

60 minute webinar including a 30 minute
Q&A session

16th February 6:00pm

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SOS+ GANGS AND COUNTY LINES PARENTS' SESSION

SOS+ Service are hosting this 90
Webinar for North Somerset parents on
County Lines.

Parents' sessions

Our gangs & county lines
parents' session consists of
speakers
utilising their lived
experience within the crim-
inal justice system to un-
pack and explore the reali-
ties and
consequences of
county lines, gang
involvement, and
serious youth violence.

Perspectives from
previous perpetrators and
runners/transporters, com-
bined with relevant case
studies, aid audiences in
gaining an authentic and
credible understanding of
this complex and cross cut-
ting issue.

The session will help par-
ents and carers to identify
signs and
triggers that a child/young
person might
be involved in county lines
and gain an
understanding of how
to appropriately respond to
such indicators.

SOS+ parents' session aims:

**All participants will leave
the session able to:**

- ⦿ Define the term coun-
ty lines;
- ⦿ Outline the methods
used to groom,
recruit and exploit
young people;
- ⦿ Have an awareness of
the push and pull fac-
tors that
- contribute to a young
person becoming vul-
nerable and
susceptible to county
lines involvement;
- ⦿ List the risks and
consequences of
county lines
involvement;
- ⦿ Recognise key signs
and indicators that
young people are be-
ing exploited or at risk
of county lines
involvement;
- ⦿ Understand
the perspective
of either a
survivor or
perpetrator
after hearing
from an expert
witness, includ-
ing a brief over-
view of how girls are
used;
- ⦿ Facilitate a safe place
within the household to
encourage healthy
conversations;
- ⦿ Identify the services
available to support a
young person at risk of
or involved in county
lines, and the conven-
tional referral process-
es;
- ⦿ Utilise practical
advice and
approaches to keep
young people safe,
including preventing
and reducing risks as-
sociated with each
stage of the county
lines process.

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