



Re: *No-win no-fee cases blamed for rise in compensation bill* (Western Mail, 18 August)

The Welsh Government should look closer to home for the reasons behind the size of its compensation bill. And its biggest concern should be with the level of negligence which causes these injuries.

No-win no-fee has served injured people as a method of access to justice since 2000 and there is no evidence that I am aware of that a recent increase in compensation payments is because of lawyers.

When negligence happens, injured people have every right to expect that the same mistakes do not happen again and they have every right to claim compensation to help put their lives back on track. Without negligence there would be no need for compensation.

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