

Dr Parandaman Thechanamurthi

M.Sc. · PG Cert (Child & Family Forensics) · DCounsPsych · AFBPSS · CPsychol

SENIOR CONSULTANT PSYCHOLOGIST

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Committed to making trauma-informed care accessible and supporting vulnerable children and families toward healing, resilience and wellbeing.

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Dr Parandaman Thechanamurthi is a Senior Consultant Psychologist specialising in the assessment and treatment of children and their families. His work involves the assessment of complex developmental and attachment trauma and how this contributes to severe behavioural difficulty and offending in children and adolescents. He has specialist training and experience in working with adolescents at risk of sexually harmful behaviours.

FAMILY LAW & FORENSIC EXPERTISE

- ✓ Assesses children and adults of all ages at risk of developmental harm.
- ✓ Undertakes specialist forensic risk assessments of parents and families at risk of developmental harm, with training and experience across all aspects of parental capacity and risk — including neglect, emotional harm, violence, domestic violence, sexual violence and abuse.
- ✓ Specialises in the assessment of child and adolescent offending, sexual behaviours, attachment and trauma.
- ✓ Experienced in supporting children through acrimonious divorce and parental alienation, and in assessing and supporting victims of spousal violence.
- ✓ Assesses developmental disorders such as disorders of attention and hyperactivity.
- ✓ Assesses child and adult intellectual ability and mental capacity.
- ✓ Assesses the dynamics within families that contribute to dysfunctional or high-risk behaviours.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

2020–2025 **Doctor of Counselling Psychology & Psychotherapy**
Middlesex University

2017–2018 **Certificate in Child & Family Forensics**
William James College

2011–2013 **MSc Forensic Psychology**
University of Leicester

2008–2012 **Certificate in Aggression Management, Assessment & Therapy**
University of Central Lancashire

2003–2007 **BSc Psychology**
Adams State College

--- **SPECIALIST TRAINING & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

2026 **EARL V3** · Jackdaw Forensic, UK

2026 **SAVRY** · Palo Alto University

2025 **EMDR — Child, Parent & Attachment** · EMDRIA, USA

2025 **Attachment Style Interview (Adult)** · Middlesex University, UK

2025 **Adolescent Story Stem Assessment Profile** · Anna Freud, UK

2019 **Advanced Parenting Coordination** · William James College, USA

2016 **Forensic Interviewing** · CornerHouse, USA

2026 **SAPROF** · Tully Forensic Psychology, UK

2026 **START** · Palo Alto University

2025 **Attachment Style Interview (Adolescence)** · Middlesex University, UK

2025 **Parenting Role Interview** · Middlesex University, UK

2024 **Child Attachment & Play Assessment** · Prof. Steve Farnfield, UK

2016 **EMDR Child Specialist** · EMDRIA, USA

2013 **Life Minus Violence — Enhanced** · Mersey Care NHS (Prof. Jane Ireland)

--- **PUBLICATIONS & RESEARCH**

Parandaman, T. (2025). *The Fragmented Family: Understanding the Role of Paternal Incarceration on the Lived Childhood Experiences of Young People*. Submitted as part of Doctoral programme, Middlesex University.

Parandaman, T. (2012). *Evaluating the “12 Steps” Programme: Relapse Reduction for Substance Dependency in Relation to Ethnicity in Singapore*. Submitted as part of Master’s programme, University of Leicester.

--- **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Associate Fellow · British Psychological Society (AFBPsS)

Chartered Psychologist (CPsychol)

HCPC Registered Practitioner Psychologist