

Feedback from Facilitator Training in Oxfordshire September 2014

Amazing training, thank you.

I was a little apprehensive at the start, not quite knowing what to expect.... however you delivered the course with such passion and feeling that I became so engrossed I didn't want to leave! (It was also nice not having to be pc). Being "in role" is a fantastic way to work through the book as it really brings the effects home. I am planning on delivering a course early next year, if not before, and I can't wait to do it!

Thank you!

Huge thanks to Pat the training was amazing and I have taken lots away from it and feel very inspired to now go out and deliver the programme. Best training I have attended in a long time.

It was an amazing few days. Pat we love you.

Just wanted to thank you for a fantastic 3 days on the Freedom Programme Training, I thoroughly enjoyed it and took a lot away from it and cannot wait to run a programme. I can honestly say it is the best training I have ever been on! Your delivery style is second to none which made it engaging and fun.

"Real training for a real course" Feedback from facilitator training in Wirral

Wirral Training Feedback

Very interesting course, looking forward to delivering the programme. Facilitator lovely very knowledgeable. Liked the way facilitator brought bits of her experience into the sessions.

Was an eye opener. Nice to get together with other professionals. Good knowledgeable trainer. Enjoyable. Will use this in programmes and on 1-1 basis in client's homes.

I found the training valuable both personally and professionally. My views on society stereotypes have come into question. Valuable insights on warning signs. Looking forward to delivering and also sharing the information with my daughters as they mature.

The training was enjoyable. Interesting to learn different tactics of dominator and gain insight into effects on children. Group work mixed with case stories/examples from Chris were a good balance. Would recommend to colleagues.

Fantastic training Chris was brill, made it fun and knew here stuff. Loved the course and really looking forward to running it. I think every professional working with children and families should have knowledge of the programme and its content.

Thank you for the training. It wasn't a boring "sit in front of a PowerPoint" training. I felt it was real training for a real course. Chris was approachable and down to earth. I enjoyed learning about the freedom programme and I look forward to running it. I hopefully will make a difference to the families in Birkenhead.

Enjoyed the three days very much. Have wanted to attend this training for a few years and this is my first opportunity. Valuable training experience. Better able to help and support the mums and families that I work with.

Fabulous training, I have learned valuable information. Tutor relaxed and doesn't put you under pressure (like some courses) Really enjoyed this training. Would like to observe "How Hard can It Be". Thank you.

Enjoyable three days. I found the practice running a session very useful and supportive. Look forward to putting what I have learned into practice and supporting families who may be in an abusive situation. I feel the course will empower families and allow them to help themselves.

Really nice feel to the training group. Chris ran it at a good pace with plenty of pause for thought and opportunities for questions along the way. Chris had good knowledge of the programme and was confident in her delivery. A really excellent three days which have opened my eyes and helped me understand issues from men, women and children's perspectives.

This training has been powerful, lots to take in. I look forward to using my training and helping others. The training was delivered in a good relaxed way and was explored really well. Thank you so much.

Totally raised my awareness with regards to tactics especially subtle/early warning signs. Trainer very knowledgeable, felt relaxed and comfortable and able to participate without being nervous.

Great training very informative, good resources, great facilitator, lots of information given during the sessions. Group work was good, I liked moving into different groups getting different people's opinions. Thank you Chris I can wait to deliver the programme and start supporting women.

Useful course, feel more confident about running a programme. I would like further training to facilitate a men's programme and how to respond to situations that may arise. Would appreciate observing one. I feel the dynamics would be very different, especially with partners present.

Informative and useful training that was engaging and had a good amount of participation for the learners. I feel confident to deliver the programme now, thanks to the practice session and interesting questions from colleagues. Chris was great and gave lots of practical advice for running the programmes.

Testimonials Brearley October 2014

An absolute eye opener!! Very empowering! Go on the training!! Thank you!

Teachers Assistant

This was an emotional journey which has made an impact on my life and role as a TA, working with parents and others. To be able to do a program to help others in gaining knowledge and knowing there is light at the end of the tunnel and to give an impact on others.

Teachers Assistant

It is an eye opener. Everyone should do it. Recommend early intervention such as trying to get into primary school. This has encouraged me to go out and promote FP to everyone and do what i can to support women. Would like to encourage a network.

Family Support Worker

Fantastic, amazing, inspiring, uplifting, educational, heartbreaking, yet so incredibly knowledgeable and honest. Thank you again, may god bless you for your great work x.

Outreach Worker

Life changing experience and an eye opener.

Family Support Worker

Most definitely, it has been such an eye enlightening journey. The fact that Clare had so many 1st hand experiences and scenarios that brought things alive really brought home the key messages. Thanks for the privilege of attending this course.

Head Teacher

Excellent program - learn about DV. How an individual can dominate through strength, role etc. life changing experience for ladies and men.

Safeguarding.

It's informing and enables all staff working with people, both young and old know how to support.

As an educator, it enables one to understand youngsters going through an abusive term and empowers one to be able to give appropriate support.

Deputy Head Teacher

How empowering the course is.

How much it can help/ support our moms and their children. How much ladies can gain from taking part in the course. Fantastic.

Family Support Worker

Go on the training!

Book a place now!

Its life changing!

Everyone should/ needs to do the course!

Family support

It was very good. I will tell them to attend.

Unknown

I would strongly recommend them to take part in the course as it gives you a clear knowledge on domestic violence and equips you as a facilitator to pass on skills for victims to recognize this. The course is flexible enough to allow you to not make heavy judgments on whether it is happening or not. Thank you xxx

Family Support Worker

Yes, work for Walsall Council part time, hope to introduce to children from a targeted group I work with.

Senior Family Support Worker

It is a very wonderful, eye opening course. It empowers you to work to make a difference to women/men in this situation. Clare was amazing!

Teachers Assistant

It's great. it will improve awareness and insight and help parents to make choices to positively improve well-being of families.

Family support worker/ Lead Father's Work Coordinator

I would explain how good this program is. I would talk about my ex-perience in this program. I would really persuade them to ask more questions about what it is about etc.

Language Support Assistant