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Mark is a researcher and strategist who specialises in the development and use of outcome frameworks to demonstrate the impact of interventions and programmes, particularly for vulnerable youth. He has a background in mental health and completed his PhD evaluating outcomes for looked after children at the University of Kent. In his work he supports organisations to ensure that programme outcomes feedback into evaluation policy at a national and local level as well as into service delivery and improvement. Mark has a particular interest in outcomes for looked after children and regularly works with local authorities, national charities and independent providers of public services. As well as undertaking research and lecturing at the University of Kent, Mark is Chairman of the Institute for Recovery from Childhood Trauma, the first charity in the UK to solely focus on children's recovery from trauma.