

Department of Children & Learning
Continuing Professional Development
 September 2011 - July 2012



Specialist Services

COURSE TITLE	TARGET AUDIENCE	DATE	FACILITATOR/ ORGANISER	SBC FUNDED	COURSE CODE
CORE PROGRAMME – MANDATORY TRAINING					
CareFirst Training	All staff new to Specialist Services	Ongoing	A. Aderogba	✓	adebolaaderogba@southend.gov.uk
Effective Report Writing	All Qualified Social Workers	19 Sept 2011 16 Jan 2012	Reconstruct	✓	SBC93
Implementing the New Care Planning Regulations and Associated Statutory Guidance	All Social Workers and IROs	Various dates tbc	tbc	✓	SBC80
Information Sharing in Child Protection Work	All Qualified Social Workers	16 Sept 2011 am 16 Sept 2011 pm 20 Sept 2011 pm 26 Sept 2011 pm	J. Coleman, L. Doe & H. Turner	✓	SBC43
Putting Analysis into Assessment	All Qualified Social Workers	13 Oct 2011 23 Feb 2012	NCB	✓	SBC94
Section 47 Enquiry and Assessment Training	All Qualified Social Workers	4 Nov 2011	R. Baker, L. Doe & S. Williams	✓	SBC95
CORE PROGRAMME – OPTIONAL TRAINING					
To attend optional training, you must have first completed in the last three years, or be enrolled for, all mandatory training.					
Achieving Best Evidence – Complex (Five day course)	Nominated Fieldwork Social Workers	Various	Essex Police	✓	sarahadams@southend.gov.uk
Achieving Best Evidence – Non-Complex (Three day course)	Specialist Services Workforce	Various	Essex Police	✓	
Child Development: Applying Theory for Effective Practice	Specialist Services Workforce	13 Dec 2011	E. Hal-Fead & S. Packman	✓	SBC42
Difficult, Dangerous or Evasive Life Story Work	Specialist Services Workforce	8 Feb 2012	Reconstruct	✓	SBC81
NQSW Adoption and Fostering Briefing Session	Nominated Social Workers	23 Sept 2011	BAAF	✓	SBC39
	All NQSWs	19 Oct 2011	D. Keens, J. Hines & A. Kirby	✓	SBC82
Planning for Planning Meetings	Qualified Social Workers	29 Sept 2011	R. Baker & S. Williams	✓	SBC105
Raising Awareness of Mental Health in Young People	All Children's Workforce	10 Feb 2012	D. Britton & J. Woollatt	✓	SBC116
SET Briefings on New Child Protection Procedures	All Children's Workforce	tbc	tbc	✓	SBC83
Theraplay Briefing	NQSWs and Foster Carers	19 Apr 2012	S. Benson & C. Packer	✓	SBC15
Using Research in Report Writing and Assessment	Specialist Services Workforce	22 Nov 2011	RiP	✓	SBC84
COMMUNICATION					
British Sign Language – An Introduction	All Children's Workforce	Various	SACC		info@southend-adult.ac.uk
Makaton Workshop Beginners 1, 2, 3, 4	All Children's Workforce	Various	SACC		As above
Makaton NOCN Level 1 & 2	All Children's Workforce	Various	SACC		As above
INTEGRATED WORKING					
An Introduction to Supporting Children and Young People with Disabilities and their Families	Those aiming to become Personal Assistants (PAs)	2 & 3 Nov 2011	Various	✓	sarahrogers@southend.gov.uk
Induction to the Children's Partnership	All Children's Workforce	22 Sept 2011 25 Jan 2012	J Ladner	✓	SBC88
Integrated Working, Assessment Skills and the Role of the Lead Professional	All Children's Workforce	9 Nov 2011 14 Mar 2012	Locality Coordinators	✓	SBC87
LEADERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, IROs and PRACTICE EDUCATION					
Analysis and Assessment Follow-On Course for Supervisors, Managers and IROs	Managers, Supervisors, IROs	1 Dec 2011	NCB	✓	SBC85
Developing Evidence-Informed Teams	Team Managers	21 Feb 2012	RiP	✓	SBC87a
Implementing the New Care Planning Regulations and Associated Statutory Guidance – for Managers	Team Managers, IROs	tbc	tbc	✓	SBC86
Practice Educator and On Site Supervisor Development Workshops	Qualified, training and aspiring Practice Educators, and On Site Supervisors	Various	South Essex College and SBC staff	✓	SBC91
Professional Standards in Practice Education	Social Workers	6 months starting Nov 2011	University of Essex	✓	sarahadams@southend.gov.uk
Research in Practice Team Managers' Workshop: "Delivering Effective Supervision Under Pressure"	Team Managers/ Supervisors	6 Dec 2011 25 Jan 2012 28 Feb 2012 29 Mar 2012	RiP	✓	Request a place via www.rip.org.uk
Supervision - Two-Day Course	Senior Practitioners/ Managers with supervisory responsibility	4 & 5 Oct 2011	In-Trac	✓	SBC112
LEGAL					
Courtroom Skills	Social Workers	tbc	Reconstruct	✓	SBC129
PLO Update Training	Social Workers	15 Sept 2011 am	J. Coleman & L. Fyson	✓	SBC127
Statement Writing and Care Plans	Social Workers	18 Oct 2011 pm	A. Crowe & S. Henry	✓	SBC125
RESEARCH IN PRACTICE – Knowledge Exchange					
Evidence Matters: Using Research in the Family Court	Social Workers	12 Jan 2012	RiP	✓	Request a place via www.rip.org.uk
RESEARCH IN PRACTICE – Learning Modules					
Analysis and Critical Thinking in Assessment	Social Workers	2 Feb 2012 & 15 Mar 2012	RiP	✓	As above
RESEARCH IN PRACTICE – Research Workshops					
Children in Out of Home Placements: Managing Effective Contact with Birth Families	Specialist Services Workforce	10 Nov 2011 17 Jan 2012 27 Mar 2012	RiP	✓	As above
Communicating Effectively with Children Under Five	Specialist Services Workforce	24 Nov 2011 13 Dec 2011 10 Jan 2012	RiP	✓	As above
Parental Drug and Alcohol Misuse: Its Impact on Children and Families and Effective Interventions	Specialist Services Workforce	20 Oct 2011 15 Nov 2011 6 Mar 2012	RiP	✓	As above
RESEARCH IN PRACTICE – Webinars					
Attachment in Children and Young People	Specialist Services Workforce	7 Dec 2011	RiP	✓	As above
Moving from a Compliance to Learning Culture in Child Protection	Specialist Services Workforce	25 Oct 2011	RiP	✓	As above
Neglect: Recognition and Response	Specialist Services Workforce	22 Sept 2011 29 Nov 2011 7 Feb 2012	RiP	✓	As above
SAFEGUARDING					
LSCB Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect e-learning (Competency Level 1)	Practitioners in contact with children and families	Ongoing	LSCB	✓	sarahadams@southend.gov.uk
LSCB Child Protection Process – CP Plans and Core Groups (Competency Level 2)	Specialist Services Workforce	24 Jan 2012 25 May 2012	M. Mitchell & C. Jennings	✓	As above
LSCB Child Protection Process – Referral to Case Conference (Competency Level 2)	Specialist Services Workforce	4 Oct 2011 14 May 2012	M. Mitchell & C. Jennings	✓	As above
LSCB Common Core of Skills and Knowledge e-learning	All Children's Workforce	Ongoing	E Academy	✓	As above
LSCB E-Safety e-learning	All Children's Workforce	Ongoing	E Academy	✓	As above

