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## Web Course Delivery Update

### Working Together To Safeguard Children—Level 3



Halton Children & Young People Safeguarding Partnership delivers a two-day face to face course of Working Together to Safeguard Children (Level 3) for practitioners working with children. The existing course has been re-designed & condensed into a one-day virtual course. Pre-read/post course booklets have been created to ensure delegates have access to all the learning that formed part of the face to face course. We understand the demand for the re introduction of the Working Together Course and so with this in mind, we are pleased to announce the following dates for the Web delivery commencing this month;

**Friday 30th October 2020 and Friday 27th November 2020**

Booking enquiries should be emailed to [Safeguarding.Training@halton.gov.uk](mailto:Safeguarding.Training@halton.gov.uk)

### Sexual Violence Awareness

St Mary's Centre



Sexual Assault Referral Centre



Specialist Sexual Violence Support  
CHESHIRE & MERSEYSIDE

We are delighted to announce the scheduling of two Web course sessions facilitated by professionals from RASASC and SARC. They are highly motivated towards raising society's awareness of the prevalence and consequences of sexual violence as well as helping to challenge common myths and unhelpful perceptions.

**Monday 2nd November 2020 & Monday 22nd February 2021.**

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## What's the acronym?

**It was identified from a Domestic Abuse Multi-Agency Audit that practitioners remain unaware of the differences between MARAC and MAPPA. Do you know their roles?**

### MAPPA

#### Multi-Agency Public Protection Arrangements

- Multi-agency public protection arrangements are in place to ensure the successful management of violent & sexual offenders.
- The 1st stages of the process are to identify offenders who may be liable to management under MAPPA as a consequence of their caution or conviction & sentence, and later to notify the MAPPA Co-ordinator of their impending release into the community, or the commencement of a community order or suspended sentence.
- MAPPA offenders are managed at 1 of 3 levels according to the extent of agency involvement needed and the number of different agencies involved.
- The next stage is to assess the risk they pose. And to then manage that risk.

### MARAC

#### Multi Agency Risk Assessment Conference

- Non-statutory arrangement for managing risk posed to victims of Domestic Violence.
- Any agency can refer. Assessment of the risk posed to the victim as being high or very high. Local MARAC set the threshold in line with local resources.
- The role of the MARAC is to facilitate, monitor and evaluate effective information sharing to enable appropriate actions to be taken to increase public safety.