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**communities**

**2021 - 2022**



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Turning a past into a future

Join us for a 90 minute virtual BRAVE session designed  
for community settings in Redbridge

**When?**

**Wednesday 9th March  
2022**

**5:30-7:00pm**

**How to join**

**CLICK HERE**



**Meeting ID: 868 6080 5497**

**Password: 050259**

90 minutes of face-to-face or live online training to engage parents/carers/guardians or young people in non-educational settings i.e. youth clubs, on gang exploitation and safeguarding against violent extremism to deepening understanding and building resilience in practical, real-world way. Rooted in lived experience - bringing the value of first hand, lived experiences of victims and perpetrators - to practitioner insight and international research.

90 MINUTES SESSION WITH TWO EXPERT FACILITATORS AND LIVE TESTIMONY

ACCESS TO KNOWLEDGE-BASED AND PRACTICAL RESOURCES THROUGH OUR ONLINE PORTAL



**Combines impact of violent extremism and gang exploitation and grooming techniques used by exploitative groups**

**Dispels myths and glamorisation relating to gang exploitation and violent extremism**

**Looks at how perpetrators recruit young people, including online & through gaming, and what parents and adults can do to help young people to stay safe**

**Interactive: Includes impactful slides, videos, social media and group discussions and online resources**

**Provides greater awareness of the realities and issues surrounding gang involvement, drugs, violence, extremism and radicalisation, and learn about strategies to help young people avoid the risk of becoming involved in these activities**

**Supports parents/guardians/carers or youth in community settings to be able to tackle iss quipped to deal with, without feeling stigma as 'having this problem'**

BRAVE has been funded by the Home Office for 4 consecutive years, each year growing in delivery capacity. In 2016/17, BRAVE was evaluated by the HO and externally; both evaluations found that BRAVE is "extremely well run, delivers work that is highly relevant to Prevent and performs to a high, efficient and effective standard" (Coventry University 2017). We have delivered BRAVE to over 90,000 young people and professionals in 20 Local Authorities in England and Wales, with excellent feedback.

We are featured in peer-reviewed articles as a best practice example of dialogic evidence-based practice & grassroots-orientated preventative work (Aiello et al 2018; Puigvert et al 2020).