**A community led whole school approach to tackling FGM in Ealing - APPLICATION FORM**

**Available for 9 eligible schools**

Please read the guidance notes before completing this application form. If you have any queries about the application form or how to apply, email [meadec@ealing.gov.uk](mailto:meadec@ealing.gov.uk)

**Applications close at 5pm, 21st June 2019**

Perivale Primary School have been successful in obtaining funding from the John Lyon’s Charity to support schools in developing ‘A community led whole school approach to tackling FGM in Ealing.’

This project aims to develop a community led, whole school approach to tackling FGM by employing a qualified, known and trusted member of the community to use their skills, knowledge and local connections to engage with parents, interact with the local community and alert the workforce to FGM and its long-term effects.

During the second year of this project, six schools will be chosen to work with Perivale to embed the community led whole school approach to tacking FGM. Schools that are successful will get:

* Support and guidance to establish a parent safeguarding forum where parents will learn about a range of safeguarding topics including FGM
* Staff training to raise awareness of FGM
* Modelled pupil lessons to support schools in raising pupils awareness of FGM
* Support to engage local community organisations in this project

The member of staff leading this project at Perivale Primary School will work closely with the nine chosen schools to support them to develop and embed this project. Schools who wish to run this project should have a member of staff who is not a full time class teacher available to lead on and embed this project.

Please ensure you complete each of the sections prior to submission. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

**How to send the form to us**

Please send us your completed application form by email to [meadec@ealing.gov.uk](mailto:meadec@ealing.gov.uk)

**Eligibility checklist**

This checklist will help you to check that your proposal meets our eligibility criteria. If you answer **NO** to any of these questions then your application will not be eligible. Schools that have a higher number of girls at risk of FGM may be prioritised.

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| **Eligibility criteria** | **Yes** | **No** |
| My school is in the borough of Ealing. |  |  |
| My school has a member of staff who can lead on this project. This member of staff is not a full time teacher. |  |  |
| I am willing to run parent sessions in my school. |  |  |
| I am willing to run staff training sessions in my school. |  |  |
| I am willing to hold modelled pupil lessons in my school. |  |  |
| My school has the capacity to continue to embed and sustain this project after the first year of support i.e. continue to run the parent forum, continue to deliver the lessons to pupils and continue to train new staff |  |  |
| My headteacher knows I am applying for this project and support his application. |  |  |

**Contact details**

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| School name |  |
| Applicant’s full name |  |
| Position or job title |  |
| Email |  |

**Your application**

Please outline why you feel this project is needed in your school

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Have you had any previous training based on FGM? If yes, please specify what the training was and when it took place.

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Name the staff member who will be responsible for leading this project and their job title:

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The health improvement team would like to assess the impact of the whole school approach to FGM in your school. Are you able to organise your staff, parents and pupils to complete a 5 minute survey before and after implementing this project to measure impact? *(Please tick)*

□ Yes

□ No

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