



**INVITATION TO WEST MIDLANDS MODERN SLAVERY AWARENESS EVENTS  
14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2019**

Dear colleague,

To mark [Anti-Slavery Day 2019](#),

[Public Health England \(PHE\) West Midlands](#), the [West Midlands Anti-Slavery Network](#), and the [Modern Slavery Police Transformation Programme](#) are hosting a series of webinars on various aspects of modern slavery, ending with a face to face stakeholder networking event. The sessions will help further raise awareness, share effective practice and identify future actions.

The webinars will describe and discuss multi agency approaches to tackling modern slavery through a public health lens of policy, practice, prevention, protection and partnerships. You will hear from a range of experts and agencies and have opportunities to ask questions.

The schedule is:

- **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2019:** Introduction to modern slavery and spotting the signs
- **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2019:** Modern slavery, wider criminality and vulnerability
- **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2019:** Homelessness and modern slavery
- **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2019:** Technology and cybercrime
- **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2019:** Every contact counts

All webinars will run **9am-9.45am**.

- **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2019:** Face to face stakeholder networking opportunities and marketplace **10am-12pm** at PHE Offices, St Philip's Place, Birmingham. This will provide an opportunity to speak with key agencies involved in identifying and responding to modern slavery.

**RSVP:** Please register for webinars and stakeholder networking event [here](#). All events are by registration only and there are limited spaces.