



Forth Valley ADPs

Children Affected by Parental Substance Misuse

Aim

This opportunity seeks to develop the knowledge and skills of workers in contact with children and families affected by problem drug and alcohol misuse. This includes health visitors, teachers, substance misuse workers and social workers, including criminal justice workers.

Overview

This learning and development event is designed to give participants the opportunity to build upon and share their knowledge of the impact of substance misuse on parenting capacity and child development. The importance of sharing information will be a key focus along with the opportunity to reflect on practical ways of improving practice. Participants will also be given the opportunity to hear the voices and words of affected children.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, participants will be able to:

- Reflect on personal and professional values and how this may impact on practice
- Understand the importance of appropriate information sharing at an intra- and inter-agency level.
- Utilise the Child's Change Cycle tool and understand how it relates to the Trans-theoretical Model of Change for adults.
- Identify protective factors which promote resilience in adverse circumstances.
- Recognise the potential and actual impact of parental substance misuse on children.

Date: 26 November 2019 - 9.30am - 4.30pm.

Venue: Camelon Education Centre, Abercrombie Street, Stenhousemuir, FK1 4HA.

Booking Information:

To book a place please follow this link: [CAPSM](#)

Please contact SDF Administration Team on: 0141 221 1175 or email: enquiries@sdf.org.uk if you have any general queries about these events.

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