

# **KSCMP and MSCP E-Learning Courses**

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This document provides a short description of all the e-learning courses offered by KSCMP and MSCB. The courses listed below are **free** to access and are available via <https://www.kscmp.org.uk/training/e-learning-courses>

## **Abuse Related to Beliefs in Witchcraft**

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This course will help identify children and young people at risk of witchcraft abuse.

## **Autism Awareness**

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This course will give learners an introduction and awareness of autism. It is aimed at people who have no or little knowledge of Autism Condition Spectrum and want to make a difference in the lives of individuals with autism, including parents, carers and professionals.

## **Bullying and Cyberbullying**

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Bullying is a universal issue that can affect anyone, from families, to schools and communities. Cyberbullying in particular is on the rise and its impact can be severely damaging and far-reaching. This course explores the negative effects of bullying in any form and teaches positive strategies and solutions for those working with children and young people who experience bullying.

## **Child Sexual Exploitation – Level 1**

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This course has been designed to help anyone who works with children and young people safeguard them from Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE). In this course you will learn what CSE is and learn about CSE from the perspectives of the offenders and victims. You will also learn about the key role technology plays in CSE and about the differences between gang and group CSE.

## **Child Sexual Exploitation – Level 2**

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The course has been designed to help people who have a statutory duty to safeguard children and young people, to know the law in relation to Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE) and know how to record a CSE Risk Assessment. You will also learn some essential CSE practice principles and intervention strategies.

## **Domestic Abuse**

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Domestic Abuse is a serious and widespread problem which affects nearly 10% of women and 5% of men every year. In this course you will learn who is at risk and how the law can help. You will also learn about domestic abuse from the perspective of both the victim and perpetrator.

## **Eating Disorders**

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This awareness course gives an insightful overview to eating disorders. It describes the physical and psychological symptoms of anorexia, bulimia and binge eating disorder, as well as the possible causes. This course explains how carers and families can help when they suspect someone may have an eating disorder and what treatments are currently available.

## **Emotional Abuse**

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Emotional Abuse of children and young people is the most common form of abuse. However, without visible signs such as bruising and injury or disclosure from the child or parent it is particularly difficult to prove this form of abuse.

## **Equality and Diversity**

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Maintaining an awareness of issues surrounding equality and diversity is essential to any organisation. This revealing course is split into four modules to thoroughly explore the issues involved and their relevance to us all, including protections laid out in the Equality Act 2010.

With this course you will learn inclusion terms of equality and diversity and the universal benefits of promoting an inclusive workplace. The course discusses protected characteristics and explains the problems surrounding prejudice and discrimination.

## **Framework for the Assessment of Children and their Families**

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Use of the assessment framework provides evidence to help, guide and inform judgements about children's welfare and safety from the first point of contact, through the processes of assessment, planning and review.

## **Gang and Youth Violence**

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Gangs are very seriously intertwined with youth violence and criminality, and, with gang violence in the UK on the rise, it is essential we recognise the extent of the problem and understand how to safeguard children and young people at risk.

This course provides a comprehensive overview of gangs and youth violence, helping you to understand what gangs are and what they do, the part women and girls play in gangs, and what can be done to prevent gang recruitment. The course contains three modules which give you a very comprehensive picture of the current UK gang activities.

## **GDPR – Core – For Staff**

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This course provides the starting point for any data protection training and is intended for anyone who handles personal data within an organisation. The course provides information on the new Data Protection Act and General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). The course talks about why the legislation was introduced; the similarities and differences between the old regime and new one; and the enhanced rights we all have in relation to the processing of personal data.

## **Hate Crime**

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This course will provide an awareness of what a hate crime and hate incident is and how prevalent hate crimes are. You will learn who the victims and perpetrators are, what effect hate crimes have on a person, and what the current challenges are. This course will introduce you to the law around hate crime and how to respond to an incident.

