Understanding Misuse of Prescription and OTC Drugs

Target Group:
This half day training is aimed at those that already have a basic drugs knowledge who want to have a better understanding of how prescription and Over The Counter medicines are misused. This is an information based course and is open to any individual working in the statutory or voluntary sector.

Training Outcomes:
After completing the session, participants will be:

- Aware how prescription and OTC medicines are misused
- Aware of the medicines most commonly used, their effects and methods of use
- Aware of the prevalence of prescription and OTC medicine misuse in Northern Ireland
- Aware how prescription and OTC medicine misuse can lead to addiction
- Aware of risk of harm for the user associated with misuse
- Aware of key harm reduction advice
- Aware of local drug and alcohol services and how to refer to them

Date: Monday 26th November
Venue: Tower Hill, Armagh
Time: 9.30am - 12.30pm
Facilitated by Ascert

OR

Date: Thursday 29th November
Venue: Brownstown Community Centre, Portadown
Time: 9.30am - 12.30pm
Facilitated by Ascert

New Date Added!
9.30am -12.30pm
Monday 3rd December
at Tower Hill, Armagh

To register or for further details, contact Darren Curtis, Locality Development Officer at darren.curtis@hscni.net or 02895 363966