

National Conference on male victims of domestic abuse

'Surviving Domestic Abuse: Experiences, Services and Solutions'

Conference Sponsor to be confirmed

Wednesday 14th November 2018 (09:30 to 16:30) Premier Inn (Premier Meetings) Manchester (Piccadilly), 72 Dale Street, Manchester, Greater Manchester, M1 2HR

One in every six men in Britain will suffer from domestic abuse in their lifetime and one in every three domestic abuse victims are male. There is a growing need to ensure men and their children receive male-victim friendly support in their community from local organisations in the statutory, private and third sector. This includes ensuring statutory, safeguarding and equality obligations are met.

Delegates at the CPD accredited Conference will hear from a range of survivors, professionals and academics working across the domestic abuse sector. They will deliver thought provoking presentations whilst highlighting how you can help to ensure male victims and their children in your local community can be supported, as well as explaining the experiences and barriers these victims face.

Speakers include:

- Dr Elizabeth A. Bates
- Lori Busch IDVA
- Dr Ben Hine
- Dr Sarah Wallace IDVA
- Ian McNicholl
- Marilyn Selwood IDVA
- Mark Brooks
- Male survivors of domestic abuse

Sessions will include:

- Running a refuge/safe house for male victims
- Running a drop in and helpline
- The lived experiences of male victims
- Societal attitudes towards male victims
- Pattern changing for male victims
- Panel and Q&A discussion with male survivors

Venue:

www.premiermeetings.co.uk/venue/manchester-city-centre-piccadilly/60

The Premier Inn is less than five minutes' walk from Manchester Piccadilly railway station – there is paid for parking on site (see web address above for details)

Who should attend?

Those working in community safety, public health, social services, domestic abuse, the legal system (police, solicitors, CPS, probation), adult and children safeguarding, health, housing associations, health service, victim support, anti-social behaviour, men's health and welfare, equality & diversity, voluntary/third sector, academics and researchers.

Cost:

£50 student delegate rate

£85 per delegate for (non-housing association) voluntary/third sector/private individuals and £235 for three delegates

£100 per delegate for statutory agencies, housing associations and private sector and £265 for three delegates.

Lunch/coffee/tea included

Booking:

A booking form can be downloaded via www.mankind.org.uk/conference

All Conference related enquiries can be submitted to conference@mankind.org.uk or call **01823 334229**

Programme: Coming soon at www.mankind.org.uk/conference

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