



Sexual Health Education

Sex and the Law

Overview

To support professionals working with young people and vulnerable adults, this briefing aims to increase confidence, knowledge and awareness on the laws regarding consent and sexual behaviour.

This will enable professionals to promote positive sexual health, encouraging conversations with their client around consent and healthy relationships as a measure of prevention against harm.

This briefing will include a Teams presentation (one hour and fifteen minutes) aiming to expand knowledge and increase understanding of the law in relation to sexual activity.

Content

- History and legislation regarding consent and sexual activity
- Understanding the term consent and its importance
- To learn about the law in relation to online protection including sexting and revenge pornography
- Exploring the definition of and different types of sexual harassment
- Gaining an understanding of confidentiality when accessing sexual health services.

Learning outcomes

- The legal definition of consent and the law surrounding it, including how to give and withdraw consent
- The Sexual Offences Act 2003
- The ways in which to evaluate and promote online safety
- The potential consequences of unsafe sexual activity online including sexting and where to go if you need help
- Identifying sexual harassment
- Local services

Book your session

To book onto this training and to organise a suitable date for your staff team, please email both hayley.tooley@liverpoolft.nhs.uk and kelly.cartwright@liverpoolft.nhs.uk.

Visit [axess.clinic](https://www.axess.clinic) for further information on sexual health services.