

How to recover your success fee on the approval of a settlement by the court

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12:00 - 13:00

This webinar will help you to deal with the problem of recovering success fees in claims that need court approval, taking you through the background, the relevant procedures and how to deal with practical problems.

- The LASPO problem of success fees payable on behalf of children or protected parties
- The CPR
- Getting risk assessment right
- Why staged success fees are still important
- Stage 3 approval procedure
- Pre-issue approval procedure
- Post-issue approval procedure
- When and how to deal with claiming the success fee
- Arguments that may work
- Arguments that won't work!
- Client care and managing expectations

Technical requirements

You will need access to the internet on your PC, plus audio speakers. If you do not have access to speakers you will be able to receive audio via a phone line. Further information on how to log on to the webinar will be sent via email a week before the event.



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He is a member of the Law Society Clinical Negligence Accreditation Scheme and of the Law Society Personal Injury Accreditation Scheme and also an assessor for that scheme. He is a member of the APIL Clinical Negligence Specialist Accreditation Scheme and an assessor for that scheme.

He is a member of the Association of Personal Injury Lawyers, with accredited status as a senior fellow.

He was elected to the APIL executive committee in 2005, was APIL president from 2009 to 2010, then re-elected to the executive committee in 2012 before being elected as APIL secretary in 2016. He is also a member of the Forum of Complex Injury Solicitors, the Professional Negligence Lawyers Association, the Law Management Section of the Law Society, the South Yorkshire Medico-Legal Society and the Solicitors' Association of Higher Court Advocates.

He provides professional training on a range of subjects including procedure, practice management, occupiers' liability, contributory negligence, clinical negligence and evidence as well as regular updates on developments in the law. He has chaired sessions, and spoken, at many conferences including APIL annual conferences, APIL clinical negligence conferences, the APIL catastrophic injuries conference and APIL business conferences.

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