

# ADOPTED THERAPISTS' EXPERIENCES OF WORKING WITH CHILDREN:

## RUPTURE & REPAIR

Exploring Adopted Therapists' Experiences of Rupture and Repair in Therapeutic Work with Children

Are you an adopted therapist working with children aged 4–10?

I'm inviting participants for a research study that seeks to deepen understanding of how adopted therapists experience rupture and repair in the therapeutic relationship with children.

Semi-structured interviews will be conducted via Microsoft Teams, each lasting up to 60 minutes. All data provided will be anonymised and maintained in strict confidence.

This study will contribute to a growing body of knowledge around adoption, therapeutic rupture and repair, and child psychotherapy.

You may be eligible if you:

- Are over 18 years old
- Were adopted at birth or in infancy
- Are a qualified child counsellor, child psychotherapist, play therapist, or clinical psychologist
- Have been qualified for at least 3 years
- Have worked therapeutically with children aged 4–10

If this speaks to your experience and you'd be willing to take part, I'd love to hear from you.



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Thank you for considering this invitation.