

# Domestic Abuse and Safeguarding Children

## Background

The trauma that children experience when they witness domestic violence in the home plays a major role in their development and physical well-being, effects of which can last into adulthood. The [Domestic Abuse Act 2021](#) recognises children as victims of domestic abuse rather than witnesses.

Domestic abuse can also be a sign that children are suffering another type of abuse or neglect.

## Learning Outcomes

At the end of this training participants will be able to:

- Define domestic abuse considering its breadth and manifestations
- Identify the impact of domestic abuse on parenting capacity.
- Link the effects of domestic abuse on a child's welfare and development.
- Use relevant knowledge in effective engagement with families where domestic abuse is an issue.
- Identify the multi-professional roles in meeting the needs of children and families affected by domestic abuse.
- Understand local support and safeguarding procedures for those affected by domestic abuse and their children

You can **book your place** using our [online booking form](#). Details of course fees and our cancellation policy can be viewed [here](#).

## Level 2

### Facilitator

Rahana Hussain, Independent Trainer

### CLASSROOM (full day)

**Tuesday 19/11/24**

York Room, [Redbridge Central Library](#)

09:15 Registration

09:30 Start

16:30 Finish

### CLASSROOM (full day)

**Thursday 13/03/25**

Venue TBC

09:15 Registration

09:30 Start

16:30 Finish

