

# Level 3 Working with Emotional Abuse/Neglect of children and young people and their families

## What is the training about ?

This full-day course aims to give Practitioners the opportunity to explore in some depth the topic of emotional abuse and neglect. It will look to discuss the impact of trauma and the tools which can be utilised to assess, analyse and plan care. It will allow participants the space to reflect on individual practice in order to develop and enhance their understanding and confidence in what is a challenging area.

## Who is the training for ?

Staff who work with children, young people and families and who contribute to the assessment, planning, intervening and reviewing of their needs.

## What level is this training, and do I need any specific skills ?

Attendance at this training should be agreed with your line manager. A foundation level knowledge and awareness regarding child protection policy and practice is desirable.

Whilst some content (particularly regarding policy, guidance and practice) is aimed specifically at NHS Tayside staff, staff from other services will be asked to refer to their own agencies policy, guidance and practice.

## Key Information

### Date and Venue

Thursday 25 April 2024  
James Murray Suite, MRH, Perth

Wednesday 12 June 2024  
Boardroom, Level 10, Ninewells, Dundee

Thursday 22 August 2024  
Boardroom, Level 10, Ninewells, Dundee

Wednesday 13 November 2024  
James Murray Suite, MRH, Perth

All courses will run from 9.30am – 4.30pm

To request a place on any of the above, please email: [Tay.pptraining@nhs.scot](mailto:Tay.pptraining@nhs.scot)

If you wish to cancel your session, please do so using the email address above so that it may be offered to another member of staff.

## How is this training taught ?

This training is taught by experienced professionals and offers a range of methods to help participants develop both skills and knowledge. These include direct formal input, video resources, small & large group discussions & case study materials.

## By the end of the training course participants will be able to:

- Explain what is meant by the term emotional abuse/neglect.
- Describe the signs and symptoms of a child who may be experiencing emotional abuse/neglect.
- Explain the short and long term impact of emotional abuse/neglect on a child/young person.
- Describe your role and responsibility in the early intervention of emotional abuse/neglect
- Be aware of the impact of Trauma, the different types of trauma that exists and how Practitioners can respond to people affected by trauma.
- Identify the benefits of using the National Practice Model in your assessment, analysis and planning.

