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Profile

Charlie specialises in Personal Injury, Clinical Negligence and Inquests.

He is ranked in Band 1 for Personal Injury by Chambers & Partners and has been described in the legal directories as **"a superb advocate with a fantastic success rate"** who **"... has the full range - he's very good with clients, and a fantastic advocate who wins difficult cases. His attention to detail is excellent"**, **"He's very confident and accessible. He builds up a good rapport with witnesses; he's engaging and clear but not dogmatic"**. Charlie is particularly **"recognised for his insurance defence practice"**.

Charlie has enormous experience acting for Claimants and Defendants predominantly in high value and serious or fatal injury cases arising from road traffic, industrial and other accidents. His caseload includes accidents resulting in brain injury, spinal cord injury, amputation and cases involving contested mental capacity. Charlie has a particularly strong reputation acting in claims by members of the armed forces and for acting for insurers in cases involving Complex Regional Pain Syndrome, Chronic Pain and associated disorders, including Fibromyalgia, Chronic Fatigue Syndrome and Functional Neurological Disorder.

He has considerable experience of claims that arise out of accidents, often fatal, involving industrial machinery including cranes, trains and other engineering equipment in which Charlie is regularly instructed to act at inquest and in civil proceedings.

Charlie has been ranked as a leading junior in Clinical Negligence by the Legal 500 since 2009 where they observe that he **'grasps medical issues quickly'**.

He has considerable experience in clinical negligence acting at inquest and in civil proceedings in a wide range of clinical accident claims including fatal accident claims, obstetric negligence claims and claims arising from delayed diagnoses.