

## Staying Safe: Health & Safety Basics for Childminders

### Overview

The aim of this briefing is to give new and existing childminders a common-sense guide to protecting the children (and others) in their care

**Please note that this session does not deal specifically with Child Protection issues**

### Who is it for?

This workshop will be of special interest to new and prospective childminders, as well as those with more experience who simply wish to update their knowledge

### Content

This short session will cover:

- Your responsibilities – what you **MUST** do, and what you **SHOULD** do
- The legal framework and Ofsted standards
- Carrying out a risk assessment
- Taking children out of the home on outings
- How H&S links to the Every Child Matters framework

### Format

This is a short briefing – 3 hours – so be prepared for a fun and friendly, but practical and information-packed session!



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