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LSCB Early Child Development (Foundation) e-learning	All Children's Workforce	Ongoing	E Academy	✓	As above
LSCB Impact of Parental Substance Misuse (Competency Level 2/3)	Specialist Services Workforce	8 Nov 2011 10 May 2012	L. Wilson	✓	As above
LSCB Information Sharing e-learning	Lead Professionals All Children's Workforce	Ongoing	E Academy	✓	As above
LSCB Managing Allegations of Abuse (Competency Level 4)	Managers	26 Oct 2011 8 Feb 2012	L. Doe	✓	As above
LSCB Parental Mental Health e-learning	All Children's Workforce	Ongoing	E Academy	✓	As above
LSCB Recognition and Response to the Sexual Abuse of Children	Specialist Services Workforce	30 Nov 2011 14 Mar 2012	L. Doe	✓	As above
LSCB Recognition, Communication and Response to Child Abuse and Neglect (Competency Level 2)	Specialist Services Workforce	31 Oct 2011 2 May 2012	H. Wilson	✓	As above
LSCB Safeguarding Children and Domestic Abuse (Competency Level 2/3)	Specialist Services Workforce	28 Sept 2011 21 Mar 2012	Fledglings	✓	As above
LSCB Safeguarding Children with Disabilities (Competency Level 2)	Specialist Services Workforce esp. CwD/ SEN	tbc	Ann Craft Trust	✓	As above
LSCB (Accredited) Safer Recruitment and Selection e-learning (Competency Level 5)	Recruiting Managers	Ongoing	CWDC	✓	As above
LSCB Serious Case Review Individual Management Reviews Author Training (Competency Level 5)	Current/ potential authors of SCR/ IMR/ LSCB reviews	11 Mar 2012	H. Wilson	✓	As above
NATIONAL PROGRAMMES					
Early Professional Development Programme	All 2nd year Social Workers	Ongoing	CWDC	✓	As above
Newly Qualified Social Worker Programme	All NQSWs	Ongoing	CWDC	✓	As above
E-LEARNING					
A number of e-learning courses are available free of charge. See CPD webpage for more information on topics covered and access	Specialist Services Workforce	Ongoing	C4EO, RiP and Scie	✓	As above
RESEARCH BRIEFINGS AND OTHER RESOURCES					
Adoption Research Initiative www.adoptionresearchinitiative.org.uk/	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	ARI	free	Access via link on left
BAAF members' resources www.baaf.org.uk/user/login?destination=index	Specialist Services Workforce, inc. Foster Carers	n/a	BAAF	✓	As above
British Journal of Social Work: free access articles and abstracts www.oxfordjournals.org/our_journals/social/childcare_articles.html	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	Oxford University Press	free	As above
British Journal of Social Work: editors choice articles www.oxfordjournals.org/our_journals/social/editorschoice.html	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	Oxford University Press	free	As above
British Journal of Social Work: sample issue http://bjsw.oxfordjournals.org/content/41/1.toc	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	Oxford University Press	free	As above
Fostering Network Resource Bank www.fostering.net/resources	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	Fostering Network	free	As above
Research in Practice www.rip.org.uk/	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	RiP	✓	As above
Scie Children and Families resources www.scie.org.uk/children/publications.asp	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	Scie	free	As above
Scie Guide 7: Fostering www.scie.org.uk/publications/guides/guide07/index.asp	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	Scie	free	As above
Scie Looked After Children resources www.scie.org.uk/children/lookedafterchildren.asp	Specialist Services Workforce	n/a	Scie	free	As above

