

Diagnosis of Autism GDG Membership List

Name	Title	Specialist area
Dr Gillian Baird	Consultant Paediatrician, Guy's and St Thomas NHS Foundation Trust, London	GDG Chair
Dr Jamie Nicholls	General Practitioner, Essex	GDG GP
Ms Carol Bagnall	SENCO/Health Visitor, Rochdale	GDG Health Visitor
Dr Sharon Richman	Consultant Community Paediatrician, Ealing Child Development Centre, London	GDG Consultant Community Paediatrician (urban)
Dr Diana Howlett	Consultant Community Paediatrician, South West	GDG Consultant Community Paediatrician (rural)
Ms Lorraine Scott	Head of Learning and Support and Assessment, Middle Centre for Autism, Northern Ireland	GDG Special Educational Needs Co-Ordinator (SENCO)
Dr Ann-Marie McKigney	Consultant Child Psychologist, Gwent Healthcare NHS Trust	GDG Educational Psychologist,
Prof Ann Le Couteur	Child and adolescent psychiatrist Institute of Health and Society Newcastle University/Royal Victoria Infirmary, Newcastle upon Tyne	GDG Child and adolescent psychiatrist
Prof Emily Simonoff	Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Institute of Psychiatry, London	GDG Child and adolescent psychiatrist with special interest in learning disabilities
Prof Tony Charman	Chair in Autism Education, Institute of Education, London	GDG Clinical

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		psychologist (Tertiary Centre)
Ms Penny Williams	Principal Speech and Language Therapist for Autism, Lambeth PCT, London	GDG Speech Therapist
Ms Zoe Thompson	Child with 'high functioning' ASD – Oldham	GDG Patient/Carer Representative
Ms Susan Anderson	Child with profound ASD with learning disability - Northants	GDG Patient/Carer Representative