

MR JAYKAR PANCHMATIA MA, MPH, MB BCHIR, FRCS

BILINGUAL: ENGLISH, GUJARATI

CONSULTANT SPINE SURGEON

EXPERT INFORMATION

GMC No: 6065034 Claimant age: 16+

Report turnaround 2-4 weeks

Remote assessment

Face to face assessment

Home visits

Prison visits

Criminal cases

EXPERT RATIO



90% Claimant 10% Defendant



25% Clin Neg

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CURRENT ROLE:

Consultant Spine Surgeon Guy's and St. Thomas' Hospital (2015 - Present)

CASES RELATING TO:

- Whiplash-related pain (back/neck/arm pain/stiffness)
- Soft tissue injuries
- Spinal fracture/trauma
- Osteoporotic spinal fractures
- Foot drop
- Paralysis
- Coccyx pain and fracture
- Spinal osteoarthritis
- Degenerative disc disease
- Herniated disc
- Spinal stenosis
- Disc prolapse/protrusion/bulging
- Limb pain relating to the spine (arm/leg)
- Pins and needles/numbness/loss of sensation in limbs
- Difficulty walking
- Central Cord Syndrome (CSC)
- Cauda Equina Syndrome (CES)
- Failed Back Surgery Syndrome (FBSS)
- Myelopathy
- Scoliosis
- Kyphosis
- Lordosis
- Spondylolisthesis
- Spinal tumours
- Vertebral osteomyelitis
- Discitis
- Spinal epidural abscess
- Spinal cord abscess
- Spinal conditions relating to hypermobility
- Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome (EDS)

MEDICO LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

Mr Panchmatia is an established expert witness and has a mature medico-legal practice. His practice spans all spinal conditions. He is a specialist in serious/ complex high value injuries. Mr Panchmatia is registered with APIL, AvMA, National Crime Agency (NCA) and the UK Register of Expert Witnesses.

He is Bond Solon trained and has been and expert for over 7 years. During this time, he has averaged 100+ reports per year.



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Mr Panchmatia was awarded Best Spinal Surgery Expert Witness 2024.

Mr Panchmatia welcomes personal injury and clinical negligence claims, for Claimant, Defendant and joint cases.

Mr Panchmatia accepts both civil and criminal instructions. He offers nationwide clinics and home and prison visits.



CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

Mr Panchmatia studied Medicine at Cambridge University. This included a clinical attachment at Yale University, USA. He furthered his education as a Fulbright Scholar at Harvard University, USA and was a visiting scholar at the Barrow Neurological Institute. He was subsequently awarded a Trauma & Orthopaedic Spine Fellowship at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, USA.

In 2015, he was appointed as Consultant Trauma & Orthopaedic Surgeon at Guy's and St. Thomas' Hospitals, London (GSTT) specialising in spinal surgery. He is also the Clinical Governance Lead for trauma and orthopaedic surgery at GSTT. He treats elective and acute spinal conditions, offering both non-surgical and surgical treatments.

Mr Panchmatia has presented internationally, and is published widely in orthopaedic and neurosurgical journals. These include articles in Neurosurgical Focus and the Spine Journal. Topics covered include conditions that affect the cervical spine, thoracic spine, lumbar spine, and sacrum. He is a member of the British Scoliosis Society and the British Association of Spine Surgeons. He was awarded the Sir Robert Jones Gold Medal and British Orthopaedic Association prize.

He trains registrars and fellows in spinal surgery at Guy's and St. Thomas' Hospitals. He has lectured at Cambridge University. He has presented to large audiences including the British Association of Spine Surgeons and the North American Spine Society.