

# Early Help for Children and Families – An Introduction to the CAF (Common Assessment Framework)



## Background

The aim of this course is to increase participants' understanding of early help for children and families and the CAF assessment process. The workshop will provide participants with an opportunity to explore the Team around the Family (TAF) approach and safeguarding roles within it.

## Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course participants will:

- Have an overview of the Common Assessment Framework (CAF) and how this fits into wider Safeguarding Procedures;
- Have a greater understanding of the CAF, its principles and when it should be used.
- Know how the CAF works within Redbridge and which services are available to families.
- Know what to expect at a Team Around the Family Meeting.

If you would like to request this training in-house for your organisation, please contact The CAF Team on 0208 708 **2612/2613/2614** or email: [cafadmin@Redbridge.gov.uk](mailto:cafadmin@Redbridge.gov.uk)

## Level 2

### Facilitator

CAF Co-ordinator, London Borough of Redbridge Children & Families

### ONLINE (short course)

**Tuesday 17/09/24**

09:15 Registration  
09:30 Start  
12:30 Finish

### CLASSROOM (half day)

**Tuesday 22/10/24**

[Albert Road Children's Centre](#)

09:15 Registration  
09:30 Start  
12:30 Finish

### ONLINE (short course):

**Tuesday 21/01/25**

09:15 Registration  
09:30 Start  
12:30 Finish

## FREE TRAINING

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

### CLASSROOM (half day)

**Thursday 27/03/25**

[Albert Road Children's Centre](#)

09:15 Registration  
09:30 Start  
12:30 Finish

### ONLINE (short course)

**Thursday 15/05/25**

09:15 Registration  
09:30 Start  
12:30 Finish

### CLASSROOM (half day)

**Tuesday 24/06/25**

[Albert Road Children's Centre](#)

09:15 Registration  
09:30 Start  
12:30 Finish