

# Safeguarding Vulnerable Children from Abuse while Managing Allegations against Professionals

A Half Day Training Course  
Thursday 25th April 2013, Glasgow

**Aqualma Murray**, Independent Trainer and Consultant in  
Child Protection and Children's Mental Health Needs



Feedback from previous delegates:

*"Aqualma is an inspirational tutor"* Child & Youth Care Worker

*"Practical ideas linked to theory and lots of tips"* Social Worker

*"Very relevant"* Nurse

*"Real life case studies and stories"* Teacher

# A Half Day Training Course - Safeguarding Vulnerable Children from Abuse while Managing Allegations against Professionals



This training course will provide those working with children with a better understanding of how abuse impacts on children and the task of managing behaviours that may involve de-escalation, restraint and allegations against professionals.

The course will be taught through a series of short presentations, scenarios and case studies along with group exercise and discussion to ensure your learning is interesting and informative.

## Training Course Programme

- 9.30 Welcome and introduction
- 9.45 Types of abuse that children may experience
- 10.15 Understanding the impact of abuse with particular emphasis on children with autistic features/ learning difficulties
- 10.45 The relevance of attachment issues and the impact of abuse
- 11.00 Refreshment break
- 11.15 What to consider when the use of control and restraint is required with children who have learning difficulties
- 12.00 Managing disclosures and allegations  
The appropriate process/action for managing allegations and discussion about abuse, false allegations and guidance for staff when working with these issues.
- 12.30 What professionals need to know in order to look after themselves when faced with challenging behaviour, addressing disclosures and dealing with allegations against professionals.
- 1.00pm Approx close

## Course Tutor: Aqualma Murray

Aqualma's training style is dynamic, inclusive and valuing of what participants bring and share. Aqualma has worked in social work for over 25 years with a range of services in most care settings including child protection, brain injury and working with physical disabilities. Aqualma has worked as the national lead manager for a charity promoting the rights and wellbeing of children who are looked after by local government and within young offender's institutions, secure children's homes and secure training centres.

## Course Information

**Date:** Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2013

**Venue:** City of Glasgow College

**Time:** The course will start promptly at 9.30 – 1.00pm

**Registration cost:** £96.00 + vat including refreshments

## Registration

**By Post:** To register for this course, please complete the registration form on the leaflet, detach and return no later than

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2013**

**Online:** [www.medicacpd.com](http://www.medicacpd.com)

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It is advisable book ASAP as places are restricted. Confirmation of booking and further information will be emailed to you.

## Registration Form

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Job title	
Organisation	
Email (required)	
Address	
	Postcode
	Telephone
Special diets/mobility	
Purchase order number (if relevant)	

## I wish to attend (please tick the appropriate box)

- Safeguarding Vulnerable Children**  
Thursday 25th April 2013, £96.00 + £19.20 vat = **£115.20**

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An invoice will be sent to the appropriate person by email. If you would prefer to receive confirmation by post please tick this box

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