



## Female Genital Mutilation: Recognising and Preventing FGM

A recent study revealed that 137,000 women in England and Wales are estimated to be living with the consequences of FGM. To address this issue, the Home Office is championing a proactive approach and has launched this free online FGM training package.



Follow Hope's journey as we explore the key issues relating to FGM and how they affect an individual throughout their life.



Sign up for the free training by visiting [www.fgmelearning.co.uk](http://www.fgmelearning.co.uk)

From the first pilot of 2,500 individuals that completed the course

- 95% said they would do something differently in their role
- 99.6% would recommend the training to others
- 94.6% said the course covered everything they needed



We have been overwhelmed by the response from our initial pilot :

“I thought the practical sections were particularly helpful - what to do, how to respond. This is the bit that people often struggle with.”

**Safeguarding Consultant, Education**

“It made me feel more confident if I ever have to deal with the situation.”

**Education professional**



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