

Experiential and applied training and intervention for vulnerable children and families.

Code of Conduct and Ethical Imperative

- 1. Act at all times in a way that we reasonably believe to be in the best interests of our clients. At all times the welfare of the client must be paramount and every care taken to ensure that the client is not exploited in any way.
- 2. Take all reasonable steps to preserve the confidentiality of information acquired through our practice and protect the privacy of individuals and organisations about whom information is held.
- 3. Value integrity, impartiality and respect for clients and seek to establish the highest ethical and clinical standards in our work.
- 4. Conduct ourselves and our professional activities in such a way that does not damage the interests of our clients or participants in our training.
- 5. Maintain a satisfactory standard of professional competence by meeting the appropriate requirements for CPD and undertaking any necessary further education or training.
- 6. Carry out our work in a professional and ethical way and maintain appropriate and professional boundaries with clients at all times, so that they are not exploited in any way.
- 7. Take all reasonable steps to ensure that those working under our direct supervision adhere to this code and do not attempt to practise beyond their competence.
- 8. Restrict our practice within the limits of our own competence and seek professional consultation or supervision in any situation which may reach this limit.
- 9. Maintain fitting levels of respect and courtesy with colleagues and members of our own and other professions and also with the public.

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