

# Child & adolescent mental health research in East Lancashire: Recent collaboration, opportunities and challenges

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- ▶ ELCAS Primary Care Team
- ▶ Qualitative research project on GP experiences
- ▶ Collaboration with UCLAN and GP Federation
  
- ▶ Local research opportunities in CAMHS
- ▶ Challenges in completing projects in this field, and scope for collaboration to help overcome these (link with Values-based Practice)
  
- ▶ Discuss of participant experiences, and ideas for future development of child & mental health projects and networks in East Lancashire