## **Hidden Harm: Parental Substance Misuse, Parent Mental Illness and Domestic Abuse**

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This course provides a detailed awareness of hidden harm (toxic trio) and how it affects parents/carers and children and young people. The course will give learners excellent knowledge of the issues that affect children living with hidden harm. It will help the learner understand the cycle of events each hidden harm stressor produces and highlights how to spot signs of harm and appropriate times to break this cycle of events to safeguard the child.

## **Honour-Based Violence and Forced Marriage**

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This course will increase your understanding of the issues surrounding honour-based violence and forced marriage. It will also help you handle situations appropriately where this abuse has occurred or might occur.

## **Human Trafficking and Modern-Day Slavery**

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Discover what modern-day slavery and human trafficking looks like, with this comprehensive collection of modules. You will also learn about child trafficking and slavery, how to spot the signs of modern-day slavery and what you should do.

## **Information Sharing and Consent – for People Working with Children**

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Information sharing is key to delivering efficient service that are coordinated around the needs of children, young people and families. By completing this course you learn what information sharing is and it's importance; how information sharing can prevent harm; why it is important to keep good

records; who can give and refuse consent; the seven golden rules of information sharing; what is confidential information; and the questions you should ask prior to sharing information.

## **Keeping Good Records**

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Keeping good records is an essential part of a structured approach to work with adults, children, young people and their families. It provides evidence of your work activity and demonstrates the practical application of your knowledge and skills. This course will help improve your skills and practice in keeping good records.

## **Loss and Bereavement**

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This interactive and engaging course tackles the tough subject of loss and bereavement. The course looks at different types of loss and how they effect people, including how adults, children and young people handle loss. You'll learn how to support the bereaving adult, child or young person with practical tips and a thorough understanding of how to communicate with the bereaved.

## **Medication Awareness and Safe Handling of Medicines**

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This course will give you an insight into the procedures that should be followed when taking charge of a person's medication outside of a health setting. It discusses requesting prescriptions, maintaining records, storing, administering and disposing of medication, self-medication and issues that might arise in the administration of medication.

The course is split into two modules – medication awareness and safe handling of medicines.

## **Mental Capacity Act**

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By completing this course, you will know about the Mental Capacity Act, its principles and its implications for vulnerable adults.

## **Neglect**

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Neglect is the persistent failure to meet a child's basic physical and /or psychological needs, likely to result in the serious impairment of the child's health or development. This three-part course provides an overview, so you can learn the signs and symptoms of neglect and what to do if you suspect neglect.

## **Online Safety – Risks to Children**

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Most children use the Internet positively, but they can sometimes behave in ways that may place them at risk. Knowing the potential risks and being able to encourage responsible and safe use of

the internet is vital to help safeguard children online. The course will enable you to learn the background and legal basis for safeguarding; know the potential risks associated with the internet and what adults and children need to know in order to manage these risks; know the 3 C's: Content, Contact and Conduct; learn how to manage risks from the perspective of an adult; and learn how to manage risks from the perspective of a child and young person.

## **Online Safety for Parents and Carers**

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Online Safety is all about protecting people (especially children and young people) in the digital world – learning to understand and use new technologies in a safe and positive way and knowing the risks as well as the benefits.

## **Personal Safety: Lone Worker**

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This course explores safety for lone workers. It looks at who a lone worker is, what they might experience as a lone worker, and the responsibilities of their manager. It also looks at lone worker's responsibility for their own safety. Different scenarios are explored including working in another person's home, working in your own home, travelling, working alone in an employer's building, and dealing with aggression.

## **Physical Abuse**

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People who physically abuse children can be anyone who comes into contact with a child. This course will enable you to learn the definition of physical abuse; know who physically abuses children; know the signs and symptoms of physical abuse; and learn the points to consider where physical abuse is suspected.

## **Private Fostering**

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Private Fostering is where the parent or parents of a child makes a private arrangement with someone who is not a close relative, to care for that child for a period of 28 days or more. The child must be under the age of 16, or under 18 if disabled. This course will enable you to learn what Private Fostering is; look at the legislations and regulations that have an impact on Private Fostering; understand the role and duties of local authorities; discover what you need to do when you become aware of a Private Fostering arrangement; and learn where to go for further advice and guidance.

