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identifying Child Anxiety Through Schools-Identification to Intervention

Privacy Notice for parents/carers (discussion groups or interviews)

Ethics Reference (R64620/RE001)

What is research data?

Research data is all the information we collect during research about you and/or your child

What is personal data?

Any research data that can identify you or your child is personal data (e.g. name, date of birth, address). Some more sensitive categories of personal data are known as **sensitive (or special category) data** (e.g. ethnicity, information concerning health).

Why do we collect, use and store your personal data?

For the purpose of research in the public interest.

Personal and sensitive data we collect helps us to understand and describe the research findings. We will also collect some personal data to allow us to contact you about the research.

What personal data will we ask you to give us to use in this study?

We will ask you to give us the following personal data to help us understand and describe the research findings:

- Your child's date of birth, gender, ethnicity, eligibility for free school meals,
- Information about your child's experiences related to anxiety, and (where applicable) help-seeking for anxiety problems
- Your age, relationship status, relationship to your child, gender, ethnicity, household circumstances, housing tenure

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- Information about your family and your/your partner's: level of education, employment, housing
- Audio-recordings of the discussion group and/or interview you and/or your child attends

We will ask you to provide the following personal information to allow us to contact you about the research:

- Your child's name, your child's school name and year group
- Your name, address, telephone number, postcode and email address

How will we keep your personal data safe?

- Personal data will be collected from you using a secure website, with end-to-end encryption and/or on paper, and using audio-recorders.
- Data collected on paper will be temporarily stored in locked filing cabinets, and once securely digitised will be stored on a secure University server and paper copies will be destroyed.
- Audio recordings of interviews and discussion groups will be temporarily stored on audio-recorder devices, and once transferred to a secure University server, will permanently deleted from audio-recorders. We will transcribe interviews and discussion groups, and will not include any information that could reveal your identity in transcriptions.
- Your personal information will be stored under a unique ID. We will have a document that links your/your child's name and contact details to your unique ID and we will store this document separately from all other information we hold about you. All other information we collect about you and your family will be labelled with this unique ID. Files with audio-recordings will also be labelled with this ID and stored separately from all other information we hold about you.
- Any data or findings from the research that is published will not identify you or your child. We may use direct quotes from interviews or discussion groups in publications, but this will not include any information that could identify you or your family.

How long will we store your personal data?

We will only store your personal information for as long as it is required for research purposes and appropriate safe-guards are in place.

1. Consent forms: these will be stored for a minimum of 3 years after the end of the research project.
2. Audio-recordings of interviews and discussion groups – Audio-recording will be stored until recordings have been transcribed, and transcriptions thoroughly checked. This means that audio files will be destroyed by the end of the study.
3. At the end of the project, we may invite you sign up to a mailing list for families and schools interested in receiving invitations to provide input on future related studies. We will retain contact details for parents and schools who give us permission to do so for this purpose.

All other personal data we hold will be permanently destroyed at the end of the project (9th December 2020). Other research data we hold beyond the end of the project will not include any information that could identify you or your family.

If you withdraw from the research after 1st April 2020, we may continue to use and store your personal information for the purpose of the research.

Who is responsible for protecting your personal information?

The University of Oxford is responsible for protecting your personal data (the 'Data Controller').

Who should I contact if I have concerns about data protection or my rights?

data.protection@admin.ox.ac.uk

What are your rights under data protection law?

You have certain rights under data protection law which are to:

- Withdraw your consent
- Access your personal data or ask for a copy
- Rectify inaccuracies in personal data that we hold about you
- Be forgotten, (i.e. your details to be removed from systems that we use to process your personal data)
- Restrict uses of your data
- Object to uses of your data, e.g. retention after you have withdrawn from a study

Some restrictions apply to the above rights where data is collected and used for research purposes.

You can find out more about your individual rights on the University of Oxford website at <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/compliance/gdpr/individualrights/> and on the website of the Information Commissioners Office (ICO) at <https://ico.org.uk>

You also have a right to complain the ICO if you are unhappy with how your data has been handled.