

SALFORD PREVENT NEWSLETTER

A Note from Denee

Hello Everyone,

Welcome to the March newsletter. This month's newsletter is introducing the new training schedule for this next year in Salford (April 2026 – March 2027).

As ever all our training is free, and priority is always given to those who work with children and adults in Salford.

We have a range of training available for you this year including:

WRAP, Incel, Small Steps ERW and Mis/Dis information training.

WRAP is a must for anyone working with children and young people in Salford as it focuses on the ways to safeguard vulnerable people from being drawn into terrorism.

So, it is important that everyone has this training.

Please read each of the training packages and if you do want to book on, you can find the booking links on the right-hand side of this page or at the bottom of the training information page.

As ever please let me know if you need any help and support regarding training or anything else Prevent.

If there's a newsletter theme you would like us to explore, please drop us a line and let me know.

Thanks, Denee.

KEY DATES:

[Pease right-click the links below to book onto a training course.](#)

[Click Here To Access The Booking Form For Responding to Mis/Dis Information and Conspiracy Theories Training - 26 March \(10 am -12pm\)](#)

[Click Here To Access The Booking Form For Responding to Mis/Dis Information and Conspiracy Theories Training - 30 March \(10am - 12pm\)](#)

[Click Here To Access The Booking Form For Responding to Mis/Dis Information and Conspiracy Theories Training - 22 April \(10am -12pm\)](#)

[Click Here To Access The Booking Form For Responding to Mis/Dis Information and Conspiracy Theories Training - 29 April \(3 – 5pm\)](#)

[Click here to book onto: Understanding the Threat of Incel Violence - 7 May 2026 \(10 - 11:30am\)](#)

[Click here to book onto: Small Steps: Adult Extreme Right Wing – 11 June 2026 \(10 - 11:30 am\)](#)

[Click here to book onto: WRAP - Preventing Violent Extremism – 16 June 2026 \(10 - 11:30am\)](#)

[Click here to book onto: Understanding the Threat of Incel Violence - 6 August 2026 \(10 - 11:30 am\)](#)

[Click here to book onto: Small Steps: Safe Space Panel Discussion, Thursday 10 September 2026 \(10 - 11.30am\)](#)

[Click here to book onto: WRAP - Preventing Violent Extremism – 16 September 2026 \(10 - 11:30am\)](#)

To find out about training packages please contact:
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Understanding the Threat of Incel Violence - Virtual Training

Target Audience:

Salford professionals working with children or adults, especially in a safeguarding context.

Please be aware this training will use extreme language and talks about suicide, mental health, physical violence, sexual assault, and rape of women and girls.

This training is for professionals only, due to the nature of the content.

The training will be approximately 2 hours in length and will include:

- What is an Incel?
- Why do vulnerable young men access these sites in the first place?
- Why do they feel comfortable there?
- How are vulnerable men radicalised to commit such acts of violence?
- The sexual abuse of women and children within the Incel community
- The connection of the Incel community and the far right
- The history, rhetoric and vocabulary of the Incel community
- How to recognise and respond to young men expressing their views

Please note that places are limited, and bookings are on a first come first served basis. **The booking form will close when the course is full.**

How to request a place: [Please Click Here To Access The Booking Form For Understanding the Threat of Incel Violence Training](#)

The training will be delivered via Microsoft Teams and you will receive a calendar invite which will include the link.

DID YOU KNOW?

1. Incels are a sub-culture community of men who forge a sense of identity around their perceived inability to form sexual or romantic relationships.
2. The term "Incel" was coined in 1997 by a Canadian woman named Alana, who started "Alana's Involuntary Celibacy Project" as an inclusive support group for lonely people of all genders.



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WRAP – Workshop to Raise Awareness of Prevent (Preventing Violent Extremism)

- Virtual Training

Overview:

To raise awareness of PREVENT and CHANNEL as a strategy to reduce the number of people becoming radicalised or supporting violent extremists.

This training explores:

- Understanding different ideologies
- Understanding the risk and threads specifically for those in Salford.
- How to recognise, respond and protect a person you think is being groomed into radicalisation.
- How to refer and referral good practise
- What interventions are offered to those with Prevent Concerns

This online session is for practitioners who have contact with vulnerable people (of all ages, young and older) to safeguard them from violent extremism.

Places are on a first come first served basis so please access the booking form at the earliest opportunity to secure you place.

The booking form will close when the course is full.

How to request a place:

[Please Click Here To Access The Booking Form For WRAP Training](#)

The training will be delivered via Microsoft Teams and you will receive a calendar invite which will include the link approximately 2 weeks before the training.

DID YOU KNOW?

