

AvMA Specialist Clinical Negligence Panel Meeting



Afternoon of Friday 30th November 2018

**America Square Conference Centre,
London**

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The event provides the opportunity to meet, network and discuss the latest key developments and issues facing clinical negligence law.

This is a particularly important time for clinical negligence practitioners, not least because of the potential impact fixed recoverable costs may have on access to justice, commercial viability and quality of work.

You will know that it is a condition of Panel membership that you attend the annual Panel meeting – if, for any reason, you are not able to attend then you are encouraged to send a representative from your office.

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

12:30 REGISTRATION AND NETWORKING LUNCH

13:30 AVMA UPDATE

PETER WALSH, Chief Executive; &

LISA O'DWYER, Director Medico-Legal Services, Action against Medical Accidents

14.00 THE NEW APPROACH TO MATERNITY INVESTIGATIONS

LOUISE PAGE, Clinical Adviser, HSIB Maternity Investigations Team;

EARLY NOTIFICATION SCHEME

KAMAL BEDI, Early Notification Team Leader, NHS Resolution;

FEASIBILITY OF A RAPID RESOLUTION AND REDRESS (RRR) SCHEME

- The latest position with regard to the DHSC proposals
- Pros and cons of the proposals as they stand
- Lessons from administrative schemes elsewhere

ADAM SAMPSON, Programme Associate, Civil Justice Research Programme, CSLS, University of Oxford, Former Legal Ombudsman, & Interim Chief Executive, General Optical Council

15:10 REFRESHMENTS AND NETWORKING

15:40 COSTS - GET YOUR HOUSE IN ORDER!

- Justifying your success fee – is there a need for ongoing risk assessment?
- An overview of recent costs cases, including the case of *Herbert v HH Law Ltd* (2018), and what clinical negligence lawyers can learn from this

REUBEN GLYNN, Managing Director, PIC

16.20 PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY – WHERE DOES IT BEGIN AND END? THE CASE OF DR HADIZA BAWA-GARBA

FENELLA MORRIS QC, Barrister, 39 Essex Chambers;

DR CICELY CUNNINGHAM, Learn Not Blame Lead, Doctors Association UK

17:00 CLOSE OF MEETING

NB: Programme and timings may be subject to change

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AvMA Specialist Clinical Negligence Panel Meeting & Christmas Drinks Reception (363)

30th November 2018, America Square Conference Centre, London

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Panel Meeting only £85 + VAT = £102.00

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Add 15% to the fees above

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Account name: Action against Medical Accidents

Bank: Co-operative Bank

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