

## **COURSE DETAILS**

**DATE:** Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2009.

**COST:** £150

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**CLOSING DATE FOR  
REGISTRATION:**

1<sup>st</sup> October, 2009.

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**MULTI-ELEMENT  
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*A One Day  
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# MULTI-ELEMENT BEHAVIOURAL SUPPORT

## A ONE DAY INTRODUCTION

### CALLAN INSTITUTE

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Callan Institute for Positive Behaviour Support (St. John of God Community Services Ltd.) is a consultation and training service to promote the use of effective, non-aversive methods for working with individuals who have challenging behaviours so that they can enjoy community participation with dignity and respect. The promotion of positive practices in the field of challenging behaviours, and the course in Multi-Element Behaviour Support is the primary means for doing this.

### COURSE DESCRIPTION

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This course supports staff, family members and carers in understanding positive approaches for people who present with challenging behaviours.

### COURSE CONTENT

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The Training will introduce the following topics:

**A model of Multi-Element Behavioural Support:** Key features of the model including a rationale for non-aversive intervention, defining and understanding challenging behaviour, proactive and reactive strategies and a review of effective behavioural support outcomes.

**Environmental accommodation:** Rationale for environmental adaptation; to include the physical interpersonal and programmatic aspects of the environment.

**Skills Teaching:** Principles of systematic instruction in the context of supporting functional and communication skill acquisition, with people with disabilities.

**Focused interventions:** Use of motivational, reward, self-monitoring and 'trigger' control strategies.

**Reactive Strategies:** Principles of escalation and reactive strategy writing.

**Behavioural Assessment:** Role of comprehensive behavioural and functional assessment.

**Intervention development:** Develop incident analysis sheets based on hypothesis of function.

**Behavioural Support Plans:** Developing and writing functionally relevant multi-element behaviour support plans.

**Implementation Factors:** Consent, team meetings, behaviour recording, graphing, mediation systems, periodic service review, consultant style.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

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