**Request for Quotations – Domestic Abuse Training**

**Introduction**

In Summer 2022, Safe Lives reported on their review commissioned by Somerset County Council (SCC) which considered the response to domestic abuse in Somerset, specifically looking at the Public Health Approach, review of MARAC and the response to perpetrators.

A number of recommendations were made, including relating to delivery of training to multi-agency professionals.

**Training Required**

There are 3 courses which SCC would like to commission as a result of the Safe Lives report recommendations. These are to help improve practitioners understanding of how to:

1. deal with ‘counter-allegations’
2. effectively engage with people who cause harm
3. implement culture change across agencies.

**Audience**

The intended audience is practitioners from a range of statutory and voluntary sector agencies, to help improve the co-ordinated community response to domestic abuse. In order to ensure maximise take-up, each course can be delivered multiple times (up to 3).

**Timescale**

Award of training provider(s) by 31st January 2023

Agreement signed by 23rd February 2023

Training dates To be agreed – between March and November 2023

**Quotations**

You are invited to submit a quotation for delivery of one, two or all three of these training courses.

Please ensure your quotation details:

1. an outline of the training content,
2. numbers of delegates who can attend each session (noting they are to be delivered up to 3 times to maximise attendance)
3. suggested delivery dates (can be approximate)
4. if the training is to be face to face or online via Teams or Zoom (or another platform, if so, please specify)
5. cost per training session (with breakdown of cost)
6. who will provide the training, and summary of their experience/qualifications

**Please submit your quotation for delivery of these training sessions by Tuesday 3rd January 2023, via email to** [**communitysafetyteam@somerset.gov.uk**](mailto:communitysafetyteam@somerset.gov.uk)

If you’ve any questions please email Suzanne Harris at the above email address.

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