

Counselling Career Path

Art Therapist

- Post graduate Art Therapy qualification
- HCPC registration
- Clinical experience in working with individuals and groups, children and adults and those with disabilities
- Experience of Art Therapy software and traditional media

Counsellor

- Diploma level qualification in Counselling/ Psychotherapy
- BACP/UKCP accreditation (or willingness to work towards)
- Clinical experience with children and young people

External study required

Music Therapist

- Postgraduate Music Therapy qualification
- HCPC registration
- Clinical experience with children and young people
- Knowledge of several musical instruments

External study required



Head of Counselling

- Diploma in Counselling
- BACP accreditation
- 5 years' experience post-qualifying
- Clinical experience of working with children and young people with disabilities
- Clinical supervisory experience
- Experience in management

Progression Example

In 2016, Caroline joined the counselling team on a one-year placement. When her placement was finished, she successfully joined our bank team so that we can call on her when we need any cover or training.

Every year we have a counselling placement which allows those who have completed their counselling qualification to build up counselling hours towards accreditation.

“There is a really positive culture here that doesn't change.

It makes you want to be here and work effectively together.”