



Introducing Our Panel Members

Dr. Malie Coyne is a Clinical Psychologist and NUI Galway Lecturer who specializes in working with children and families in a Galway-based Child and Family Primary Care Psychology Service. In consultation with her Galway City Early Years Committee, Malie is leading the advancement of infant mental health awareness and clinical practice in Galway. Her passion in promoting the positive application of Clinical Psychology in the community which has led to her writing journal, press and online articles; with book, radio and TV contributions; public speaking; and advocacy work with the 'A Lust for Life' charity. Malie is currently writing her first book with Harper Collins Ireland on how to help parents cope with their children's anxiety using an attachment-based framework. For more see www.drmaliecoyne.ie.

Fergal Landy is regional Implementation Manager for Prevention Partnership and Family support for TUSLA West. Previously he worked as a Research Associate in the UNESCO Child and Family Research Centre, NUI Galway, Undertaking research, policy development and service design on child protection and family support and in practice as a Community Development Worker and Child Protection Social Worker. He holds a degree in Social Studies and a Masters in International Law and Human rights.

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