



Community Sector Training

Annual Report
2020-2021

FOREWORD

I am thankful and proud to present the 2020-21 annual report for Community Sector Training. This report presents a somewhat different year for our community and team of trainers.

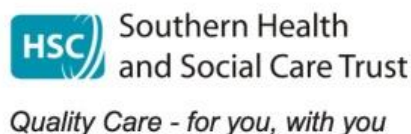
March 2020, around the beginning of the Covid-19 pandemic saw the community and voluntary sector thrown into extremely difficult and challenging times. Restrictions were imposed on groups, meaning they couldn't meet with or provide the essential support to the community in their normal manner. This too impacted on Community Sector Training, with our services being stood down and redeployed to assist with helpline calls for those who needed help with food, fuel, social contact, pharmacy and food deliveries.

However, to continue to meet the needs of the organisations in our communities, we had to adapt our training to make it accessible online, in a safe non-contact fashion to equip groups with the safeguarding knowledge they needed. Whilst we had concerns at the beginning, it has proven to be very effective and has highlighted positives, such as participants and trainers can remain in the comfort of their own homes, no travel is required, especially on cold winter nights and a much wider scope of users can be accommodated in the sessions. Face to face training will always have the edge though and this will resume again in the not too distant future, but we are happy to say we will carry on offering a blend of both.

Over the remainder of the year, from September 2020 to March 2021, we managed to overcome "YOUR'E ON MUTE" and "SORRY YOU GO FIRST" and have successfully delivered training to 201 participants from 30 different groups!

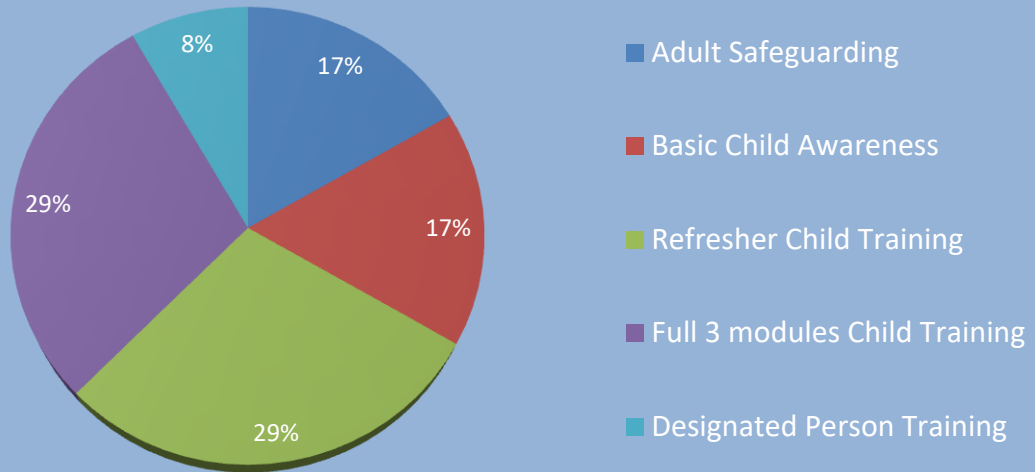
Whilst it is still unclear what the future has in store, we are confident as a team that we will continue to adapt to whatever changes come about and will strive to carry on working in partnership with the community and voluntary sector, providing training and promoting good safeguarding practices.

Alison Daly – CST Co-ordinator



TRAINING DELIVERY STATISTICS

Safeguarding Courses Delivered 2020/2021



2020 / 2021

24 courses delivered

201 participants

30 organisations

Since CST began in 1998, there have been 16,971 people trained!

RANGE OF SAFEGUARDING TRAINING COURSES

See page opposite for range of training courses available. At present all training is still being delivered remotely via Zoom. Please note timings for courses may vary from times shown due to online delivery.

Contact cst.training@southerntrust.hscni.net for all training enquiries.

WHAT SAFEGUARDING COURSE DO YOU NEED?

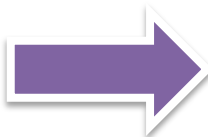
CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Your role doesn't involve much direct or regular contact with children or young people



BASIC AWARENESS COURSE
(3 hours)

Your role involves working directly with children or young people, OR, you are involved in developing policies and procedures for the group.



FULL CHILD SAFEGUARDING COURSE (3 modules x 2.5 hours each)

You completed the FULL SAFEGUARDING COURSE no more than 3 years ago and need to refresh your training.



REFRESHER COURSE
(3 hours)

You are going to be the Designated Person for your group & have undertaken the FULL or REFRESHER course in the last 3 years.



DESIGNATED PERSON FULL COURSE (2 modules X 3 hours each)

Completed full DP course in the last 3 years and need to refresh only.



