

Skills Development Plan for Foster Carers

Name of foster carers	
Date of approval	

Training, Support and Development Standards (TSD)	
Date completed	
Current Level:	

Intermediate Level and essential in maintaining intermediate level

- At least four separate training courses as detailed in their SDP, with reflections (each carer to complete at least 2 courses each).
- Both carers to complete any mandatory courses required (e.g. safeguarding, paediatric first aid) in person.
- Completing further learning specific to their circumstances as discussed with the supervising social worker and detailed in their SDP.
- Attending at least 2 of the foster carers collective meetings or fostering events (e.g. big thank you). If in a couple, this is an expectation of one of them, but we would love to see both of them attending. For kinship carers that do not reside locally they should speak to their supervising social worker about how we support this.
- Attending at least 1 coffee morning/evening during the year. If in a couple, this is an expectation of one of them, but we would love to see both attending.
- Adhering to meeting National Minimum Standards (e.g. completion of daily logs, this includes kinship carers).

Name of Course	Completed by Primary or Secondary Carer	Type of Learning	Date of Course completed	Reflections on training
Paediatric First Aid Course	Both	Face to Face		
Inter-Agency Child Protection - Level 2 Intermediate	Both	Face to Face		
Secure Base (Training Hub)		Online		
Reporting and Recording Level 2 (Training Hub)		Online		
Internet Safety (Training Hub)		Online		
Equality and Diversity (Training Hub)		Online		
Education, Health and Care Plans (Training Hub)		Online		

Child Sexual Exploitation Level 2 (Training Hub)		Online		
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Additional learning	Date of learning (pod cast, film, book etc)	Date of completion	Reflections on training

Over the Next 12 Months Training/Learning recommended

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