



Learning Disability Services 2018

SCWRU & Making Research Count Workshops for the Learning Disabilities Workforce

CPD certified workshops that explore aspects of working with people with learning disabilities. Speakers engaged in current research provide research messages with a practice focus, with lots of time for discussion and debate.

Circles of Support and Accountability: a trauma based approach which addresses harmful sexual behaviour Tuesday 23 January 2018 at King's College London



This workshop will be led by **Lorenzo Picco, Circles of Support and Accountability (COSA) Project Worker at Respond**. Lorenzo's past experience includes supporting people with learning disabilities and autism; teaching children and adolescents with behavioural problems; and working with young offenders and young people with mental health and substance misuse problems and those at risk of sexual exploitation.

Respond has been working therapeutically with individuals with learning disabilities for over 25 years. The **Circles of Support and Accountability (COSA) Project** is a community based initiative informed by attachment and trauma theory. This session will look at *Respond's Circle Model* and how that meets the needs of a range of young people and adults with learning disabilities who have harmful sexual behaviour or who have sexually offended, findings and case studies from previous Circles.

This workshop will take place 2-4pm with tea/coffee & registration from 1.45pm.

Venue to be confirmed, but likely to be the Franklin-Wilkins Building, King's College London, Waterloo Campus, Stamford Street London SE1 9NH (5 mins from Waterloo Station)

This workshop is free to attend but booking is essential. To book please go to:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/circles-of-support-and-accountability-a-trauma-based-approach-which-addresses-harmful-sexual-tickets-37484187213>
