



DR TERESA KELLY

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CONSULTANT OBSTETRICIAN

EXPERT INFORMATION

GMC No: 3296534

Will see Claimants of all ages

Report turnaround 4-6 weeks

Desktop reports

Court experience

EXPERT RATIO



80% Claimant
20% Defendant

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CURRENT ROLE:

Consultant Obstetrician

St Mary's Hospital, Manchester

Speciality Advisor for the Care Quality Commission

Chair of the Hospital Blood Transfusion Committee (MFT)

MBRRACE-UK Maternal Death Assessor

Vaccine Lead for Maternity (MFT)

CASES RELATING TO:

Dr Kelly has extensive experience in cases associated with:

- Hypoxic ischaemic encephalopathy
- Deaths in labour
- Early neonatal deaths
- Maternal diabetes
- Maternal epilepsy
- Foetal medicine
- Late diagnosis of renal disease in pregnancy
- Mismanagement of DVT, pulmonary embolism and varicose veins (pregnancy/labour and post-natally)
- Abnormal CTG assessment
- Delay in diagnosis (placental abruption)
- Failure to discuss risks (foetal macrosomia (large baby))
- Trauma relating to delivery (mother and baby)
- Traumatic births
- Failure to expedite delivery following abnormal red flags such as abnormal CTG, abnormal FBS, breech/footing deliveries

MEDICO LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

Dr Teresa Kelly is a Consultant Obstetrician who has acted as an Expert Witness for 15 years. She holds the Cardiff University Bond Solon Civil Expert Witness Certificate and is instructed by Claimants and Defendants in personal injury and clinical negligence cases. She has undertaken CQC inspections and has also attended Coroners Court.



CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

Dr Kelly is currently a Consultant Obstetrician at St Mary's Hospital, Manchester. Her unit delivers approximately 14,000 women a year, 9200 on the site that she works on. In addition to practicing general high-risk obstetrics, Teresa undertakes level 2 obstetric scanning and supports her team in difficult clinical situations. Her special interests are in maternal medicine (diabetes, renal disease and epilepsy in pregnancy) and foetal medicine.



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Dr Kelly has been a Consultant in Obstetrics since 1999. She is a key member of the tertiary Maternal Medicine service at St Mary's Hospital in Manchester, which delivers approximately 14,000 women annually, with 9,200 deliveries on her site. In addition to providing general high-risk obstetric care, she conducts level 2 obstetric scanning and offers support to her colleagues in challenging clinical scenarios. Dr Kelly is known for her commitment to delivering safe, evidence-based, patient-focused care and has experience working in both tertiary units and district general hospitals.

Dr Kelly has actively contributed to improving maternity services through various roles. In 2015, she was part of the RCOG-invited review team for East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust, and later participated in a subsequent review for NHS England and NHS Improvement, which helped guide improvement initiatives within the Trust. Additionally, she was involved in diagnostic reviews and stabilisation plans for maternity services at North Manchester, highlighting her dedication to raising standards and reducing avoidable harm in healthcare.

As a respected expert in her field, Dr Kelly has conducted investigations related to medical staff concerns and maintained high professional standards in the NHS. She has also served on expert panels to review clinical incidents and complaints, aiming to improve communication with the local community and enhance complaint handling processes in healthcare settings.


In her role as Chair of Directorate for Women's and Children's Services, Dr Kelly led the strategic planning for the closure and reintegration of maternity services at Salford Royal Hospitals, ensuring a smooth transition for patients and staff across multiple units.

Furthermore, Dr Kelly is actively involved with organisations such as HSIB, Each Baby Counts, and the CQC, gaining valuable insights into the diversity of maternity services across England.

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