

# Private Fostering Training

Private fostering is when a child under the age of 16 (or 18 if they have a disability) is cared for by someone other than a parent or close relative for more than 28 days without the involvement of their local authority/social care.

The aim of the training is to raise awareness of private fostering and help practitioners to identify when children are being privately fostered and know how to respond appropriately.

## The training objectives of this session are to understand:

- What Private Fostering is;
- Why children might be privately fostered;
- The responsibilities of the local authority and other partner agencies; and
- How to identify when a child is privately fostered and what action should be taken.

This training is for: Multi-agency practitioners working with children and young people

The training takes place;

- **19th June 2024**, @ the grange, 10:00am to 11:30am
- **30th September 2024**, at Solaris Centre, 10:00am to 11:30am
- **2nd December 2024**, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, Bispham scout hut
- **20th march 2025**, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, TBC

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