

Whistleblowing – Half Day

Who should attend this half day course

Managers and front line staff working with vulnerable adults in any care or support setting

Introducing Faiers Training

Faiers Training uses twenty-one years of experience in the care & support sector to deliver training that is both professional & practical

COURSE OVERVIEW

'It is necessary only for the good man to do nothing for evil to triumph.' *Edmund Burke (1729-1797)*. Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults from Abuse is everyone's responsibility. This half day course, (which can be used as a Safeguarding refresher) recognises the fact that an organisation can have excellent Safeguarding procedures and yet workers still lack the confidence to blow the whistle on abuse, neglect or bad practice. The course aims to empower whistleblowers and as a result enhance the Safeguarding Adults agenda.

COURSE CONTENTS

- **What is Whistleblowing?** (including definitions of Whistleblowing, Reasonable Belief, Acting in Good Faith etc)
- **When to Whistleblow** (e.g. Highlighting poor practice as well as blatant abuse)
- **Why is Whistleblowing important in a Social Care Setting?** (including real cases of what can happen when no-one speaks up)
- **How Whistleblowing improves outcomes for vulnerable adults** (including real cases of positive outcomes following Whistleblowing)
- **Common barriers to Whistleblowing**
- **The compelling arguments for Whistleblowing**
- **Protection for Whistleblowers** (including the Public Interest Disclosure Act and internal encouragements offered by the employer)
- **A practical step by step guide to Whistleblowing in your organisation** (this links in to your organisation's Whistleblowing procedure)
- **Sources of Support & Advice** (including Public Concern at Work)

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