

## **DAVID AMIAS –Consultant Systemic & Family Psychotherapist**

BA (Hons) Sociology Durham University, MSW in Social Work attained in 1984 from Haifa University, Msc in Family Therapy attained in 1993 from Brunel University in association with the Tavistock Clinic MSc in Family Therapy, Registered with the UKCP as a Systemic Psychotherapist since 1994. Consultant Family Therapist since 2002 and employed by Tavistock & Portman NHS Foundation Trust since 2005. He has worked with children and families, first as a Social Worker and then as a Systemic Psychotherapist, for 29 years in different statutory, voluntary, social care and child mental health contexts in Israel and UK as well as in private practice seeing couples, individuals and families. He is a qualified and highly experienced systemic supervisor, teacher and manager of family therapists and social workers and has substantial experience of conducting complex assessments for court. David divides his public sector clinical work between the Refugee Service of the Tavistock Centre's Child & Family Department and the Camden Multi-Agency Liaison Team, a jointly commissioned service of the local authority and the National Health Service. David has been a member of the UK National Association for Family Therapy and Systemic Practice since 2002 and a UK representative of the NFTO Chamber since 2008. He was elected Secretary of the NFTO Board in Paris 2010.