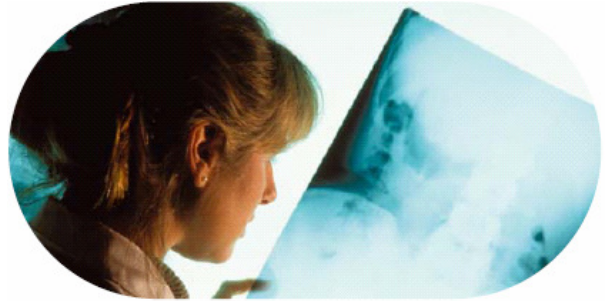


Birth & Medical Treatment Problems

Whilst any personal injury can be distressing, birth and medical treatment problems are often life-changing traumas faced by the victim and family members alike. Stephensons is one of the few firms in the country with the knowledge, experience and expertise to get a result that matters.



We can help with

Medical accidents

Fortunately medical accidents are extremely rare, but when they do happen they can involve serious emotional, financial and practical distress. Our specialist team focuses on medical accidents in both the NHS and private sector, including obstetric, gynaecological and psychiatric injuries. This focus gives us the experience and expertise to understand the challenges you face and the steps that are required to overcome them.

Louise Griffiths
Partner



Birth injuries

Deprivation of oxygen at birth can lead to particularly distressing birth injuries such as cerebral palsy and brain damage. Our lawyers deal sympathetically with these delicate situations, whilst responding quickly to your circumstances to get the answers you require.

Jamie Cruickshanks
Associate



Claims against medical professionals

Our specialisation in serious medical mishaps extends across the medical spectrum, from GPs to dentists, opticians to chiropodists and plastic surgeons. We can advise on healthcare-related issues involving such medical professionals, who potentially can be held responsible for prescribing the wrong medications, poor treatment or not diagnosing problems.

Judith Thomas-Whittingham
Associate



Claims against care homes

We are experienced in investigating and pursuing claims against care homes for mistreatment of elderly or mentally ill patients. We can call on the support of knowledgeable professionals, including care experts and our in-house Court of Protection Official Receivers, to review and progress your case.

Key facts about us

- Our specialised team of medical accident solicitors is devoted to achieving life-changing results.
- We focus on 'whole life' solutions, seeking results and offering practical support that help you and your loved ones adapt to a dramatically altered lifestyle.
- Other non-specialist law firms refer personal injury cases to us because of our experience and track record for getting results.
- We are ranked among the top practitioners in the UK for the amount of awards we recover. We were responsible for obtaining over £6.2m for a child injured at birth - one of the biggest ever awards of its kind in the UK.
- We have 5 partners and 14 other personal injury specialists - offering you a collective 100 years' experience - backed by a support team of around 50 people.
- We have access to the best medical and care experts in the country to assess and give guidance on your case.
- We liaise with specialist financial advisers to structure your compensation in the best way and ensure you achieve the best possible returns.

Affiliations

We are active and leading members of key associations to enhance our ability to fight your claim:

- Headway (brain injury charity)
- Spinal Injuries Association
- Association of Personal Injury Lawyers (APIL)
- Legal Society Commission franchise holders (legal aid against health authorities)
- Association of Victims of Medical Accidents
- College of Personal Injury Law (CPIL)
- Solicitors Regulation Authority Personal Injury Accreditation Scheme

Funding options

Funding may be available from a variety of sources:

- A no win, no fee arrangement
- Legal Services Commission funding
- Personally funded
- Legal fees protection through your household or car insurance

We offer a free, no-obligation initial discussion of cases.

Contact us

Please feel free to contact us if you would like further information on any aspect of our work.

Our friendly team is always on hand to help and advise you. We can be contacted directly on:

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