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Christina Buxton CPsychol AFBPsS is a Chartered Psychologist and Associate Fellow of the British Psychological Society (BPS), a Chartered Scientist, a senior practitioner member of the BPS Register of Psychologists Specialising in Psychotherapy, and is on the BPS Register of Applied Psychology Practice Supervisors. In addition she is a registered psychotherapist with the British Association of Counselling and Psychotherapy (BACP), a member of EMDR UK and Ireland, and an accredited member of Emotional Freedom Technique international (EFTi).

Christina has, for many years, been actively involved as a mentor for **NEWFOCAS** Management Team in supporting the ongoing psychological development of Trauma Informed Services within the agency. Christina Buxton currently works alongside Dr Andrew Reeves in fulfilling this responsibility.

Christina has been teaching Psychology to undergraduates and postgraduates for the last 12 years in Chester University. Christina is currently a Senior Lecturer in the Department of Social and Political Science at the University of Chester and has previously taught at De Montfort University in Leicester.

Christina an active member of the BPS, she is the current chair of the BPS Crisis, Disaster and Trauma Section, a member of the BPS Research Board and the Representative Council, and a trustee of the society. Christina is a member of the BPS Psychological Testing Centre (PTC) and is on the Register of Qualifications in Test Use (RQTU). She is a member of the PTC Committee on Test Standards (CTS) and a member of the CTS Health and Social Care Contexts Working Group.

Christina works both academically and clinically with those affected by, or in contact with those suffering from, psychological trauma. In her current academic post as a senior lecturer at the University of Chester, she has responsibility for two MSc programmes in psychological trauma. Christina also provides training and consultancy to organisations who specialise in this area of work, offering a trauma informed perspective. An active researcher in a number of trauma related areas, her current research includes a project in collaboration with Combat Stress on veterans' narratives of PTSD, Trauma Informed Education and Complex PTSD.