

MEDICO-LEGAL
TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

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Year first appointed as a consultant 1999

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Date of last professional revalidation 2013

SPECIAL SKILLS

General dermatology, inflammatory skin diseases and dermatitis including patch testing

MEDICO-LEGAL CONSULTATIONS

Instructions accepted

Personal injury and clinical negligence claims for children over 16 years and adults.

Please send a brief letter of instruction outlining the nature of the claim before sending medical records to ensure it is within my area of expertise.

I do not undertake work in relation to cosmetic dermatology therapy (laser treatment, botulinum toxin or dermal fillers).

Consulting Rooms

Bishops Wood Hospital Northwood Middlesex Telephone 0808 101 0337
The Lindo Wing, St Mary's Hospital, London W2 1NY
Telephone 07759 236588

CHARGES

Initial Consultation: £250

Report writing, reviewing records and research: £200 per hour thereafter

Diagnostic patch testing fee (including hospital charge). From £400.00

Latex allergy skin prick testing and contact urticaria testing from £250.00

Court attendance from £200.00 per hour including travelling

Usual fees for completed personal injury report are estimated to be
from £550 to £850.00

Usual fees for completed clinical negligence reports are estimated to be
from £500 to £950.00

Waiting times for appointment.

Within 4 weeks of receipt of full medical records

Report released. Within 2 weeks of consultation or subsequent diagnostic tests

Payment terms. By cheque or BACS within 90 days of receipt of report

Non attendance at consultation fee

Failure to attend consultation or cancel the appointment with less than 48
hours notice will incur an administrative fee of £100.00 payable by the
Claimant.

Attendance at Court

Due to my NHS contractual obligations, a minimum of 8 weeks' notice is requested for attendance in court.

Court cancellations

Cancellations for whatever reason with less than 48 hours notice in advance will incur the full attendance fee. A cancellation charge of half the court fee per day booked will be payable when notification is received between 3 and 10 working days in advance, and 20% of the court fee per day booked if notification is received between 11 and 20 days in advance.

MEDICO-LEGAL EXPERIENCE

I have undertaken medico-legal work since 2000 and have attended the following courses

- Specialistinfo standard medicolegal course 2010
- Specialistinfo clinical negligence medicolegal course 2013
- Specialistinfo expert witness advanced training course 2015

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Member of British Association of Dermatologists, British Society for Cutaneous Allergy, European Society for Contact Dermatitis, Royal Society of Medicine, Royal College of Physicians, British Medical Association

HIGHER SPECIALIST TRAINING

Dermatology Senior Registrar: Amersham General Hospital and Churchill Hospital Oxford

Specialist Senior Registrar: Contact Dermatitis Clinic St John's Institute of Dermatology

PRESENT APPOINTMENT

Part-time Consultant Dermatologist at St Mary's Hospital, Imperial College NHS Trust, London

ADDITIONAL POSTS HELD

Honorary Senior Lecturer at Imperial College of Science Technology and
Medicine

Lead Clinician for Dermatology, St Mary's Hospital 2008-2013

President of St John's Dermatology Society 2004-2005

Committee member of British Society for Cutaneous Allergy since 2005

Committee member of the British Association of Dermatologists Therapeutics &
Guidelines Group since 2014