

Adoption Support – Theraplay Video Recording Consent Form

We are Cumbria County Council's Adoption Service, and we are responsible for a range of statutory and discretionary services, including Theraplay sessions and the use of MIM (Marschak Interactional Method) Assessments.

Sessions and assessments are done via video recording by a Practitioner using an appropriate council device and will include you and/or your child/ren. The session will be recorded and used by the Practitioner and their Theraplay supervisor to enable reflection, provide feedback and make recommendations to you and your family.

Please be aware that if an enquiry or complaint is received relating to the Video Recording it may be necessary to share it with other professionals, internal services or other public organisations.

Video recordings are confidential and in the event that a young person becomes upset or discloses sensitive information during a session, the Practitioner would be required to follow relevant Safeguarding Procedures.

Whilst the Practitioner needs your consent and positive engagement to proceed with an assessment via video recording, you may withdraw this consent at any time by contacting your Practitioner. Withdrawal may have a negative effect on you and your child's progress so should be considered carefully.

The video recording will be kept on a secure council system and can only be accessed by employees who have explicit permission to do so for as long as you are receiving family therapy. Video recordings can only be retained beyond this point for training purposes if you have provided explicit consent by signing the Additional Permission section of this form.

You can find out more about how you/your child's personal data will be used by reading the **Adoption Support – Theraplay: Privacy Notice**.

Signed (Parent/Legal Guardian)	
Signed (Child/Over 12 Years)	
Signed (Practitioner)	
Date	

Additional Permission

I agree to video recordings being retained for training purposes.

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