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CATASTROPHIC INJURY GROUP



THE FIRST DEDICATED CIVIL CHAMBERS IN WALES HAS ITS OWN CATASTROPHIC INJURY GROUP

Those who are unfortunate to have suffered the catastrophic consequences of brain or spinal cord damage caused by an accident or by medical neglect need a team of specialist neuro lawyers to act on their behalf. In litigation of this type, teamwork and planning is of paramount importance: barristers, solicitors, medical experts and experts from related disciplines have to work seamlessly together. We can lead that team.

We have the expertise to foresee what factual evidence will be needed many months in advance, what expert evidence will be required and we know which experts are tried and tested in their respective fields. We understand the issues affecting the question of capacity, the requirements of the Mental Capacity Act 2005 and the workings of the Court of Protection.

We have the expertise and judgment to know when it is appropriate to settle a claim, or when a claim should be pursued to trial. This can only be achieved after many years of working as specialists at this level. Our team has this experience.

Many of our catastrophic injury claims are settled at joint settlement meetings or mediation, but some are contested. Our barristers have the experience and expertise to provide representation in each of these forums.

The Civitas Law Catastrophic Injuries Group consists of six accomplished barristers with extensive experience of dealing with clinical and traumatic brain injury and spinal cord injury. Each of the barristers is a specialist in the field of catastrophic injuries. Each has been instructed in claims where damages in excess of £1m have been recovered.

CIVITAS LAW SPECIALIST BARRISTERS GROUP FOR CATASTROPHIC INJURY CASES

MEMBERS OF THE CATASTROPHIC INJURY GROUP ARE:

- Bryan Thomas (1978)
- Nicholas David Jones (1987)
- Michael Brace (1991)
- Theo Huckle (1985)
- Robert O'Leary (1990)
- Andrew Arentsen (1995)

The group has a designated clerk, Andrea McLean, who will be pleased to provide further information in respect of each barrister.

If you want to discuss any issue relating to one of your claims do not hesitate to e-mail one of the group direct.