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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Personal Injury, Industrial Disease, Clinical Negligence, Inquests, Insurance, Public Inquiries, Military Claims, Fraud, Public Authority Liability

Gareth's core specialisms are personal injury, industrial disease, clinical negligence, inquests and inquiries, and associated insurance work. His work mostly involves high value claims or claims with complex evidential matters. He represents both Claimants and Defendants in personal injury matters, and regularly appears on behalf of families or other corporate interests or government agencies at inquests.

Gareth is highly sought after for both court and paperwork matters. Gareth is known for his highly effective advocacy which grasps the crucial and determinative issues in a case with clarity and focus. He is well-skilled in witness handling and submission advocacy at all court levels.

Gareth served on the Attorney General's Panel of Counsel between 2020-2025. He served as the Personal Injury Bar Association Midlands Circuit Representative between 2019 - 2025. Gareth is ranked as a Leading Junior for personal injury law by the Legal 500.

Clinical Negligence

Gareth has developed a specialist clinical negligence practice, predominately representing Claimants. He has been instructed in matters ranging from initial advice on liability to complex advices on causation and quantum.

Most of his casework involves allegations of a delay in treatment and/or misdiagnosis. This is a particular area of expertise for Gareth, particularly the interplay between the factual evidence in such cases giving rise to the core chronology of events, and the parameters of the duty of care.

Gareth also provides expert advice and advocacy in cases concerning treatment of psychiatric conditions and the effects of medication withdrawal or delays in treatment which has precipitated patient self-harming and acts of suicide.

Gareth has also represented families at inquests where a clinical negligence claim is likely to follow.