The Terrorism Act 2000 sets out the definition as:

1. The use or threat of violence designed to influence the government, an international governmental organisation or to intimidate the public or a section of it.
2. The use or threat of the violence is for the "purpose of advancing a political, religious, racial or ideological cause".
3. The violence must be "serious violence" or actions that would endanger someone's life or cause serious damage to property.



Responding to Misinformation, Dis-Information and Conspiracy Theories - Virtual Training

The session will share information and help build confidence on a most pressing and challenging question:

What are the appropriate and effective ways that we can respond to misinformation, disinformation and conspiracy theories?

This session will:

- Look at what misinformation is
- How conspiracy theories work
- Consider why and how people are drawn to false narratives
- Share insights about the causes and effects of divisive attitudes
- Identify potentially effective approaches to countering misinformation and disinformation

How to request a place:

[Please Click Here To Access The Booking Form For Responding to Mis/Dis Information and Conspiracy Theories Training](#)

There is limited availability for each session and priority will be given to those who work in Salford.

DID YOU KNOW?

1. 71% of people see Misinformation, Dis-Information online
2. 43% of people see Misinformation, Dis-Information on TV
3. 21% of people see Misinformation, Dis-Information via print media.
4. Extremist groups frequently use social media to target teenagers.



Have you seen or heard something that doesn't feel right? Could it be related to terrorism?

Trust your instincts and tell us below.

Action Counters Terrorism

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Small Steps: Safe Space Panel Discussion Participation - Virtual Training

'Safe Space' is a panel discussion led by Small Steps, which includes a 30-minute presentation to group the group followed by a Q&A session with Small Steps and other participants.

Discussion like this are necessary to create buffers between the extreme right-wing and susceptible individuals and communities.

Course Discussion:

- The Inside Story of a Former or Family member who has lived experience of the damage extreme right-wing extremism can have on an individual or a family who has had a loved one involved in the extreme right-wing
- The reality of extremism and involvement.
- How we can safeguard young and vulnerable people from falling into extreme right-wing extremism
- Deconstruction of extreme right-wing arguments.
- Positive alternatives - What are they?
- Community Action - What can be done
Support available outlined = PRO Prevent message

How to request a place:

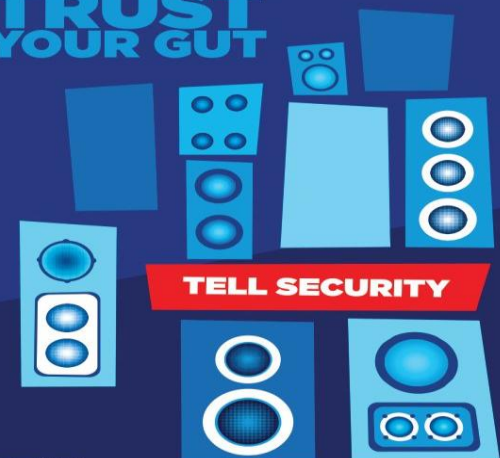
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DID YOU KNOW?

1. Through the Building a Stronger Britain Together Programme, the Home Office awarded funding and support to over 230 civil society groups to tackle extremism by 2019.
2. As of March 2022, 57 individuals (24% of the total) in custody for terrorism-related offences, were categorized as extreme-right wing.

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Small Steps: Adult Extreme Right-Wing Awareness - Virtual Training

Through this training we aim to upskill individuals to understand what the extreme right-wing is and how to reduce it.

This will provide participants with the opportunity to explore grievances created by the right-wing, recruitment techniques and alternative narratives.

Course Content:

- What is the extreme right-wing (ERW)
- How does it recruit / operate ERW groups to look out for
- What is the local extreme right-wing picture
- ERW numbers explained
- Alternative narratives to challenge ERW Ideas
- Signs of radicalisation
- Radicalisation process explained
- Difficult conversations explained
- Positive alternatives offered Inclusive Patriotism explained Educational materials included Invitation to training attendees only online support forum.

How to request a place:

[Please Click Here To Access The Booking Form For Small Steps: Adult Extreme Right Wing Training](#)

The training will be delivered via Microsoft Teams and you will receive a calendar invite which will include the link approximately 2 weeks before the training.

DID YOU KNOW?

1. New legislation measures, such as the Terrorism (Protection of Premises) Bill (Martyn's Law), aims to improve security at public venues.
2. The Prevent programme helps people at risk of radicalisation, with over 5,000 individuals supported through the 'Channel' programme since 2015.

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INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY EVENT

WED 4 MARCH 2026 6PM – 9PM

FOR ALL YOUNG WOMEN IN SALFORD

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