



**Kirklees Safeguarding Children Board**  
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## Workshops - Restorative Approach for Kirklees

Dear colleagues,

Working restoratively together with the children and families of Kirklees is central to our plans for improving outcomes for children. We are pleased to invite you and your teams to join us for an introductory session as we work to embed our restorative approach.

Please forward this invitation to any colleagues you feel should be invited. This is a great opportunity to bring together people from across our partnership to learn together and develop relationships.

The workshops will take place at the **Hudawi Centre in Huddersfield** and each one will last for 3 hours, dates and times below.

<b>26/02/2018</b>	<b>p.m. only</b>	<b>1.30 - 4.30</b>
<b>27/02/2018</b>	<b>9.30 - 12.30</b>	<b>1.30 - 4.30</b>
<b>28/02/2018</b>	<b>9.30 - 12.30</b>	<b>1.30 - 4.30</b>
<b>01/03/2018</b>	<b>9.30 - 12.30</b>	<b>1.30 - 4.30</b>
<b>06/03/2018</b>	<b>9.30 - 12.30</b>	<b>1.30 - 4.30</b>
<b>07/03/2018</b>	<b>9.30 - 12.30</b>	<b>1.30 - 4.30</b>
<b>08/03/2018</b>	<b>9.30 - 12.30</b>	<b>1.30 - 4.30</b>

Book your place on a workshop [here](#).

### **Further information about the Workshop**

This workshop is for anyone who works with children and families from Kirklees Council and partner organisations.

This session is for anyone who works with, or those whose job brings them into contact with, children, young people and their families, whether full or part time, paid or voluntary. It will give you a comprehensive introduction to the theory and practice of restorative approaches.

Restorative practice is about the building, maintaining and repairing of relationships. It is based on those in authority doing things with people, rather than to them or for them, helping people to find creative solutions to issues that are affecting them whilst avoiding blame, retribution and punishment. It can help build a sense of community in all settings, from schools, children's homes, police, social care, partnerships and communities.

If you have any queries please call Learning and Development on 01484 221000 extension 77946. I do hope you can attend, and look forward to receiving feedback.

Steve Walker

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