DP REFRESHER
(3 hrs)

Residential trips for Groups.



RESIDENTIALS COURSE (2hrs)

ADULTS

If your role doesn't involve targeted services for Adults and you need to raise the awareness of everyone involved in your group.



ADULT SAFEGUARDING AWARENESS COURSE
(2hours)

TRAINING DELIVERIES IN THE COMMUNITY



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Below are some of the groups that received training this year:

ABC Community Network

Armagh Child Contact Centre

Belfast Central Mission – Dungannon

County Armagh Community Development

Confederation of Community Groups

Coalisland Food Bank

Coalisland Training Services

Craigavon Football Club

Emmanuel Church

Garrymore Residents Association

Good Companions Group

Inclusive Inability Trust

Kilmore Archers

Laurenctown LLCA

Moyraverty Art & Drama Society

Mid Armagh Community Network

Monbrief Residents Group

Rural Health Partnership

Schomberg Society

St Joseph's Pipe Band

Team Evolve Martial Arts







The Tandragee Veteran's Support Centre

Vibe Armagh

WALD Centre

Zero-8-Teen

USEFUL CONTACTS

Organisation or service	Contact Info	Useful for
 Southern Health and Social Care Trust Quality Care - for you, with you	Adult Protection Gateway Teams (Southern HSC Trust area) 028 3756 4423	Central point of contact for people who wish to share a concern about an adult at risk or an adult in need of protection who is not already known to social services.
Emergency out of hours Regional Social Worker	028 9504 9999 More info at www.northerntrust.hscni.net/pdf/Regional_Emergency_Social_Worker_Service.pdf	Emergency advice relating to people in crisis which cannot be left until the next working day
 PSNI	Non-emergency number - 101 Emergency number - 999	Will handle any criminal aspect of suspected abuse and refer on protection or support aspect as part of a multi-agency approach
 Federation Northern Ireland	Domestic and Sexual Violence Helpline 0808 802 1414 www.womensaidni.org 24-hour National Domestic Violence Freephone Helpline 0808 2000 247	Dedicated Helplines which operate 24 hours a day. It is open to anyone, male or female who may be a victim of abuse. Women's Aid is the lead voluntary organisation in Northern Ireland addressing domestic and sexual violence and providing services for women and children. They provide refuge accommodation, support services and deliver a range of research and education programmes.
Gateway Teams	Central number - 028 3741 5285 Freephone - 0800 783 7745 Armagh and Dungannon team - 028 8771 3506 Craigavon and Banbridge team - 028 3834 3011 Newry and Mourne team – 028 3082 5000 (Option 1)	First point of contact for people who wish to share a concern about a child or young person who is not already known to social services.
PSNI Central Referral Unit (CRU)	Central Referral Unit (CRU) 028 9025 9299 or Non-emergency number - 101 (CRU is extension 30299)	Will handle any criminal aspect of suspected child abuse and refer on child protection or support aspect as part of a multi-agency approach
	0808 800 5000 help@nspcc.org.uk More info at www.nspcc.org.uk	Help, advice and support if you are worried about a child. Can signpost on to other services.
	0800 389 4424 More info at www.therowan.net	24/7/365 support for men and women who have been sexually abused, assaulted or raped, whether this is historic or recent. (NI's sexual assault referral centre)
	0800 1111	Free confidential advice and support for children aged 18 and under

COMMUNITY SECTOR TRAINING TEAM

Contact us:

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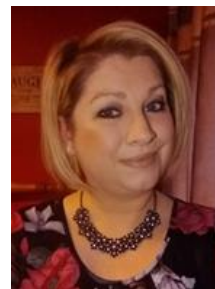
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Look us up online and follow us on social media:

www.southerntrust.hscni.net/livewell/1986.htm



CST Trainers

Our team of professional, freelance trainers all come from various safeguarding backgrounds and are committed to delivering high quality training across the Southern Trust.

Our talented team of trainers:

- Sam Walker
- Aine Harrison
- Fiona Mullan
- Karen Clarke
- Chris Mullholland
- Elaine Wright
- Seamus Donnelly
- Róisín McAliskey
- Lynne Harvey

CST Steering Group

Chairperson: (currently not filled)

Members:

- Laurence Bradley, CCG (Confederation of Community Groups)
- Lorraine Griffin, COSTA (Community Organisations of South Tyrone and Areas)
- Roisin McCann, SHSCT (Southern Health & Social Care Trust)
- Brendan McCann, TADA (The Antrim, Down and Armagh Support Network)
- David McMullen, CACD (County Armagh Community Development)
- Donna Haughian, SHSCT (Southern Health & Social Care Trust)



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