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**Key findings from Loudmouth’s training on Child Sexual Exploitation Awareness delivered to Birmingham Community Health Care Trust.**

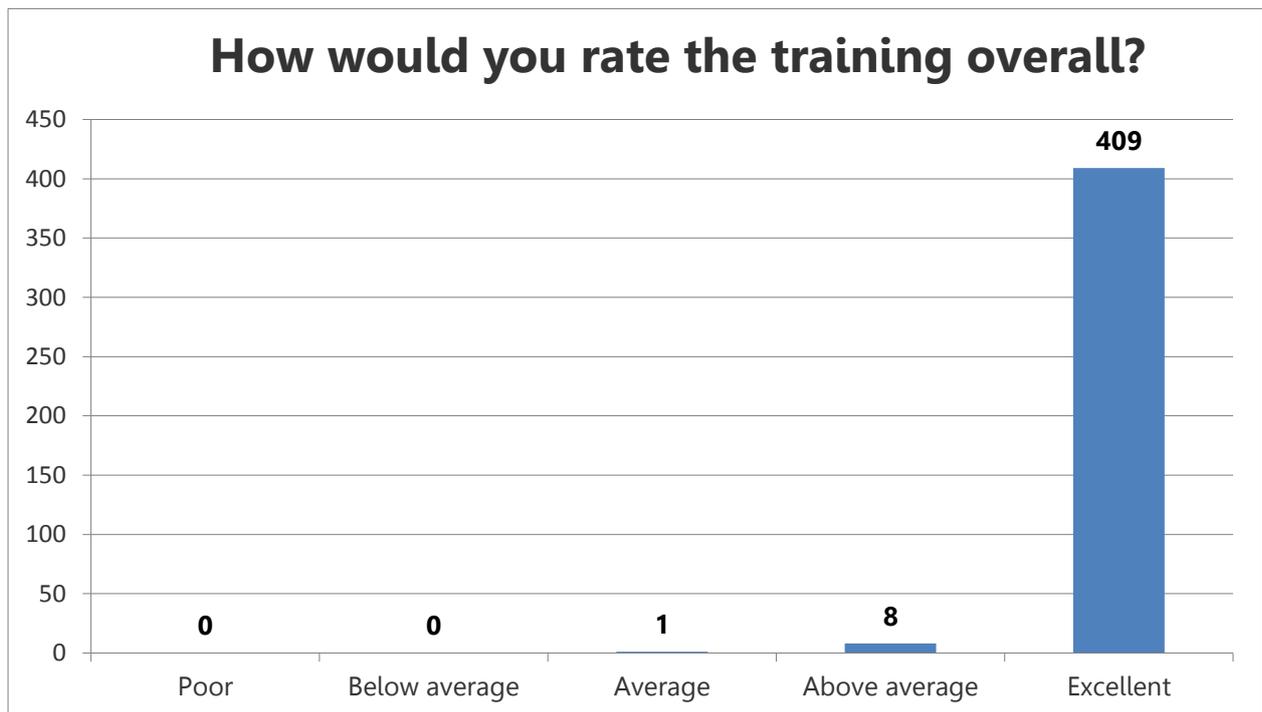
Between the dates of 23<sup>rd</sup> April and 14<sup>th</sup> October 2015 Loudmouth Education & Training ran a total of 18 training sessions. Each session lasted 2 hours and included a performance of Loudmouth’s drama ‘Working for Marcus’.

418 participants attended the training sessions. The participants were all staff and students from Birmingham Community Healthcare Trust including health visitors, schools nurses and school nurse assistants, nursery nurses, lecturers and clinical team leaders.

All the participants were asked to fill in an evaluation form at the end of the sessions.

The results of the evaluation are as follows:

**Question 1**



98% of participants rated the training as excellent.

