection training including to schools across East Sussex. We work in partnership with Brighton and Hove Local Safeguarding Children's Board (LSCB) to ensure that our training meets recognised standards.

We can offer

- Introduction to Child Protection E-Learning
- Child Protection Level 1
- Child Protection for designated child protection officers/managers
- Help with policies and procedures

Who are the courses suitable for?

The courses are suitable for anyone working or having significant contact with children young people and their families in early years, school, youth and voluntary and community settings. This could include nursery workers, teachers, youth workers, people working in after school clubs or community groups and covers issues relating to all age groups up to the age of 18.

The contents provide a thorough grounding for people wishing to understand their role in protecting children from harm and abuse.

To book a Place

The courses can be accessed via our general training programme if you would like to book a place for an individual(s) from your team. We can also come out to a venue of your choice to provide bespoke training to your whole staff team. Please contact our training administrator, Ellie Talebian for details of course costs and dates: ellie.talebian@safety-net.org.uk or telephone us on 01273 696622 or visit our website at www.safety-net.org.uk

About our trainers

All of our trainers are practitioners who are suitably qualified and have experience in the child protection field.

The Courses: Introductory

Introduction to Child Protection: E-learning

FREE to community and voluntary organisations in Brighton and Hove

Safety Net (in conjunction with Brighton and Hove City Council and the Community and Voluntary Sector Forum) is able to offer an introduction to Child Safeguarding and Protection for you to complete online in your office or at home.

This course is arranged through the E-Learning Academy for Children and lasts approximately three hours.

To book a place and get your log in details contact ellie.taleb主ian@safety-net.org.uk.

This course is ideal as: a basic introduction prior to undertaking other Child Protection courses that we offer.

Introduction to CP for community groups

FREE half-day course for small community groups

This is an introduction to child protection issues for those working in small community groups. You will gain a basic understanding of your role in establishing a safe environment and safe working practices in protecting children and young people from harm and abuse.

This course is for:

Those who have contact with children or young people as part of a small Community project/group.

Quotes about our courses

“A good training that covered all my queries and has given me more confidence to work with children and be active in their protection and safety”
(Community group leader)

Developing your CP policies and procedures FREE half-day course

Building upon level 1, this course will look at legislation and how this can be implemented into your CP policies and procedures. In addition, it will look at communicating these to both your staff and those they work with.

This course is for:

Those who have completed a level 1 course and are in either a supervisory or Managerial position

Levels 1 and 2

Child protection level 1 - 1 day course

This 1 day course covers issues relating to all age groups (up to 18). Participants will gain an understanding of their role in establishing a safe environment and safe working practices in protecting children and young people from harm and abuse. The course will look at identifying signs that a child might be at risk and responding to keep the child and themselves safe. It will also cover background information about the law and child protection.

By the end of this course you will have a basic understanding of:

- The need to safeguard the children and young people you are working with
- How to identify issues of concern and take appropriate action
- Ideas about keeping yourself as a worker safe within the process
- A basic knowledge of legislation related to safeguarding and protecting children and young people
- An overview of the "Every Child Matters" agenda.

This course is for:

All those who work with or have significant contact with children or young people in Early Years, school, youth or community and voluntary settings

Child protection level 2: for designated child protection officers 1 day course

This 1 day course will explore:

- Thresholds for significant harm
- The Common Assessment Framework
- Responding to children and working with parents when there are concerns
- Making referrals and what happens afterwards
- The implications for the supervision and support of staff.

The course will explore in more detail, roles and responsibilities of staff working directly with children of policies and procedures for reporting concerns.

By the end of this course you will have a fuller understanding of:

- The guidance and legislation surrounding Safeguarding and Child Protection;
- What happens after a referral is made and the role of the Lead Professional;
- Multi agency planning;
- Roles and responsibilities and the development of child protection plans;
- Knowledge of how to keep staff safe in the disclosure and reporting processes.

This course is for:

Those who have completed level 1 and are in either a supervisory or Managerial position or are a designated child protection officer