



At its heart, the Family Partnership Model is a structured and flexible approach that improves families' problems, strengths and circumstances

Family Partnership enables people working with families and young children to develop a shared understanding of needs and priorities, and to combine their knowledge, skills and experience to achieve realistic and important child and family goals.

The Model's unique practice skills and resources enable parents to be active and effective partners in the Helping Process. The Model is a proven, highly successful way to build family resilience, cope with adversity and achieve the best outcomes for children.



“The model brings together all the things that help parents make better life choices and cope with the demands of family life”
FPM Trained Practitioner (UK)

FPM Training & Dissemination

For over 20 years, we've helped government and non-government services working with families, use the Family Partnership Model effectively, adapt it to their needs and achieve the best possible outcomes for children and families.

Karitane has worked closely with the developers Centre for Parent and Child Support, (NHS) UK to ensure FPM training and model fidelity and best practice principles are upheld. Our Family Partnership online and in-person training programmes empower practitioners to acquire knowledge, insights and understanding of the Model's core skills and practice.

Digital and face-to-face training programmes are also available to equip supervisors and managers with the skills and expertise to support high quality Family Partnership practice and enable trained trainers to disseminate the Model throughout their organisation.



Karitane provides a number of FPM training and support opportunities for organisations virtually and in person. Currently we are providing the following training and support

- FPM Foundation Training
- FPM Facilitator Training
- FPM Reflective Supervision
- FPM Facilitator Community of Practice sessions
- FPM Masterclasses
- FPM Overview for non-clinical staff
- FPM Facilitator Supervision Sessions
- FPM Supervision for Supervisors

“The training was conducted wonderfully and this 6 days have been very productive for me. I heartily appreciate the support of our facilitators- Thank you so much, you guys do amazing job ❤️” Participant Facilitator Training 2025

“I loved the group work – break out rooms. We had loads of skills training which was so helpful.” Participant FPM Supervision Training 2025

Karitane FPM educators are available to work with organisations to support them in their implementation of FPM through training, planning, consultation and supervision. Our own organisation is continually reviewing how we work in partnership with families, colleagues and the wider community. In 2026 we are rolling out FPM training for all employees focusing on effective, collaborative communication for all relationships. We are also introducing reflective supervision skills workshops for leadership and management roles across the organisation.