

Child Protection Training for Designated Liaison Persons



Overview

This training will equip you with the knowledge and skills required to effectively perform the role of Designated Liaison Person.

Participants must have completed one day Children First Child Protection Training in the past 3 years. A strong working knowledge of Children First 2017 is required. This training is based on current legislation, national guidance and best practice outlined in Children First 2017, the Children First Act 2015 and the Child Care Act 1991.

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Method & Materials

This training can be delivered as 1 full day or split over 2 days, with 2 x 3 hours sessions:
10am-1pm or 2pm-5pm

Group Size:

14 Participants per training

The course will involve presentation, case studies and group exercises. Participants receive a Certificate of Attendance.



Outcomes

Following the workshop participants will be able to:

- Recognise their legal responsibilities in relation to child protection
- Recognise the signs and symptoms of abuse
- Explain the role of the designated liaison person in supporting staff and managing child protection situations
- Demonstrate how to speak with parents effectively when child protection concerns arise
- Describe how to deal with allegations of abuse against staff members
- Identify best practice in relation to child protection recording and reporting
- State organisational responsibilities re; child safeguarding



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