

C0 Introduction to Safeguarding

It is recommended that everyone attending the C1 module completes the C0 Basic Introduction first. Your Parish Safeguarding Coordinator may be able to facilitate this for you or you can complete it online.

To complete online training the link is:

<https://safeguardingtraining.cofeportal.org/>

Please make sure that you register the fact that you belong to the Diocese of Southwell and Nottingham when you create your account, and put in the full name of the Church and where it is and then we can check that you have completed it and let you know if necessary. You can also print off your own certificates to show to your Parish Safeguarding Coordinator as proof that you have done the course.

Note re- training for PCC members - The C0 is the **minimum** training required for everyone on your PCC. If you have any additional responsibilities such as work with children or adults, prayer ministry etc. Or are Safeguarding coordinator or lead for the PCC, or Church Warden then you also need to do C1 and C2.

It is best practice to work towards everyone on the PCC completing C1 as well, but this can be a longer term aim.

C1 online

An online version of the C1 course has now been made available and can be accessed through the Training Portal link above.

The Diocese of Southwell & Nottingham provides an extensive programme of local training and our preference is that people attend the face to face courses we provide at a range of venues across the Diocese. This will ensure that you are aware of the specific local context and Diocesan contact information.