### Question 2



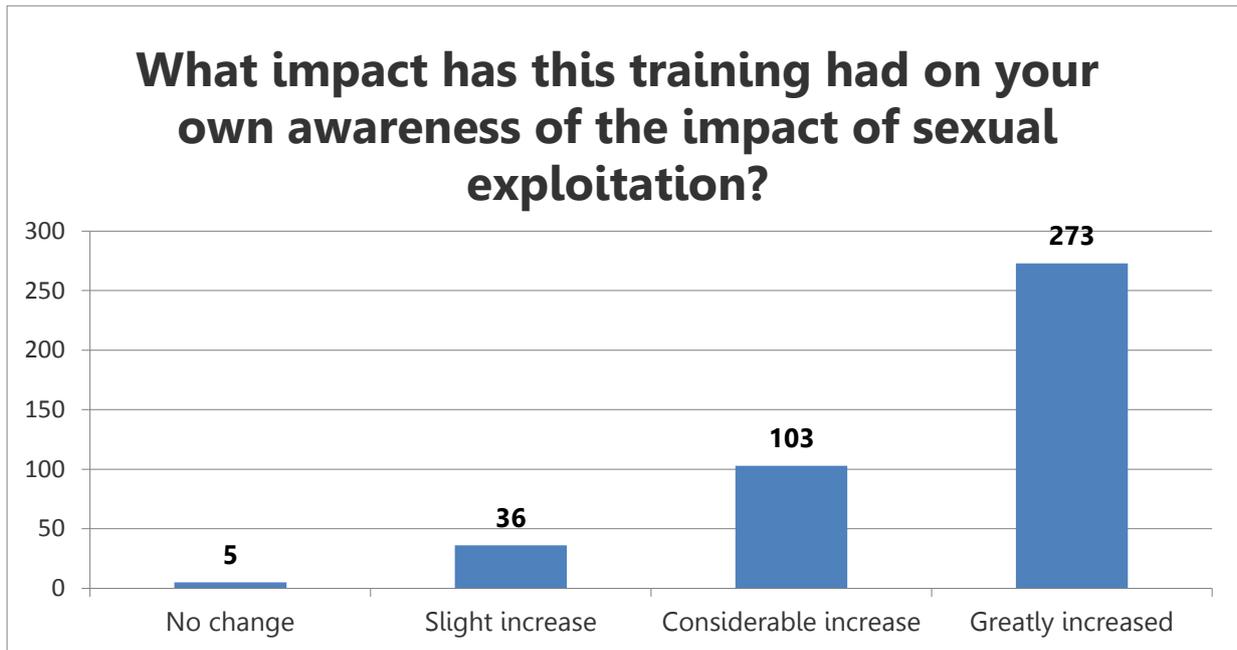
97% of professionals said they preferred the style of Loudmouth’s training to other approaches they had received before. The training uses drama and interactive techniques to raise awareness of Child Sexual Exploitation.

### Question 3



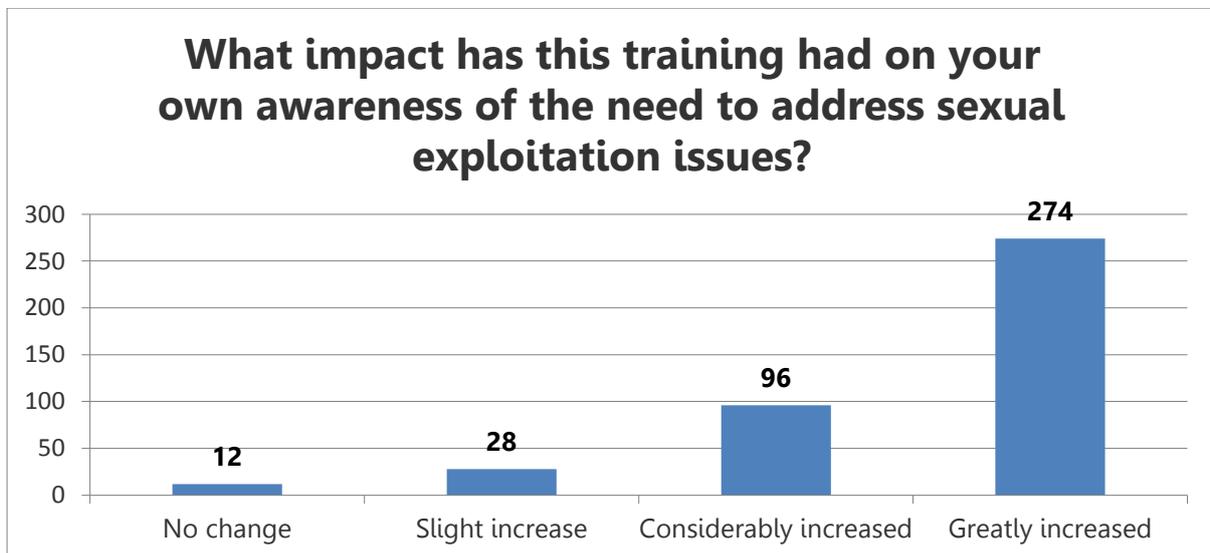
An overwhelming 99.5% of participants would recommend the training to a colleague.

