

# Learning & Development "Info Burst"

September 2020

Launching the NEW Foster Care Learning & Development Brochure!!!!!!

**GREAT NEWS!!!!** We are happy to announce the new look L&D brochure for Foster Carers will be available soon.

We are once again providing you with a variety of training that will support you in your role as a mainstream or connected carer. You will see some changes in how we are delivering training, this is due to the current Covid-19 situation.

If you need support in accessing training please contact the Learning & Development team using the e-mail address below or alternatively speak to your Supervising Social Worker.



If you would like to book onto any training, please email:  
[training\\_sct@sandwellchildrenstrust.org](mailto:training_sct@sandwellchildrenstrust.org)

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Tony and Andy from STS Medics are ready to welcome you back to First Aid training. Following a risk assessment they have implemented a number of changes to ensure a safe learning environment.

21st, 22nd, 23rd October 2020  
18th, 19th, 20th November 2020  
16th, 17th, 18th December 2020  
13th, 14th, 15th January 2021  
17th, 18th, 19th February 2021  
17th, 18th, 19th March 2021

Times: 10:00-14:30 on all 3 days  
Venue: TBC



The Foster Care Training Hub is the UK's largest hub of resources, created specifically for the Foster Care sector. They offer accredited and compliant online training – covering all standards and regulations. The Foster Care Training Hub is part of The Big Initiative which is a multi-agency collaboration bringing together expert practitioners to provide exceptional resources.

[www.thefostercaretraininghub.co.uk](http://www.thefostercaretraininghub.co.uk)



If you haven't already got an account, please contact the Learning & Development team with your name and e-mail address

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The following courses are available for you to complete by logging into your Artemis account (link below). They will provide you with an awareness of your responsibilities and the impact you can have on improving outcomes for children and young people.

- ACES's – Adverse Childhood Experiences
- SEND – Special Educational Needs & Disabilities
- PREVENT

<https://www.zoomlms.co.uk>



If you don't have an account please e-mail the Artemis team:

[Artemis\\_eLearning@sandwell.gov.uk](mailto:Artemis_eLearning@sandwell.gov.uk)

## Self Directed - Distance Learning Fully Funded Level 2 Certificates



CQM are offering fully funded courses for people:

- 19 years or older
- EU resident for min. 3 years

Courses usually take between 6 and 10 weeks to complete, via an online portal or in workbooks. Successful learners will achieve a nationally recognised Level 2 Certificate in the chosen topic.

Register your interest by 'ordering' a course and they will send you an application form. (Please note you will be charged £125 if you do not complete the course once registered)

Some of the courses on offer include:

- Awareness of Bullying in Children and Young People
- Safe Handling of Medicines
- Equality and Diversity

<https://www.cqmlearning.co.uk/#!/Fully-Funded-Level-2-Certificates-VRQs/c/27974381>