

IMD SOLICITORS



PERSONAL SERVICES

WITH A CARING TOUCH

Who **WE ARE?**

IMD Solicitors are a multi-national full service law firm and a leading provider of personal legal services to clients throughout England and Wales.

- We provide **bespoke expert legal services to our Clients**
- Our team of **experience solicitors** together with a network of highly qualified experts and partners in the UK can offer solutions to our Clients' legal needs.
- We recognise the importance of **clear communication** with our clients in their native language and understanding cultural differences.
- We are Client focused and we always put **our Clients at the heart of everything** we do. We believe in building strong relationships.



Our **MISSION AND VALUES**

OUR MISSION is to help our clients and their families find a resolution to their personal legal difficulty.

OUR VALUES drive us and are at the core of everything we do. We are:

COMMITTED TO EXCELLENCE

We pursue excellence and are continuously dedicated to developing our skills and expertise so we can serve our client better.

HONEST

We pride ourselves on being open and honest at all times and uphold the highest standards of integrity.

RESPECTFUL

Mutual respect is at the heart of our relationship with both Clients and colleagues alike.

CULTURALLY DIVERSE

Our multi-cultural team expertly serves out multi-cultural Clients.

And above all, in everything we do, **WE CARE.**



Learn more
**ABOUT
US**

5000+
cases
concluded

Since
2007
delivering
international
legal services

Network of
partners in
18
countries

4.8 / 5
average client
rating

1
focus:
Client



Our **TEAM**



Daxa **Patel**
Partner &
Solicitor

Daxa is a litigation lawyer of 25 years with expertise in medical negligence cases. Over the years she has dealt with complex cases securing the right results for the client. Her approach is friendly, professional and methodical. This is what one of her client's said about her "I am thrilled with the service by Daxa Patel, she has been more than just legal support. Daxa has been the utmost professional and I would have absolutely no hesitation in any recommendation. Professional, prompt, realistic, and good excellent advice and support".



Wiktor **Buza**
Senior
Associate
Solicitor

Wiktor is an experienced litigation lawyer with over 10 years' experience representing clients in complex and serious injury matters. He has significant litigation experience with major trauma and serious injury cases and has particular expertise in representing clients who suffered life altering injuries such as severe brain trauma and significant spinal cord injuries. This is what one of his client's had to say about him. "Your advice helped me and my children through the dark times after the death of my husband. The compensation we received will ensure a good future."



Karol **Prokopczuk**
First Response
Team

As a member of First Response Team, Karol is responsible for all Polish and English new enquiries.

Karol makes sure that an excellent customer service is provided, by approaching each enquiry with polite, friendly and professional attitude, combined with empathy. Karol believes that each person has the right to be heard with respect and compassion and deserves a fair and above all an honest assessment.

We also have colleagues who speak fluent Polish, Romanian, Russian and Lithuanian languages who will assist with translation.

SPECIALISTS IN CLINICAL NEGLIGENCE

Our specialist Medical negligence Team are here to help and guide you with your compensation claims for negligence which may result in compensation for :

- Pain and suffering, including physical and emotional injury
- Special care aids, equipment and adaptations
- Cost of care and assistance
- Loss of past and future earnings
- Prescription charges and medical expenses
- Travelling expenses
- Other out of pocket expenses caused due to the negligence

Many patients suffer through no fault of their own due to Medical negligence. There are approximately 1 million medical accidents a year in the U.K. Medical negligence is also known as Clinical negligence.

In order to make a successful claim the law gives you three years from the date of the negligence or the date of knowledge of the negligence otherwise the claim will be out of time. For more details on the time limit visit our website <https://imd.co.uk/services/medical-negligence/>. To make a successful claim the law requires you to prove that the standard of care you received fell below the standard of care that of a reasonably competent health and medical care professional in the relevant area of medicine; and that you suffered a physical or mental trauma/injury as a direct consequence of that negligent care or lack of care.

If you or your loved one, or a friend has suffered an injury as a result of Medical Negligence through the hands of a health or medical professional, then you may be entitled to make a Medical Negligence Claim. If you are unsure as to what to do, call us for a free consultation.



TYPE OF CLINICAL NEGLIGENCE CASES

These are examples and not an exhaustive list of the type of case we can assist with

- Brain injury
- Delayed diagnosis of cancer/ fractures
- Stillbirth
- Misdiagnosed cancer/ fractures
- Negligent traumatic amputation
- Mistreated infection
- Surgical negligence
- Sepsis and MRSA claims
- Death caused by medical negligence
- G.P. errors
- Accident & Emergency errors
- Plastic surgery errors
- Spinal & orthopaedic negligence



CASE STUDIES

Daxa acted for a client with a delayed diagnosis of bladder cancer, there was a delay of 10 months despite the client visiting her G.P. many times with worrying symptoms. By the time the cancer was diagnosed it was in the final stages, sadly the client did not survive however, Daxa was able to recover compensation for the family. This was a very difficult case and upsetting case as the medical evidence showed she had a good chance of living a good quality life had the cancer been diagnosed and treated earlier. The case was successful though it was defended and the family received compensation for their loved one's avoidable death.

