

## The Complexities of Sex Work and Trafficking

This one day **CPD accredited** course has been designed by frontline practitioners in partnership with one of the lead national experts on Female Sex Work and Human Trafficking in the UK. **The course provides an extensive discussion of the complexities of trafficking for sexual exploitation.** It will help attendees develop a deeper understanding of the lived experiences of sex workers, the issues facing individuals who have been trafficked and how trafficking and sex work legislation, and their implementation, affects sex workers. It also explores the complexities and risks of blurring the lines between sex work and trafficking and good practice for engaging with women sex workers at risk of being trafficked. The course features sex workers' voices and perspectives throughout.

### Who is it aimed at?

This course is aimed at professionals in the third sector or public services that work with sex workers and vulnerable women. This could include: *Substance Abuse services, Health services (incl. mental health, sexual health, GPs and hospital staff), Police, Probation services, charities (women's, homelessness, health, DV, SV, substance abuse, criminal justice, sexwork, Rape Crisis)*

### What this course covers:

- Understanding sex work, models of sex work and how this relates to trafficking
- Unpacking the blurring of lines between migrant sex workers and trafficking victims
- The legal frameworks around sex work and trafficking
- Signs of trafficking and the dangers of stereotyping
- The lived experiences of sex workers
- How the experiences of trafficked women might affect trafficking operations
- Trafficking legislation viewed from a sex work perspective
- What a rights-based response to supporting those involved in the sex industry may look like

***This course is currently only available as bespoke to your organisation.***

**Time:** 9:30 – 4:30 (full day)

*'Thank you! Great to listen to people who clearly have a wealth of knowledge and experience and care deeply about helping others.'* **Hope for Justice, Manchester**

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