

Core to the ethos of ATTACH is the importance of sharing knowledge and skills with others for the benefit of the young people and families we work with. Thus, ATTACH offers consultation to our colleagues within and outside of the department.

Services for Professionals

In addition to offering informal consultations to professionals seeking psychological advice, team members offer regular consultations to the North, City and South LAC teams alongside the LAC health team. Our Educational Psychologist works closely with the virtual school and the Educational Psychology Service. There is regular liaison with CAMHS teams and the newly developed SPA service.

As a service that has developed its expertise in understanding and working with attachment and developmental trauma, ATTACH offers a wide range of training both within and outside of the department. Recent workshops delivered through the Learning Zone have included; Attachment and Trauma; Attachment and USAC; An Introduction to Attachment; Thinking about Contact.

The team contributes to foster carer and adoptive parent induction and training whilst teaching on both the Social Work diploma and the Doctorate in Clinical Psychology at Oxford University. ATTACH offers placements to Clinical Psychologists in Training and Social Work Students. Doctoral level research is also supervised.

The clinical leads in ATTACH and REoC meet regularly to focus on the strategic development of psychological services to those in the placement stability pathway.

Please contact the team admin to discuss arranging:

- Consultation for professionals
- Training
- Supervision
- Service liaison
- Consultation on considering whether to place siblings together or apart