

Common Questions Medical Negligence

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What it meant by the term Medical Negligence?

When a medical professional has made a mistake, a treatment has gone wrong or you have been misdiagnosed which has been the result of carelessness or poor judgment, this could be classed as medical negligence.

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What happens first?

We will meet with you to discuss your case, gather as much information as possible and give you advice in respect of types of funding available. What we do first will then depend on what outcome you want, whether this be an explanation or apology, assurance that policies/procedures have been changed and/or compensation.

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Will I have to go to court?

You will not need to attend Court unless you case proceeds to a trial or approval hearing, if the claim is pursued on behalf of a child or a patient who is not able to deal with the litigation themselves. Your solicitor will attend all other Court hearings on your behalf.

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Who will look after my case?

Your case will be dealt with by one of our expert Medical Negligence team. As a department we have a wealth of experience in these types of cases.