



BCHC Safeguarding Conference 2025

“Developing effectiveness, competence, and confidence in safeguarding practices”

Thursday 30th January 2025 - Birmingham City Football Club, Small Heath, B9 4RL

‘Domestic Abuse’

0900-0910	Welcome address and house keeping	Lorraine Gallagan Chief Nurse
0910 -0930	DA Strategy and Toolkit	Nikki Plummer Head of Service – Domestic Abuse and Interpersonal Violence at BCT
0930 -1000	West Midlands Police	Matt Underwood and Laura Allen Detective Chief Inspector and Detective Inspector at WMP
1000 -1020	Sikh Women’s Aid	Sahdaish Pall Sikh Women's Aid CEO
1020 -1040	Black Country Women’s Aid – Stalking	Lorraine Garratley Community Services Manager
1040-1055	Refreshments	
1055 - 1125	Way through	Madalina Lazar & Eesa Tidmarsh Senior Domestic Abuse Practitioner
1125 - 1200	“My story as a survivor of Domestic abuse”	David Barker Survivor of Domestic Abuse
1200 - 1245	Lunch 1200-1245 and Market place 1200 -1300	BSWAID , West Mids Fire Service , Sikh Women’s Aid, Anawim, BCWA, Birmingham LGBT, Sexual Safety Charter, Roshni
1300 - 1315	Roshni	Shaila Pervez Manager at Roshni Birmingham
1320-1535	Workshops: a) Management support for staff victims of domestic abuse b) Risk assessment and safety planning c) Domestic Abuse and the adolescent d) Learning from Domestic Homicide Review’s e) Impact of Domestic abuse on children and young people	By: a) Cathy Knox & BSWAID b) Natalie Turner & Chris Ariyathurai c) Helen Richards & Laura Ashby d) Way through e) Claire Holmes, Sarah Oakley and Alison Wells
1320- 1420	Workshop 1	
1420 - 1435	Refreshments	
1435 - 1535	Workshop 2	
1540 - 1550	Reflection and evaluation	Rebecca Martin – Deputy Chief Nurse
1550 - 1600	Closing remarks	Richard Kirby - Chief Executive

Thank you on behalf of all the BCHC Safeguarding team. Please remember to use the QR code to complete your evaluation.



Have a safe trip home.

Thoughts and reflections:

- Am I professionally curious?
- Can I recognise abuse and neglect?
- Can I identify risk and analyse the impact?
- Do I 'Think Family'?
- Do I understand Referral pathways?
- Do I share information?
- What could I do to enhance my safeguarding practice?
- **THINK THE UNTHINKABLE**

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