ACCREDITED COURSES					
LEVEL 2					
Certificate in Literacy Level 2	All Children's Workforce	Flexible	SACC		info@southend-adult.ac.uk
Certificate in Numeracy Level 2	All Children's Workforce	Flexible	SACC		As above
Certificate Children and Young People's Workforce	All Children's Workforce	Ongoing	SACC		As above
LEVEL 3					
Advanced Apprenticeship in Children's Care, Learning and Development	All Children's Workforce	Flexible	SACC		As above
Diploma Children and Young People's Workforce	All Children's Workforce	Ongoing	SACC		As above
LEVEL 4					
Foundation Degree – Care Management FdSc (online distance learning)	Managers in the Children's social care workforce	Sept 2011 Jan 2012	ARU		0845 271 3333
Foundation Degree – Children and Young People FdSc	All Children's Workforce	Sept 2011 Jan 2012	ARU		As above
Foundation Degree – Leadership and Management in Health and Social Care FdSc (online distance learning)	Aspiring leaders in the Children's social care workforce	Sept 2011 Jan 2012	ARU		As above
Foundation Degree – Youth Justice Fd-YJ (G09)	YOS Workforce	Feb 2012	Open University		general-enquiries@open.ac.uk
Introduction to Health and Social Care (K101)	Specialist Services Workforce	Oct 2011 Feb 2012	Open University		As above
Professional Certificate in Effective Practice (C80)	YOS Workforce	Oct 2011	Open University		As above
LEVEL 5					
University Diploma – Children, Young People and Families	Leaving/ After Care Workers	Sept 2011 Jan 2012	ARU		0845 271 3333
POST-QUALIFYING COURSES					
BA (Hons) Social Work Studies (DipSW top-up route) (B59)	Qualified Social Workers	Oct 2011 Feb 2012	Open University		general-enquiries@open.ac.uk
PGCert in Leading and Managing in Social Work	Managers Qualified Social Workers	Sept 2011 Feb 2012	University of Essex	✓	sarahadams@southend.gov.uk
PGCert in Practice Education	Qualified Social Workers	Sept 2011	University of Essex	✓	As above
PGCert in Professional Practice (Children and Families)	Qualified Social Workers, Early Years and Youth Justice Practitioners	Oct 2011	Open University	✓	As above
PGCert in Safeguarding Children, Young People and Families	Qualified Social Workers and wider Children's Workforce	Jan/ July 2012	University of Essex	✓	As above
PQ Awards (pathways vary) • Consolidation modules • Specialist Award (including DipSW top-up) • Higher Specialist Award • Advanced Award	Qualified Social Workers	Sept 2011 Jan 2012	UEA, ARU and University of East London with Tavistock Institute	✓ (up to maximum threshold)	As above
Safeguarding Black African Children and Families (15 credit MA module)	Qualified Social Workers and wider Children's Workforce	Jan 2012	University of Essex	✓	As above
Safeguarding Children, Young People and Families (30 credit MA module)	Qualified Social Workers and wider Children's Workforce	Jan 2012	University of Essex	✓	As above

For further details of courses and for booking information, visit the CPD webpage: www.southend.gov.uk/cpd
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