

DR MALKA S LIYANAGE

CONSULTANT ANAESTHETIST

MBBS MD FRCA PGCERTMED MACADMED GMC NO: 7148511 Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust (2016 - Present)



EXPERT INFORMATION

SPECIALIST AREAS:

 Obstetric anaesthesia

CASES ACCEPTED:

Claimant age: 18+ **Clinical assessments**

Remote assessments

Home visits*

Prison visits*

Criminal cases Screening reports

Desktop reports

Family cases^{*} *Case-by-case **BILINGUAL:**

English

Sinhalese



EXPERT RATIO



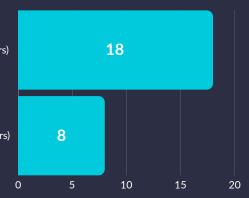
CLAIMANT 50%

DEFENDANT 50%

CLIN NEG PI

50% 50% Clinical experience (yrs)

Clinical governance & audit (yrs)



*Annual report from 2024



VENUES:



Acorn Anaesthesia Chambers, Chelmsford CM1 9FX

FURTHER INFO:

Court experience **Bond Solon trained Personal Injury** Clinical Negligence:

Causation

Liability

Breach of Duty

Condition & Prognosis

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CASES RELATING TO:

- General anaesthesia related issues
- Regional anaesthesia complications
 - Spinal/epidural
 - Other upper limb/lower limb
 - Peripheral nerve blocks
- Pre-operative assessment and preparation, including consent
- Post-operative care and complications
- Cardiovascular monitoring and procedures

- Intra-operative events and complications:
 - Awareness under anaesthesia
 - Intubation and airway management
 - Adverse reactions to medication
 - Allergy and anaphylaxi
 - Cardiovascular complications
 - Major haemorrhage

Special interest

· Obstetric anaesthesia

MEDICO LEGAL EXPERIENCE:

Dr Liyanage is an Consultant Anaesthetist with over 18 years clinical experience. She acts in all anaesthesia related cases and has a specialist interest in obstetric anaesthesia

Dr Liyanage has completed Bond Solon Expert Witness training. She instructed by Claimants and Defendants in clinical negligence and personal injury reports. She is happy to opine on causation, liability, breach of duty and condition and prognosis.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

Dr Liyanage is a highly experienced Consultant Anaesthetist with 18 years of experience in anaesthesia, including nine years in a consultant role.

Dr. Liyanage has a strong background in teaching and education. She is a Honorary clinical senior lecturer at Institute of Health Sciences at Queen Mary University of London.

She has also been involved in numerous quality improvement projects and audits, with several of her works presented at national and international conferences.

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Dr. Liyanage holds multiple qualifications, including an MBBS, MD in Anaesthesiology, FRCA, and a Post Graduate Certificate in Medical Education. She is a member of several professional bodies such as the Royal College of Anaesthetists, Obstetric Anaesthetists Association and the Academy of Medical Educators.

Her research interests include Obstetric anaesthesia and pain management, and she has contributed to studies for Direct Reporting of Awareness in Maternity Patients (DREAMY) study and research on fascia iliaca blocks.

Dr. Liyanage is also an experienced appraiser, having conducted numerous appraisals for doctors of various grades.

PUBLICATOINS:

- Improving outcomes following emergency laparotomy: Aggregation of marginal gains. M. S. Liyanage
- My Burning Experience.... A Trainee Perspective. Malka Sandunmalee Liyanage





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