

Course Title:	Sexual Safety and Relationships
Course aims	This <b>half-day workshop</b> aims to offer delegates a better understanding of the sexual safety and relationships within a health and social care setting. Emphasis will also be on what practical strategies we need to consider within the service setting.
Course outcomes	By the end of this workshop, delegates will:
	Receive an overview of the legislation, guidance and background relating to sexual safety and relationships - e.g. Human Rights 1998, Mental Capacity Act 2005, Promoting Sexual Safety Through Empowerment 2020
	<ul> <li>Reflect on sexual safety, stigmas and taboos; challenge our own thoughts, values and beliefs and consider what we can do to promote a culture of inclusion and empowerment.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Support people to maintain, develop and have safe sexual relationships, to speak up if concerned about harmful behaviours, understand predatory behaviour and recognise early warning signs of distress.</li> </ul>
	Look at what support we can put in place; explore care environments and risk assessments, the use of and improvement of technology to support safety, positive risk taking, issues surrounding social media, mobile phones, mobile devices and the internet
	Through the use of case studies, explore the roles and responsibilities of staff, as identified in Care Act, using a non-judgemental, personalised approach with the people who require our support
Target Sector	This course is suitable for workers in a range of roles that have a direct impact on the lives of people within health and social care services.