

KSCMP Private Fostering Virtual Training



Private fostering is where the parents of a child make a private arrangement with someone who is not a close relative, to care for that child for a period of 28 days or longer. The child must be under the age of 16, or under the age of 18 if disabled.

Would you be able to recognise a private fostering arrangement and know what to do?

This course is for professionals working with children and it will enable you to:

- Understand what a private fostering arrangement is;
- Gain a better understanding of the risks and vulnerabilities of privately fostered children;
- Discover your duties and what you need to do as a professional if you become aware of a private fostering arrangement;
- Understand the role and duties of local authorities with regards to private fostering;
- Learn where to go for further advice and guidance on private fostering.

If you would like to attend this course, upcoming dates are as follows:

- [Thursday 27 June 2024, 12:30pm to 2pm via Microsoft Teams](#)

How to book a place

To book a place please click on the date you would like to attend. Please note you will need to enrol onto the course then book onto the session date. If you do not have an account for our training portal you will need to [create an account](#). **The system will not allow you book a place on behalf of a colleague, all individuals wishing to attend must book via their own account.**

If you have any queries, please contact kscmptraining@kent.gov.uk