

Course Entry Criteria

Requirements	Essential / Desirable	Method of Assessments
Qualifications		
Psychotherapeutic, counselling or other relevant professional qualification	Essential	Application
Full membership of relevant professional body	Essential	Application
Experience		
Own psychoanalytic/psychodynamic personal therapy	Essential	Application/Interview
Understanding of infant and adult mental health, attachment, and child development	Essential	Application/Interview
2 years Infant Observation	Essential (can be undertaken during the course, at the discretion of the training committee)	Application/Interview
Knowledge and understanding of safeguarding children	Essential	Application/Interview
Clinical experience of working with individuals/couples	Essential	Application/Interview
Experience of working clinically with families	Desirable	Application/Interview
2 years post qualification experience	Desirable	Application/interview
Clinical work in parent-infant mental health field	Desirable	Application/Interview
Skills		
Psychoanalytic/Psychodynamic Therapy/Counselling	Essential	Application/Interview
Sufficient level of literacy to be able to write at diploma level	Essential	Application
Competent IT skills	Essential	Application/Interview
Consultation and Training for health professionals	Desirable	Application/Interview
Able to facilitate a therapeutic group for parents and babies	Desirable	Application/Interview
Other		
Able to work as part of a team	Essential	Application/Interview
Able to work flexibly and creatively	Essential	Application/Interview