

Organisational Foundation Training by Zoom/Teams

Talking Mats is a person-centred communication framework that helps children and adults:

- think about and express their views;
- have more choice and control in their lives;
- Be more involved in decisions that affect them.

It has helped me to think about communication in new ways and I feel confident at using Talking Mats now.

It is based on extensive research and designed by Speech and Language Therapists. It uses specially designed symbols and is widely used within Health, Social Work, Residential and Education settings.

The training allows you to:

- Understand and use the Talking Mats framework;
- Think creatively about how to use Talking Mats in your setting;
- Reflect on your own communication.



Course Structure:

- Three remote learning video sessions by Zoom/Teams. Participants are expected to attend all 3 sessions. Sessions last for 2.5 hours and include a screen break.

Course Content:

- Presentations, videos and activities to consolidate learning;
- Assignments, including making a short film of using a Talking Mat that will be shared in the last Zoom/Teams session. This will be a smaller group session to allow for in depth discussion.

I've really enjoyed doing something so meaningful, and which is having such a positive impact on my practice.



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