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QUALIFICATIONS

1988	Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery (MBBS)
1992	M. D. Anesthesiology & Pain Medicine
2000	Fellowship of Royal College of Anesthetists (FRCA) London
2004	MSc in Pain Management (Leicester)
2008	FFPMRCA London
2018	Cardiff University Law School Bond Solon Civil Expert Witness Certificate

PAST AND PRESENT POSITIONS

Present appointments

2004	Consultant in Pain Medicine and Pain Neuromodulation
2014	Director European (EFIC) Cancer Pain School, Liverpool
2016	Trustee Pain Relief Foundation, Liverpool
2018	Elected Board Member, Faculty of Pain Medicine of RCoA, London
2019	Senior Honorary Lecturer, Pain Medicine, Liverpool University
2022	Co-chair Pain Relief Foundation Education Committee, Liverpool
2023	Co-director Annual Practical Pain Course, Liverpool
2023	Chair Professional Standards Committee, Faculty of Pain Medicine, Royal College of Anesthetists, London

Past appointments

2009-12	Chair Interventional Pain Interest Group, British Pain Society
2010-12	Chair North England Pain Medicine Group
2010-17	Clinical Director Pain Service, The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust, Liverpool
2010-22	Director Annual Practical Pain Course, Liverpool
2010-19	Examiner FFPMRCA (Faculty of Pain Medicine Examination)
2017-22	Education Meetings Advisor for Faculty of Pain Medicine of Royal College of Anesthetist, London
2012-21	Member Clinical Reference Group for Specialized Pain
2019-23	Clinical Editor "Transmitter" published by Faculty of Pain Medicine of RCoA, London
2020-22	Honorary Treasurer Neuromodulation Society UK & Ireland

Membership in Professional Organizations

- British Pain Society
- Association of Personal Injury Lawyers (APIL) Expert
- National Expert Witness Association, London
- Royal College of Anesthetists, London
- Neuromodulation Society UK and Ireland

CLINICAL EXPERTISE

I have been a Consultant in Pain Medicine at the Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust Liverpool since 2004. I have been Clinical Director of Pain Service since 2010-17. I assess 600 complex chronic pain cases every year. I collaborate with spine surgery, gynaecology, neurology, urology, and palliative medicine to deliver MDT pain service for complex chronic pain cases. **I have special interests in pelvic pain, cancer-related pain, neuropathic pain, fibromyalgia, trigeminal neuralgia, spinal pain including complex spinal pain injections/interventions, post-major trauma pain including whiplash injury, clinical negligence pain cases, and neuromodulation treatment, i.e., implantation of spinal cord stimulators for chronic pain including facial and pelvic pain.**

SPECIAL INTERESTS: EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

My educational commitments over the years in pain medicine have included the roles of Local Pain Education Supervisor; an examiner for the Faculty of Pain Medicine in the Royal College of Anaesthetists; Educational events Chair for the Faculty of Pain Medicine, Royal College of Anaesthetist London, founding member and past chair of the North England Pain Medicine Group and past chair of the British Pain Society's Interventional Pain Special Interest Group. I have also been appointed Chair of the Professional Standards Committee of the Faculty of Pain Medicine, Royal College of Anaesthetist London.

I have directed the annual Practical Pain Course in Liverpool since 2010; as well as the EFIC (European Pain Federation) Cancer Pain School in Liverpool, the only school from EFIC in England to support education for cancer-related pain. I teach many cadaver courses on trigeminal and spinal interventions, including spinal implants, in the UK, as well as in Europe and India.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

I am the chief editor of the specialist *Practical Management of Complex Cancer Pain* handbook, which was awarded the British Medical Association's Book of the Year in 2015, as well as first prize in the oncology category. The second edition of this book was published in 2022. I have published more than 75 papers including peer-reviewed articles and book chapters and have presented in many meetings, receiving excellent feedback, awards and this list is available on request.

MEDICOLEGAL EXPERIENCE

- I have been preparing medico-legal reports since 2007.
- I prepare 100 medical reports per annum. These include about 50 personal injury reports and 50 clinical negligence and complex/serious injuries reports.
- 5% instructed as Joint Experts and 95% from Claimant's Solicitors
- I prepare medical reports on cases relating to cancer, post-trauma pain, post-surgical pain, spinal pain, CRPS, whiplash-related pain, spinal injury related to pain injections, fibromyalgia pain, and mesh complications leading to severe pelvic pain.
- I have prepared reports for the Criminal Injury Compensation Authority (CICA).
- I have attended the Court several times to provide expert evidence and the GMC MFTP Panel hearing to provide expert evidence.

For the avoidance of doubt, Dr Sharma is instructed as principal and not as an agent for your client. Appointment time is 8-10 weeks from receipt of instruction with an agreed fee. Subject to the timely provision of information, an initial draft medical report in response to instruction will be delivered to the appointer within three weeks of examination.

The fee for the medical report is due after 30 days following the submission of the report. The Commissioning Solicitor/Agency is responsible for the fee. If I do not receive full payment in the agreed period, additional costs of 15% + VAT will immediately be added to the total amount outstanding from the date of invoice which must be paid within one year of the date of invoice. Where applicable, statutory interest, statutory compensation, and recovery costs will be incurred under the Late Payment of Commercial Debts (interest) Act 1998.

Hourly Rate

£300.00 +VAT

Work Undertaken	Average Time	Average Cost + VAT
Screening Report (<500pages of records)	4 hours	£1200
Screening Report (>500pages of records)	6 hours	£1800
Medical Report (including consultation, review, and preparation) (<500pages of records)	7-8 hours	£2100-£2400
Medical Report (including consultation, review, and preparation) (between 500-1,500 pages of records)	9-10 hours	£2700-£3000
Medical Report (including consultation, review, and preparation) (>1,500-2000 pages of records)	11-12 hours	£3300-£3600
Medical Report (including consultation, review, and preparation) (>2000 pages of records)	To be confirmed based on case complexity	To be confirmed based on case complexity
Further work on the report (amendments)	1-2 hours	£300-£600
Responding to Part 35 questions	1.5-2 hours	£450-£600
Comments on Defendants' Medical Evidence	2-4 hours	£600.-£1200
Telephone Conference with Counsel	1.5-2 hours	£450-£600
Joint Report (including joint conference)	3-5 hours	£900-£1500
Conference with Counsel (In person) + travel	Full day	£2,200
Conference with Counsel (telephone) plus prep time based on the case complexity	2-4 hours	£600-£1200
Court Attendance + travel time and expenses and hotel stay (as required) (plus 1-hour preparation time)	Half Day	£1200
Court Attendance + travel time and expenses and hotel stay (as required) (plus 2-hour preparation time)	Full day	£2400

Cancellation Fee for appointment (less than 7 days' notice)	£450 plus VAT
DNA Fee for appointments	£300 plus VAT
Cancellation of Court attendance (28-14 days' notice)	£1200 plus VAT/day
Cancellation of Court attendance (<14 days' notice)	£2400 plus VAT/day

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