

## **BICA Foundation Course for Counsellors working in Licensed Treatment Centres or Related Settings**

An essential course for counsellors working in HFEA Licensed Centres who are new to the field, or working towards BICA accreditation, as well as counsellors who see clients with infertility issues in other relevant settings.

**Date: Friday 9th and Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2018**

**Venue: Resource for London, 356 Holloway Road, London N7 6PA**

### **COURSE AIMS:**

1. To provide an overview of the context and range of issues surrounding work with clients who are experiencing fertility issues
2. To increase understanding of the impact of reproductive techniques
3. To develop specialist knowledge and skills
4. To facilitate participants in attaining accreditation in compliance with the HFEA Code of Practice.

### **The two days include:-**

- Counselling in an HFEA Licensed Clinic
- The legislative and regulatory framework
- Key regulatory principles for licensed centres
- Working in a multidisciplinary team
- The infertility journey
- The experience of loss and grief
- Gender differences
- Implications of treatment with third party donation
- Welfare of the child
- Counsellors' need for support
- The inspection process
- Providing, promoting & evaluating the counselling service

**Fees: BICA members £180.00**

**Non-members £200.00**

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