



DONCASTER SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN PARTNERSHIP

PRACTITIONER CONFERENCE: NEGLECT

****Please note this will take place online via Microsoft Teams****

09:00-16:00

20th April 2022

PROGRAMME OF THE DAY

Welcome to the Doncaster Safeguarding Children Partnership Practitioner Conference 2022. Within the programme you will find details of keynote speeches and timings of the day.

If you are yet to book a place, please do so via the Doncaster Safeguarding Children Partnership email:

dscp@doncaster.gov.uk

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09:00 Welcome – Delivered by Interim Manager of the Safeguarding Business Unit, **Susie Harris-Hughes**

09:05 **‘Thinking Critically About Neglect’** – delivered by the Director of Research in Practice, **Dez Holmes**.

10:30 - Break

10:45 **What do we know about practice in Doncaster?** – Delivered by Independent Chair of DSCP and DSAB, **John Goldup**:

An overview of what we have learnt from audits, case reviews and inspection about multi-agency practice around neglect in Doncaster

Launch of Doncaster’s Neglect Strategy - Delivered by Director of Children’s Social Care, **Rebecca Wilshire**:

11:45 In Doncaster we want to ensure no child is left behind, and we want to ensure every child has the support they need to thrive and achieve good outcomes. We know concerns around Neglect is increasing and in Doncaster we are working together to address and eradicate Neglect in our Borough.

Across Doncaster’s Partnership a Neglect Strategy has been produced and in today’s Conference we are launching the strategy so together we can make a difference.

12:30 **An introduction to NSPCC’s Graded Care Profile 2 (GCP2)** - Delivered by the Implementation Relationship Manager at the NSPCC, **Samantha Kyriacou**:

An introductory session on how GCP2 can support practitioners to bring about positive change for families affected by neglect.

13:00 Lunch Break – 30 mins

13:30	Multi-Agency Threshold and Levels of Need - Delivered by Social Worker Dee Parker and Early Help Area Service Delivery Manager (South) Alison Tomes: Brief update and details of upcoming available training dates.
13:45	Case Studies: Exhibiting Good Practice in Doncaster – Delivered by Head of Quality, Performance and Standards Clive Chambers
14:30	BREAK – 15 minutes comfort break
14:45	‘Child Neglect – from a Police and Forensic Psychologist Perspective’ – delivered by Detective Sergeant Kath Coulter and Forensic Psychologist, Dr. Jodie Howarth-Beale: Insight into what the police have been doing in order to broaden the understanding of neglect for police officers
15:45	Closing Remarks - Delivered by Director of Learning, Opportunities and Skills, Riana Nelson
16:00	Completion of feedback form, posted in the chat & end of the conference