

1st North East Conference on Sexual Violence

The first of a series of annual conferences in recognition of the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women

Monday 26th November 2007
9.30am – 4.30pm

The Penthouse suite
Collingwood College
Durham University

Confirmed sessions include:

- Setting the context: current issues relating to sexual violence – Angie Conroy (Rape Crisis National Policy Officer)
- ‘Why Women?’ – Film and presentation by Kiran Dhami (Women’s Resource Centre)
- How to set up a Sexual Violence Forum – Professor Jill Radford (Teesside University)
- Can the criminal justice system be ‘victim-centered’? – Two views and discussion by Dr Matthew Hall (University of Sheffield) and Dr Nicole Westmarland (Durham University and Rape Crisis)
- The Same but Different? Domestic and Sexual Violence – Panel discussion chaired by Cullagh Warnock (Northern Rock Foundation)

Who should attend: Statutory and voluntary sector professionals working with client groups who have experienced sexual violence, especially those responsible for implementation of the Sexual Violence Action Plan; volunteers; academics; professionals working with other forms of violence against women who want to learn more about sexual violence; youth workers; members of Crime Reduction Partnerships; healthcare professionals including GPs, midwives and school nurses; criminal justice professionals including police and Crown Prosecution Service.

Organised by School of Applied Social Sciences, Durham University on behalf of Tyneside Rape Crisis, Darlington & Co. Durham Rape Crisis and Redcar & Cleveland Rape Crisis.

BOOKING FORM: 1ST North East Conference on Sexual Violence

DELEGATE DETAILS

Delegate name _____

Name and address of organisation _____

Phone number _____

Email address _____

Additional information (e.g. dietary or access needs) _____

PAYMENT*

I enclose a cheque made payable to 'Rape Crisis North East'

Please send me an invoice for:

Standard - £135

Voluntary/community sector - £85

Other as agreed** - £__

Please send completed booking forms by post to:

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Or e-mail to:

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* Fee includes conference attendance, conference pack, refreshments and lunch. Any profit made from this conference will be distributed equally between the three North East Rape Crisis Centres.

** We want this conference to be as inclusive as possible. If you/ your organisation cannot afford to come because of the fee please let us know and we will do what we can to assist.

Cancellation policy: Sorry, no refunds within 14 days of conference. £20 administration fee applies in all cases.