## **Safeguarding Awareness – For Higher Education**

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This safeguarding awareness course is for all staff and students who might come into contact with or who have occasional contact with children or vulnerable adults as part of their work/placement.

The course explains what is meant by the terms used, how to recognise abuse, how to reduce the risk of abuse, and what to do if you suspect abuse or if abuse is disclosed to you.

## **Safeguarding Against Radicalisation – The Prevent Duty**

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**This course is Home Office accredited and approved.**

In this course you will learn about the Prevent Strategy and the Channel process and what you should do if you believe that someone you know is vulnerable to being exploited or radicalised.

## **Safeguarding Children – For Education (Level 1)**

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This course is intended for people who work in the Education sector who make or who could potentially make safeguarding referrals to the Local Authority Children’s Services.

## **Safeguarding Children (Level 1)**

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This course will help to ensure that all people working with or who have contact with children and young people are equipped to carry out their safeguarding responsibilities effectively.

## **Safeguarding Children (Level 2)**

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This course is intended for people who make or who could potentially make safeguarding referrals to the Local Authority Children’s Services. This course will enable you to learn about the types of questions that can be asked, should be asked and should be avoided; know what to consider before making a referral; understand the importance of keeping an up to date chronology; and know what information should be provided to the Local Authority Children’s Services and the questions you should ask them.

## **Safeguarding Children in Sport**

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This course examines the roles of people who come into contact with children through sport. It describes abuse and considers what can be done to ensure that abuse is recognised, stopped and prevented.

## **Safeguarding Children with Disabilities**

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This course will enable you to learn the definition of disability; know why disabled children are more vulnerable to abuse; and understand the challenges faced where abuse of a disabled child is suspected.

## **Safer Recruitment**

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This course will help you to recruit staff or volunteers in organisation that provides services for children and young people. This course has been development in line with the Department of Education 'Keeping Children Safe in Education' Guidance.

## **Self-Harm**

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This course will help you learn the risk factors of self-harm; the common reasons why children and young people may self-harm; and how to respond. It will discuss how to approach the issue in schools and how healthcare professional can feel prepared to help children and young people they come into contact with.

## **Sexual Abuse and Recognising Grooming**

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By completing this course you will learn why it is important to talk about and address child sexual abuse; learn the definition of sexual abuse; know who sexually abuses and exploits children; know the signs and symptoms of sexual abuse; and recognise the points to consider where sexual abuse is suspected.

## **Substance Misuse**

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This course will enable you to understand how drugs work, how their use affects people and their families, and how addicts can be helped to recover.

## **Suicide Prevention – Risks and Awareness**

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Welcome to this suicide prevention e-learning course. It is made up of three modules, each taking approximately 15 minutes to complete.

This course has been designed to ensure you have a basic understanding of suicide prevention issues and to increase your knowledge and confidence about the role you can play in keeping people safe.

The course has been funded and developed in partnership by the Kent Safeguarding Children Multi-Agency Partnership, Kent County Council, Medway Council and NHS partners.

## **Teenage Pregnancy**

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This course will enable you to understand the complex issues of teenage pregnancy; its causes and consequences; the current Government strategies for reducing teenage conception rates and sexual

risk-taking; and how the right support and access to contraceptive advice and services can make a difference.

## **Understanding Behaviour of Children and Young People**

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This course will enable you to outline the benefits of studying the behaviour of the child or young person; examine the words used to describe behaviour; consider both observable and hidden aspects of behaviour; explore what it meant by acceptable behaviour; and look at examples of how to manage the challenging behaviours of various age groups.

## **Understanding Child Development**

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The aim of this course is to give learners an awareness of child development and the opportunity to begin to think about how an understanding of how children and young people develop impacts on practice.