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| This is to certify that *XX*, GDC number *xxxxx*, has completed Female Genital Mutilation training. | |
| **Aim**: The aim of this session is to provide an overview of FGM, including the impact on physical and emotional health, legal status and referral pathways. The session is suitable for all health professionals. | |
| **Total time spent**: *XX minutes (to be completed by learner with reference to the e-LfH certificate)* | |
| **Educational objectives**: | By the end of this session you will be able to:   * Describe the different ways in which women and girls may be affected by FGM * Identify the four types of FGM according to the World Health Organization’s classification * Describe the legal status of FGM procedures in the UK and abroad * Explain how to refer a girl or woman to FGM services, including when mandatory reporting applies * Explain what to do if you suspect a child may be at risk of FGM |
| **Learning content:** | Health professionals have a key role in providing support for survivors of female genital mutilation (FGM) and in the prevention of FGM in girls and women at risk.  All health professionals should be aware of FGM and its health implications. They should also understand what actions are required when they encounter a child or woman who has had, or is at risk of, FGM.  The aim of this session is to provide an overview of FGM, including the impact on physical and emotional health, legal status and referral pathways. |
| **Development Outcomes:** | This course meets the criteria for the GDC’s development outcome *(to be completed by learner with reference to GDC documentation).* |
| **Provider validation**: | Health Education England confirm that the information provided on this certificate is full accurate. |
| **Quality assurance**: | This CPD is subject to quality assurance by Andrew Dickenson, Regional Postgraduate Dental Dean, Midlands and East. |