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Research Participation Invitation

Child & Adolescent Psychotherapy
Developmental Co-ordination Disorder (DCD),
Dyspraxia

GET IN TOUCH

Chrissy Brake

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MA Integrative Counselling & Psychotherapy
for Children, Adolescents & Families

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Nearly two-thirds of children with DCD experience significantly greater emotional and peer difficulties than the UK average (Sinani et al., 2025) — yet the therapeutic response remains almost entirely unresearched.

WHO WE'RE LOOKING FOR

Your role

Psychotherapist, Counsellor, Play or Creative Arts Therapist

Your clients

Experience with young people with or suspected of having DCD / Dyspraxia

Registration

BACP, UKCP, ACP, HCPC, ADMP or BAPT

Experience

Qualified & practising with CYP for 3+ years

Modalities welcome: Integrative · Person-Centred · Psychodynamic · CBT · Creative Arts · Play

WHAT'S INVOLVED

✓ One online interview of 60–75 minutes via Microsoft Teams

✓ Exploring your experiences of working therapeutically with young people with DCD

✓ Completed at a time convenient to you — fully flexible scheduling

✓ Full confidentiality and anonymity guaranteed — data stored securely on University systems

HOW TO TAKE PART

1 **Reach out** — email Chrissy to express your interest and ask any questions

2 **Review** — you'll receive a full participant information sheet to read at your own pace

3 **Consent** — if you're happy to proceed, you'll be asked to sign a consent form

4 **Interview** — we'll arrange a convenient time for your online interview via Teams

5 **Debrief** — you'll receive a debrief sheet with support contacts and study information