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Marie Fahy is a Speech and Language Therapy (SLT) manager who provides managerial leadership to Speech and Language Therapists working in child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) and adult mental health services across north Dublin, Ireland. Marie has extensive cross - sectoral research and evaluation experience, with 20 years experience in child and adolescent mental health services, non- governmental, primary care, disability and hospital services. Marie spent two years in Kenya as a volunteer and shorter term periods in Uganda, building capacity of healthcare workers in community settings to improve young people's access to health and education.

Marie has a degree in Clinical Speech and Language Studies, Trinity College Dublin and a masters degree at the Institute of Leadership, Royal College of Surgeons. Marie is passionate about research, specifically promoting the recovery model to co-produce better mental health outcomes for young people attending CAMHS; quality improvement, and promoting better team communication with service users. Marie advocates for developing the role of speech and language therapists in mental health settings- CAMHS, general adult psychiatry, psychiatry of older persons and mental health intellectual disability services.

Marie is the principal investigator of a participatory action research project "What Matters to you in CAMHS. Young people's and parent's perspectives on speech and language therapy in CAMHS, North Dublin, alongside her colleagues, Tara Furey and Sheafra Doyle. Marie published a youth friendly booklet for young people "CAMHS Made Simple", along with her colleague Sheafra Doyle (see photo attached). In her spare time, Marie enjoys travel, cooking, photography and sport.