Daxa acted for a young boy who suffered a bleed to his brain which was not investigated in a timely manner. The negligence left the boy with a personality change. This was a difficult time for the parents as they tried to rehabilitate their son while at the same time deal with the legal claim. The case was defended by the doctor's lawyers on grounds that he had done all he could. Medical evidence was put together from many experts to prove that prompt medical attention would have averted the tragedy. Daxa was able to help him recover £275,000 which would have helped him with his future education and rehabilitation. This was a particularly challenging case as the parents found it emotionally difficult in coming to terms with this avoidable negligence.

Daxa acted for a retired gentleman who suffered a heart failure while in hospital having had a previous attack. It was proved that the hospital did not give him the right medication given the severity of his first heart attack and had they done so he had a good chance of making a reasonable recovery. Sadly, the gentleman died in hospital. The case was defended. Daxa was instructed by the widow who was grief stricken and shocked when she found out that her husband would have survived but for the negligence. His death meant she lost the support of a loving husband and the financial support, though he was retired he was acting as a consultant in his field of expertise. The compensation recovered of £300,000 and apology went some way to comforting the widow and her children.

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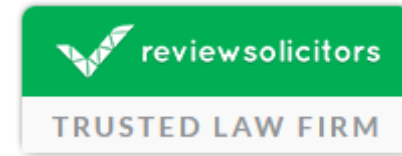
Wiktor acted on behalf of a metal worker who suffered a partial amputation to his foot when at work. He was able to arrange for the client to undergo comprehensive rehabilitation and receive high tech prosthetic of his foot cost of which was paid for by his employer. He was further able to ensure that the client received compensation which took into account his future needs such as replacement prosthetics, alternative accommodation needs and a vehicle with an automatic transmission and adaptations to allow him to operate it using one foot. The client received in total £665,000 in compensation.

Wiktor acted for a car plant worker who suffered chronic pain condition to his spine as a result of repetitive and heavy work. This case was particularly difficult as clients employer has not admitted being at fault for the accident and this and the injury suffered had significant psychological effect on the client. After lengthy negotiations and to great relief of the client Wiktor was able to secure for him £100,000 in compensation.

Wiktor acted on behalf of a gentleman who was hit by a vehicle whilst crossing the street when on a night out with his friends. Client has suffered significant injuries to the skull and bleeding to the brain. Wiktor was contacted by the client's wife shortly after the accident and he was able to visit the client in hospital. The client was very concerned about his future recovery and treatment and about the impact of the loss of wages on his young children. Wiktor was able to secure a significant interim payment from the insurer of the Defendant driver to cover the wages of the client for the first year after the accident and to cover costs of rehabilitation in the crucial early days after the accident. This early rehabilitation allowed him to eventually return to mostly normal family life. He received £275,000 in compensation.

What our

CLIENTS SAY ABOUT US?



4.8 /5  131 Customer Reviews

Daxa Patel - client testimonials

“Just a little note to say a huge Thank you! It can’t be easy taking on a case in its final stages, but you have done this with ease. Not only through your professionalism but also your compassion during what has been a difficult journey for our family. I trust your advice ...” Mrs. J.O.

“Thank you very much and everyone for all the assistance in dealing with my claim for compensation. I would be happy to recommend you to all my friends and family”. Mrs. J.B.

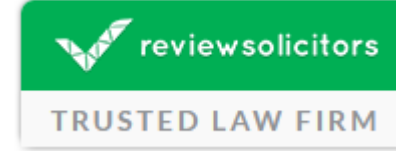
“Daxa was friendly, thorough and spoke clearly without lots of jargon. I’d have no reservations in recommending your friendly and personal service to friends and colleagues”. Mr. J.W.

“I am thrilled with the service by Daxa Patel, she has been more than just legal support. Daxa has been the utmost professional and I would have absolutely no hesitation in any recommendation. Professional, prompt, realistic, and good excellent advice and support”. Mrs. H

“We cannot thank you enough for all the hard work you have put in over the past years, there were so many times we wanted to walk away and it was only speaking to you that made me realise it was in our best interest to keep going, I cannot thank you enough..”. Mrs. C.B.

“ Just to say thank you for all your support during a difficult time..” Miss H.

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Wiktor Buza- client testimonials

“Thank you for believing in my case before the trial... for giving me advice and comfort over the three days we spent together at the court and for all the work you put into securing that win for me.”

“Your advice helped me and my children through the dark times after the death of my husband. The compensation we received will ensure a good future.”

“Thank you Wiktor for getting me the money and all the work on my case in the last four years. I wasn't easy to get along with and you were very patient with me. The other side never had a chance and the size of the compensation reflects that”

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- Family law
- Probate
- Criminal law
- Employment
- Immigration
- Business services



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