'Understanding and Working with Teenage Violence to Parents' 'Using Targeted Interventions' 2 Days Training

20th and 21st September 2012 at Cedar Court Hotel and Conference Centre, Wakefield, WF4 3QZ

This two day training offers practitioners an opportunity to gain knowledge, skills and awareness for working more effectively with families that experience 'Child to Parent Abuse'

At the end of the course you will:

- Have gained a greater understanding and awareness around factors surrounding this issue
- Be able to identify common characteristics, indicators and needs of these families
- Have learnt about effective engagement in this area of practice
- Gain practical skills for delivering targeted sessions
- Be offered a 12 session frame work which can be utilized in work with teens, parents/carers (or both) either as a group work or 1:1 intervention
- Receive sample 'assessment tools and monitoring processes
- Understand the restorative links to this work

Feedback from past delegates:

"From day one I think ideas, strategies and tools taken from this training will be used in the team's day to day practice and support for our families."

K. Chant, Extended Service Manager

"One of the best courses I have been on!"

R. Moran, Pupil Referral Unit Support Worker

"The content of the course was 'user friendly' and it could be adapted easily for a variety of settings and families. V. Hann, Attendance Support Worker

Wonderful training! Very capable facilitators with a wide knowledge.

D. Green. Youth Worker. The Dron-In

"I am much more confident now"

P. Armfield, Early Intervention Service

Total Cost

£450.00 per delegate

Booking forms (attached) or can also be downloaded at www.alternativerestoratives.co.uk

Delivered by experienced trainers who are passionate about making a difference...

Lynette Robinson BA (Hon, Dip NLP

With a 10 year background in Youth Justice and Education, Lynette brings a wealth of practice,

research, training delivery and 'start-up' co-ordination of an early UK pilot for Teen to Parent Violence and Restorative Practices for Schools. In 2010 she was awarded a Winston Churchill Fellowship Award and spent 8 weeks researching good practice models in America. Her time spent working alongside 'Step Up' facilitators in two Youth Justice Departments, allowed Lynette to observe the week-on-week delivery and effect of this successful group work intervention for teens that are violent at home. Lynette's Churchill Report: 'Interventions and restorative responses to address teen violence against parent' www.wcmt.org.uk offers an 'alternative' contribution to this area of practice development and research in our own country. Since leaving the public sector to establish 'Alternative Restoratives' an innovative training and practice development company, Lynette has developed and delivered training and professional awareness raising events and also presented at conferences on both a national and international level. She is passionate about supporting the development of new and alternative areas of practice for working more effectively with troubled teens and their families.

Sally Fawcett BA (Hon)

Sally is an experienced and qualified practitioner who has worked in criminal justice for 13 years with young offenders and their parents. With a degree in Youth Justice, she works with high risk, complex cases and has developed a specialist practice around 'teen to parent violence'. In 2010 Sally undertook an independent study entitled, 'An investigation into the causes of Teenage Violence to Parents'. She delivers professional training, awareness raising and practice development within this subject across a range of family services in her own authority and also works as Associate Trainer for Alternative Restoratives.

Sally has been involved in the original development and delivery of a UK multiagency pilot called 'Do It Different' since 2009. She continues to lead on coordination, development, facilitation and growth of this joint (teen/parent) group work programme that now receives referrals from Youth Offending, Social Services, Domestic Abuse Services, Education, G.P's, Prevention and Early Intervention Services. Sally's extensive group work facilitation experience in this field allows her to bring a front-line perspective to this training event.