



CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr. Emma Ramsay

Educational, Child & Family Psychologist

Summary

I am an experienced educational, family and child psychologist working with children and young people from 0 – 20. In addition I specialise in Autistic Spectrum Disorder with additional training in a range of assessment methods, mental health and cognitive education. I work with colleagues in Local Authority Children Services as well as Child Development and Child & Adolescent Mental Health Services.

I provide 'psychological advice' (Education Act 1996) to the Local Authority on children & adolescents with special educational needs.

Qualifications

Doctor of Educational Psychology, Cardiff University	2011
MSc Educational Psychology, Cardiff University	2005
BSc (Hons) Experimental Psychology, University of Sussex	1998
BEd Child and Youth Education, University of Gothenburg, Sweden Qualified Teacher Status DfEE Reference Number RP01/00051	1995

Professional Membership

Chartered Psychologist
(BPS Membership no. 042537)

Member of the Division of Educational and Child Psychology, British Psychological Society

Member of Association of Educational Psychologists
(Membership no. RAM4082)

Health Professionals Council – Registered Psychologist Registration Number PYL20173

Employment History

Consultant Child & Educational Psychologist- Psychology4Law	2011 -
Acting Senior Educational Psychologist- Liverpool City Council	2009-2010
Educational Psychologist- Liverpool City Council	2005-



Clinical Experience

My interest in child development and psychology grew, whilst training as a teacher in Sweden, when I first studied the impact of children's early attachment experiences. This led me to study for a BSc in psychology and choose a career in educational psychology. Since qualifying as an educational psychologist in 2005 I have worked with supporting children/young people and their families in Liverpool.

This involves carrying-out assessment, intervention and consultation in order to identify, support and prevent difficulties associated with learning and mental health. I have experience of reporting and providing recommendations to parents/carers, educational settings, health and local authority. I contribute to multi-professional assessment teams specialising in diagnosing Autism Spectrum Disorder. I have had training to develop my skills within this area.

I also have experience of delivering training to parents/carers, teachers, and colleagues. As an acting senior I have experience of supervising colleagues and developing the psychology service. Examples of this work include developing the reporting documentation and creating a competency framework to reflect the skills and standards within the service.

Additional Training

Working with Young People Who Self Injure	2006
Children's Mental Health Promotion	2007
Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule	2007
Dynamic Assessment	2007
Bright Start Cognitive Education Programme	2008
NEPSY II	2009
Diagnostic Interview for Social Communication Disorders Training	2011

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