#### Question 4



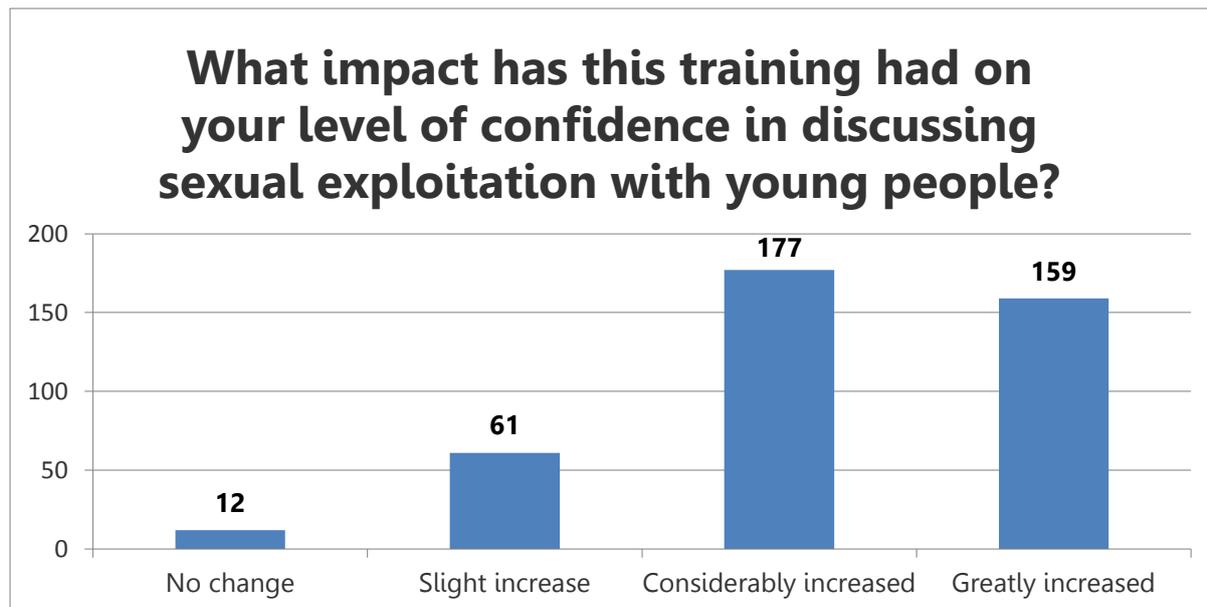
90% of participants said that the training had considerably or greatly increased their awareness of the impact of sexual exploitation.

#### Question 5



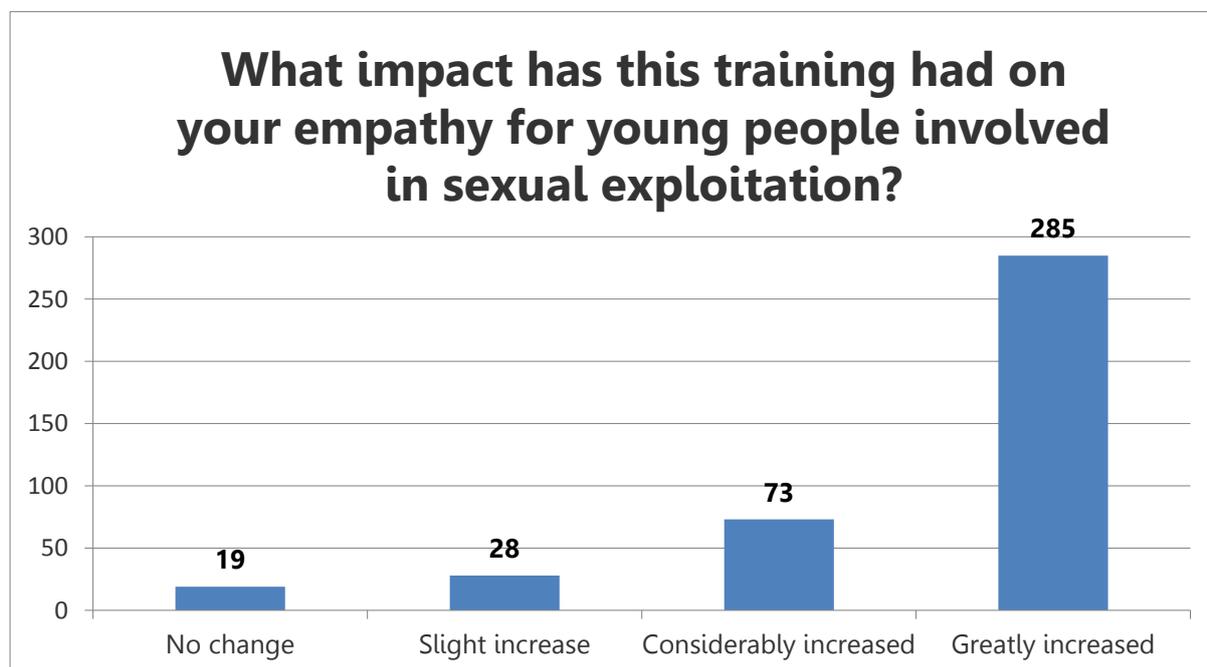
90% of the professionals stated that this training had considerably or greatly increased their own awareness of the need to address sexual exploitation.

### Question 6



82% of participants stated that this training had considerably or greatly increased their confidence in discussing sexual exploitation with young people.

### Question 7



88% of participants said that the training had considerably or greatly increased their empathy for young people involved in sexual exploitation.

**The professionals were asked how they planned to use this training in their work; we have selected a few comments from their responses.**

*"Look at the whole family unit when visiting a child. Be observant within the community."*

*"Consider how perpetrators impact on victims of abuse and ensure support is available as needed."*

*"Using knowledge around how perpetrators control young people, to ensure young people can approach me, and give them time to build their trust."*

**Professionals were asked if they had any other comments, we selected a few responses.**

*"I am saddened but optimistic that with education services such as this we can rid the world of such unhappiness "*

*"In all the training I have ever attended, this has been the best training. It really gives you the knowledge in a way that you can understand. Excellent training!"*

*"The best safeguarding training I have ever received. Fantastic acting! Every professional working with children should receive this. "*

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