



# Cultural Awareness: Working with the Orthodox Jewish Community in Safeguarding Children and Families

## What is the course about?

This course aims to develop and deepen cultural awareness for practitioners across all agencies who work directly or indirectly with Orthodox Jewish families in order to better understand context and work effectively with the community in safeguarding children and families .

## The objectives of the course will be:

- understand the origins of the community
- understand the different groupings within the community and demonstrate professional curiosity.
- have examined the belief system and centrality of Torah –the Jewish law
- Understanding of the Jewish calendar, the family, social norms, the sabbath and kosher food to strengthen practice.
- understand the structure of community and the socio-economic profile including demographic information
- be aware of the challenges facing the community along with opportunities
- have strategies for building relationships with partners and services in safeguarding children and families.

## Agenda for the session:

- Welcome and Introduction
- Overview of the origins of the Orthodox Jewish community
- Community Structure and Socio-Economic Profile
- Building Relationships and Safeguarding Strategies
- Questions/Reflection

**Who should attend:** This session is relevant to a wide range of multi-agency professionals, who work directly with Salford children, young people and families. The learning is also relevant to the adult workforce.

<b>Date</b>	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November 2024
<b>Time:</b>	9am registration/refreshments 9.30am – prompt start 1pm- close
<b>Venue</b>	Broughton Hub
<b>Closing date for applications</b>	17 <sup>th</sup> October 2024
<a href="#">Application form</a>	

The session is free of charge and a limited number of places are available.

Places are not guaranteed, this will depend on the number of applications received and to ensure multi-agency representation. Confirmation that a place has been allocated will be circulated following the closing date for nominations.

**Salford Safeguarding Children Partnership have re-introduced the charging policy. Agencies will be charged for staff who fail to attend if we are not informed of cancellation at least 10 working days before the event. This includes delegates who arrive late and are not admitted as they have missed a section of the course, or delegates who on the day inform the organisers that they need to leave early. The charge will be £50 and the charging notification will be circulated to managers after the course.**