

Contributory negligence in personal injury and clinical negligence cases

Tuesday, 7 July
12:00 - 13:00

Contributory negligence is a common feature of personal injury litigation and (sometimes) in clinical negligence cases.

This webinar takes a comprehensive look at the law relating to contributory negligence and covers

- The law relating to contributory negligence
- Pleading and proving contributory negligence and causation
- How is the amount of negligence determined?
- The cases which contributory negligence does not apply to
- Contributory negligence and accidents at work
- Contributory negligence and the motorist
- Children & contributory negligence
- Can there be contributory negligence in clinical negligence cases?
- Seatbelts and cycle helmets
- Using allegations of contributory negligence against the defendant - as allegations of negligence
- Can contributory negligence affect the award of damages?
- Contributory negligence and interim payments
- Responding to and disproving allegations of contributory negligence
- Appeals and contributory negligence

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.



Gordon Exall was called to the Bar in 1991 having originally qualified and practised as a solicitor. He practices from Kings Chambers.

He works almost wholly in the area of personal injury litigation and in the law relating to civil procedure, limitation and costs. He has a particular interest in issues relating to damages, evidence and the drafting of special damages schedules.

Gordon is a former executive committee member of APIL and has lectured widely for APIL and CPIL on personal injury and procedure topics. Gordon is the author of written Personal Injury Practice Notes (Cavendish); The APIL Guide to Fatal Accidents (4th edition); the 14th edition of Munkman and Exall on Damages, and Periodical Payments the New Law. He also writes the section on limitation for the APIL loose-leaf.

Gordon has appeared in several of the leading cases relating to procedure, service of the claim form and the assessment of damages.

Gordon writes the "Civil Litigation Brief", one of the most widely read sites on litigation, evidence and procedure.

In his spare time Gordon plays guitar and mandolin in a rock band (which has performed at APIL conferences). He has four children and lives in York.

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