

CGL Training Programme for Professionals Coventry 2023

Change Grow Live are delivering FREE training and information sessions for our partners interested in developing drug and alcohol awareness, available to all the stakeholders and agencies who work closely with us or our service users.

We will be holding these sessions both online and in our office at Lamb Street. We can also deliver in person sessions to your organisation onsite. To book onto any of our courses, contact coventrytraining@cgl.org.uk

Our sessions are ideal for: **Pharmacists, housing officers, social care, homelessness teams, mental health, general health workers, outreach workers, police, benefits advice agencies, children's social care, health visitors, teachers, anyone working with children or adolescents.**




Most of our sessions run for between 1-2 hours with a variety of interactive activities and tasks, information videos and an information pack to keep after the session.

We also offer pre-recorded information videos around various substance related topics and the work we do at CGL Coventry.

Our sessions are led by our Community Development Lead, and often accompanied by one of our volunteers, sharing valuable lived experience and knowledge with the attendees.

Calendar dates and course specifics attached. Feel free to share this calendar with your professional network who may benefit from our programme. Also, keep an eye on our social media channels throughout the year for added events and sessions. We look forward to welcoming you!

Course	Dates Available										
<p>Introduction to CGL Services Coventry via our Coffee Morning</p> <p>A short presentation covering what we do and our referral pathways, accompanied by refreshments and the opportunity to speak with our staff and volunteers.</p>  <p>1.5 hours</p>	<p>AT CGL - LAMB STREET</p> <p>First Wednesday of each month 10.30-12.00 BEGINNING IN MARCH 2023</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="703 501 1394 577"> <tr> <td>1/3/23</td> <td>5/4/23</td> <td>3/5/23</td> <td>7/6/23</td> <td>5/7/23</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2/8/23</td> <td>6/9/23</td> <td>4/10/23</td> <td>1/11/23</td> <td>6/12/23</td> </tr> </table>	1/3/23	5/4/23	3/5/23	7/6/23	5/7/23	2/8/23	6/9/23	4/10/23	1/11/23	6/12/23
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<p>Opiate Substances Awareness</p> <p>An overview of opiates such as heroin, the effects of the drug and the treatment and support available, harm reduction advice and how we can support as a community around the stigmatic issues of opiates.</p>  <p>1.5 hours</p>	<p>ON MS TEAMS</p> <p>Tuesday 14th February 10.30-12.00</p> <p>Tuesday 9th May 10.30-12.00</p> <p>Tuesday 22nd August 10.30-12.00</p> <p>Tuesday 14th November 10.30-12.00</p>										
<p>Non-Opiate Substance Awareness</p> <p>An overview of non-opiate drugs such as cocaine, cannabis and NPS, the effects of these types of drugs and the support and treatment available for these substances, including brief interventions and harm reduction advice.</p>  <p>1.5 hours</p>	<p>ON MS TEAMS</p> <p>Tuesday 14th February 12.30-2.00</p> <p>Tuesday 9th May 12.30-2.00</p> <p>Tuesday 22nd August 12.30-2.00</p> <p>Tuesday 14th November 12.30-2.00</p>										
<p>Alcohol Awareness Workshop</p> <p>Exploring the effects of alcohol, alcohol dependency and guidance around brief interventions. Advice on how to recognise the signs someone may need support, brief interventions and how to start those conversations.</p>  <p>1.5 hours</p>	<p>AT CGL- LAMB STREET</p> <p>Wednesday 29th March 10.00-11.30</p> <p>Wednesday 14th June 10.00-11.30</p> <p>Wednesday 27th September 10.00-11.30</p> <p>Wednesday 13th December 10.00-11.30</p>										

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<p>Substance Misuse and Mental Health</p> <p>The links between drugs, alcohol and mental health. Understanding what dual diagnosis is and how we play a role.</p>  <p>1.5 hours</p>	<p>ON MS TEAMS</p> <p>Monday 13th February 10.30-12.00</p> <p>Monday 8th May 10.30-12.00</p> <p>Monday 21st August 10.30-12.00</p> <p>Monday 13th November 10.30-12.00</p>
<p>Substance Misuse in Pregnancy</p> <p>We Look at the risks associated with the use of drugs and alcohol whilst pregnant, the risk to unborn children, potential long term harm to children including FASD.</p>  <p>1.5 hours</p>	<p>ON MS TEAMS</p> <p>Monday 13th February 12.30-2.00</p> <p>Monday 8th May 12.30-2.00</p> <p>Monday 21st August 12.30-2.00</p> <p>Monday 13th November 12.30-2.00</p>
<p>Naloxone and Overdose Training</p> <p>Essential information for anyone working with injecting drug users including correct needle sizes, paraphernalia, injecting risks, and safer injecting advice.</p>  <p>1.5 hours</p>	<p>AT CGL- LAMB STREET</p> <p>Thursday 30th March 10.00-11.30</p> <p>Wednesday 3rd May 2.00-3.30</p> <p>Wednesday 19th July 2.00-3.30</p> <p>Thursday 2nd November 10.00-11.30</p>

Please email coventrytraining@cgl.org.uk with your name, organisation and the course name and date you would like to book.