



## **Training for GP staff on Domestic Abuse – How to recognise it, How to encourage a victim to engage with support services and Where you can refer.**

In the last two domestic homicide reviews in Greenwich the only professional who had contact with the victim were their GPs. GPs can save lives by asking about and then referring victims of domestic abuse to domestic abuse advocacy services.

Our training will give you all the information you need to identify abuse, draw out information from the client and refer to specialist support services. It will help you with complex cases giving you the support to help get victims to safety.

This training is run jointly by Dr Mariyam Aqeel (Named GP for Adult Safeguarding), Andrew Coombe (Designated Nurse for Adult Safeguarding) and by Davina Sicotra the Greenwich Health Independent Domestic and Sexual Abuse Advocate.

- 18<sup>th</sup> May at 11AM
- 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 11AM
- 20<sup>th</sup> July at 11AM

3 hours, online

This is essential training and can be counted towards your three-yearly safeguarding training requirement for both adult and child safeguarding. The training gives local links to both the specialist support and covers the way high risk cases can be referred and supported. You won't get this from a generic online course.

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Limited spaces so book early!