

## **Curriculum Vitae – Dr Samantha Baker**

### **Qualifications:**

- BSc Joint Honours in Russian and German, University of Birmingham - 2000.
- Graduate Diploma in Psychology, University of Bolton – 2004.
- MSc Forensic Psychology, University of Central Lancashire – 2006.
- D.Clin.Psych (Doctorate in Clinical Psychology), University of Liverpool - 2013.
- Chartered Psychologist (British Psychological Society) (C.Psychol).
- Registered Clinical Psychologist (Health and Care Professions Council).
- Cognitive Analytic Therapy Practitioner, ACAT North London – 2015/17.
- Associate Fellow of the British Psychological Society (AFBPsS).

### **Employment:**

- 2004-8: Support Worker, Priory Group, Eating Disorders and PICUs.
- 2008: Support Worker / Assistant Psychologist, TRU Ltd, Brain Injury Rehabilitation.
- 2008: Honorary Research Assistant, West Cheshire Primary Care Trust, Acquired Brain Injury Service.
- 2008-9: Assistant Psychologist, Cheshire and Wirral Partnership NHS Foundation Trust, Low Secure and Forensic Outreach Service for people with Learning Disabilities
- 2009-10: Assistant Psychologist, Salford Royal Foundation Trust, Neuropsychology Department
- 2010-13: Trainee Clinical Psychologist, MerseyCare NHS Trust.
- 2013-14: Clinical Psychologist, Low & Medium Secure Brain Injury Neurorehabilitation Service, Lancashire Care NHS Foundation Trust
- 2014-16: Clinical Psychologist, Low Secure Service, Central and North West London NHS Foundation Trust

- 2016-17: Principal Clinical Psychologist / Head of Therapies, HMP Wormwood Scrubs, Barnet, Enfield and Haringey Mental Health Trust
- 2017 to date: Independent Practice.

**Research:**

- Baker, S., Dickson, J., Field, M. (2014). Implicit Priming of Conflicting Motivational Orientations in Heavy Drinkers. *BMC Psychology*, 2(28).
- Weatherhead, S & Baker, S. (2008). Creating Links: A project aimed at building relationships between the South Cheshire Acquired Brain Injury Service and Local Forensic Services. Disseminated via presentations.