

# STOP LOAN SHARKS

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## Could you spot a loan shark?

### Come and find out!

Over a million households across England may be in debt to an illegal lender (or loan shark as they are commonly known).

The purpose of loan shark training is to provide information and knowledge about the issue, how it relates to your work or community and how we can help those who have borrowed from illegal lenders. The length of the session is approximately one and a half hours.

Information given will include key things to look out for as a sign that a friend, family member, client or colleague may be involved with a loan shark.

The session will show the impact that illegal lenders have on victims and communities and how we can work together to stop people from falling into the clutches of criminals.

Sessions can be delivered online or face-to-face and are free of charge.

If you work in Hants, Berks, Bucks, Oxfordshire, East or West Sussex, Dorset, Somerset or the Isle Of Wight and wish to arrange a session, please email: [lin.fisher@birmingham.gov.uk](mailto:lin.fisher@birmingham.gov.uk) or if in another area please call 0300 555 2222 to contact your local officer.

