# Fatal accidents: Law, practice, procedure and compassion



## HYRBID EVENT - ATTEND IN PERSON OR VIRTUALLY Wednesday, 16 November 2022 Marriott Hotel Kensington, London or attend remotely

This one day course will take you through every element of a fatal accident claim, with particular emphasis on the compassionate handling of bereaved families and careful client care. The course will cover\*:

- The law in relation to liability and causation
- Investigating the claim, liability, damages and the inquest
- Funding and attending the inquest
- Funding the claim who is the client? retainers, drafting them and getting the correct party correctly identified
- Who is a dependant?
- Valuing the dependency claim
- · Non-dependency claims
- · Bereavement damages
- Losses of the deceased prior to death
- Damages for injuries to another arising out of the death

This course is also appropriate for APIL asbestos disease specialist accreditation

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We will also look at important recent case law in relation to fatal accidents and dependency.

The course considers the importance of looking at the claim from the claimant's point of view and the care needed when assisting the recently bereaved. It contains a series of checklists and precedents to enable practitioners to work effectively and there will be series of workshops throughout the day so that people can share experiences and their views.

"I found the course very interesting and well presented.

The information will be of great assistance to me as I have a number of fatal accident claims".

#### **Speaker details:**



**Gordon Exall** was called to the Bar in 1991 having originally qualified and practised as a solicitor. He practices from Kings Chambers, Leeds, Manchester and Birmingham and 4-5 Gray's Inn Square, London. He works 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, costs and procedure. Gordon is a former executive committee member of APIL and has lectured widely for APIL and CPIL on personal injury and procedure topics



Hilary Wetherell joined Irwin Mitchell in 2000 and became a partner in the serious injury team in Birmingham in 2011. In 2021, she was appointed lead partner for the complex PI teams in Birmingham. She leads a team of seven lawyers and their specialisms include brain injury, polytrauma (multiple serious injuries), severe burns, complex fatal accident work such as police liaison work and coronial law. Hilary is a brain injury, fatal accident and senior litigator accredited member of the Association of Personal Injury Lawyers (APIL). Her team devised and designed the APIL Fatal Accidents Accreditation and she delivers annual training for APIL across the country.

To book your place, please complete the booking form overleaf or book online at: www.apil.org.uk/personal-injury-legal-training

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