

Working with Fathers and Father Figures Training

This is an introduction and start of the conversation around the value of engaging fathers and father figures. We are doing a longer, more in depth half day training session around this in early July.

Please do come along and take part if you work with families and have not done any training around this before.

Bite Size Sessions

Course aims:

- To provide a brief exploration of the reasoning and value of working with fathers
- To provide the starting point for discussions around how to engage and work effectively with fathers and father figures, in your work with families and children.

| Date | Time | Venue | Closing Date |
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| Tuesday, 4 th June | 12.30 – 1.30pm | MS Teams | Tuesday, 14 th |
| 2024 | | | May 2024 |
| Thursday, 6 th June | 1.30 – 2.30pm | Beacon Centre | Thursday, 16 th |
| 2024 | | | May 2024 |

In depth half day training session

Course aims:

- To increase your understanding of issues relating to working with fathers
- To provide the starting point for discussions to explore how to engage and effectively work with fathers and father figures in your settings
- To increase your confidence and motivation to engage and work with dads

This training provides a valuable space to explore and discuss the value of fathers in their children's lives, the experiences of dads with services, and

will enable workers to learn from the broad range of experience of workers on the training, and in Salford. Salford is a leader in relation to innovative practice and engagement with dads.

| Date of Course | Thursday 4 th July 2024 | |
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| Time | 9.30am – 1pm | |
| Number of places available | 30 | |
| Venue | Beacon Centre, London Street, Salford, M6 6QT | |
| Closing date for applications | Wednesday 12 th June 2024 | |

Please note that places are limited, and bookings are on a first come first served basis please access the <u>booking form</u> at your earliest convenience to book a place. Confirmation of your place will be circulated following the closing date for nominations.

CHARGING POLICY

The SSCP has re-introduced the non-attendance charging policy. Agencies will be charged if staff fail to attend if we are not informed of cancellation at least 10 working days before the session. This includes participants who arrive late and are not admitted by the trainers as they have missed a section of the course or participants who on the day inform the trainers they need to leave early. The charge will be £50 and the charging notification will be sent to your manager following the course.