



Improving outcomes for young people and their families

Promoting positive pathways for young people who exhibit harmful sexual behaviour

Do you work with young people who exhibit harmful sexual behaviour? Do you have concerns about the sexual behaviour of young people you care for?

Research suggests that 25 per cent of all cases of child sexual abuse in the family involve a perpetrator under the age of 18. Research also shows that 82.7% of child victims who were abused by a peer didn't tell anyone about the abuse. Professionals and carers must ensure they have the knowledge to see the signs and take appropriate action.

LFF Professional Training

The Lucy Faithfull Foundation offers a range of courses from general understanding of sexual offenders and internet offenders, for those who may deal with sex offenders as part of their work, to advanced training in assessment and risk management for professionals working directly with sex offenders.



Who is it for?

Our training is suitable for those with no previous knowledge or experience in this area as well as more experienced professionals. It will be of benefit to social workers, police, therapists, education and health professionals, carers, and anyone involved in the care and support of young people and families.

We can also deliver more specialist and in-depth training which covers assessment, intervention, case management and caring for children with harmful sexual behaviours. Please contact us for details.

How will this help?

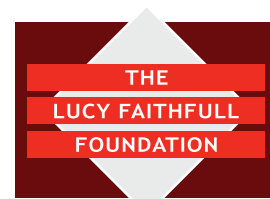
Our tailor made training sessions help participants gain the skills to recognise the continuum of sexual behaviour in children and young people. Participants learn how to distinguish between age expected behaviours and those which raise concern. And they are provided with the tools to respond appropriately to young people who exhibit harmful behaviours.

Bespoke training

Each course is tailored to your specific professional requirements, the details of which can be found overleaf.

We provide a comprehensive range of services, including training packages coupled with specialist case advice and consultancy for professionals, as well as direct work with sexual offenders and their families.

Please visit our website for more details on how we can work with you to prevent and respond to child sexual abuse: www.lucyfaithfull.org.uk



Working to Protect Children



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Whilst all the training we deliver includes practical exercises supported by research – we only deliver training which will benefit you, your organisation and your staff, so we work with you to create a package tailored to your context and your needs.

To discuss your training requirements, contact the Training Coordinator on 01527 591 922 or email training@lucyfaithfull.org.uk



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Skilled facilitators use case studies to identify the principles of risk assessment and safety planning. Attachment based practice is promoted throughout the course. Sessions also help participants explore impact and self-care when working with young people who exhibit harmful sexual behaviour.

Using the Good Lives Model participants are provided with the tools to promote positive pathways for children and young people who exhibit harmful sexual behaviour.

Attendees told us:

“I have greater confidence – I now understand this difficult subject. Definitions of normal/abnormal behaviour as per ‘traffic light system’ is a great reference source. Thank you.”

“Open honest discussion. Fantastic course - everyone should attend!”

“Everything covered in this course has been relevant and skills and tips will be very useful.”

For further details on our full range of training packages, please visit our website:
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