

# Assessment Skills

## Course details

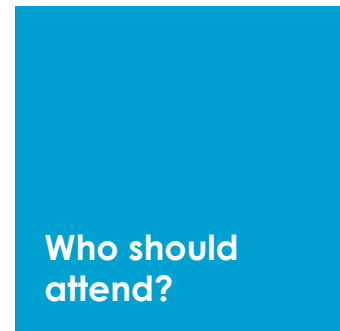
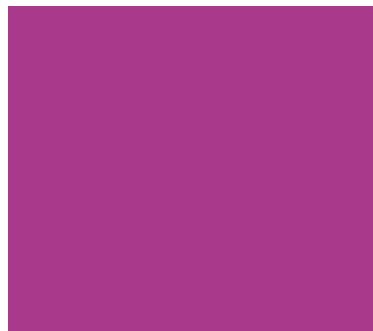
This course will help practitioners develop the skills required to complete good quality, holistic assessments on children and young people from pre-birth to 19 years old. It will cover the purpose and principles of effective assessments, address methods and frameworks and support the identification of need and application of multi-agency thresholds.

The content of the training will be a mix of theoretical input and experiential exercises designed to enable workers to practice new skills or refresh existing ones. The course focuses on development of generic assessment skills within a multi-agency context, which can be applied to a wide range of assessments across different agencies. This course builds on AXS03 Integrated Working which focuses on the tools and processes that support the Common Assessment Framework (CAF).

## Duration

2 days

9:15am - 4pm



Who should  
attend?

## Learning outcomes

- Purpose and principles of assessment
- Partnership working with families and the wider professional network
- How to gather purposeful and holistic information
- Analysis of assessment information
- Understanding and applying multi-agency thresholds
- Building effective action plans using a solution focussed approach
- Developing an understanding of the difference between needs, actions and outcomes
- Next steps in relation to practice

This course is for any practitioner who will be undertaking holistic assessments on children and young people from pre-birth to 19 years.

## Booking information

Please call Sarah Batten Coe on **07783 882950**  
or email [admin@integratetraining.co.uk](mailto:admin@integratetraining.co.uk)

**This course is free for Social care staff - Early years and child care staff (PVI included) or £110 full price per place. This course is funded through the Children's Trust partnership and invoicing details or confirmation of eligibility for central funds are required for applications.**