



The Place Prevent Child Protection and Safeguarding Training

Information about Prevent and the Channel Process

The current threat from terrorism in the United Kingdom can involve the exploitation of vulnerable people, including children and adults at risk, in terrorism or in activity in support of terrorism.

Prevent is part of the Government's multi-strand anti-terrorism strategy, 'Contest', and is directed toward stopping people becoming terrorists and or supporting terrorism.

Channel is a key element of this strategy and is a multi-agency approach to protect people at risk of radicalisation. Channel utilises existing collaborations between local authority, statutory partners (for instance the education and health sectors, social services, children and youth services and offender management services), the police and the local community to:

- Identify individuals at risk of being drawn into terrorism
- Assess the nature and extent of that risk
- Develop the most appropriate support plan for the individual(s) concerned

Channel is focused on early intervention and aims to protect and divert people away from the risk they face before they become involved in any type of illegal activity.

Prevent Training Requirements for Staff at The Place

All members of staff employed by The Place are asked to complete the following online training as part of the Government's Prevent Strategy and as part of our responsibilities as a CDD School.

Prevent Awareness E-Learning:

<http://www.elearning.prevent.homeoffice.gov.uk>

This offers an introduction to Prevent Duty and explains how the strategy aims to safeguard vulnerable people from being radicalised to supporting terrorism or becoming terrorists themselves.

The training should take approximately 45 minutes to 1 hour to complete.

Prevent Referrals E-Learning:



<https://www.elearning.prevent.homeoffice.gov.uk/preventreferrals>

This training provides further clarity on the Prevent referrals process and should be completed by all staff.

This training should take approximately 45 minutes to 1 hour to complete.

Once you have completed the 2 training courses above, please download a copy of each certificate and send it to the HR Team.

Safeguarding Training

For those who work with young people (under the age of 18) we ask you to complete the NSPCC's "Child Protection: An introduction" course. This takes up to 3 hours and is an online introductory safeguarding course where you will gain skills to act appropriately and confidently to protect children you work with.

You can access the course by following this link:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/what-you-can-do/get-expert-training/child-protection-introduction/>

Alternatively, contact HR who can register you a license to complete the training. Once completed please email/print a copy of your certificate to HR.

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