

Case Management Services Ltd

Gemma Tallieu, BSC Occupational Therapist

Gemma Tallieu is an Occupational Therapist, who qualified in 2003 from Glasgow Caledonian University after gaining a Bachelor of Science degree in Occupational Therapy. She is a member of the British Association of Occupational Therapists, and the British Association Specialist section of Paediatrics and Sensory Integration.

Gemma Tallieu's first post at Stirling Royal Infirmary was rotational and enabled her to gain knowledge and experience in orthopaedics, care of the elderly, surgical and amputees, and stroke rehabilitation.

Her interest in paediatrics began in 2005 when she moved to a community paediatric post within Lanarkshire. Her caseload is made up of children from birth to 18 years, with a variety of conditions including cerebral palsy, spina bifida, head injury and developmental co-ordination disorder. Intervention is focused in the home, clinics and in schools for children with special needs and also mainstream schools. This work involved one-to-one treatment and the assessment and recommendation of specialised equipment, including provision and use of seating, bathing and toileting aids.

In 2006 she moved to a senior position with Lanarkshire which led to her developing a Developmental Co-ordination Disorder Team within Lanarkshire. The main aim was improving assessment, goal setting and treatment for this client group and working closely with other health professionals, education staff and parents.

Throughout Gemma Tallieu has been involved with fieldwork education of occupational therapy students. She commenced work for Case Management Services Ltd in 2008.