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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

I am a Consultant Plastic, reconstructive and hand surgeon and I carry out medico-legal work and I have provided medical reports for solicitors for the last fifteen years. In this period I have provided over 2400 medical reports. These have been predominantly in the following areas of expertise:

- Hand surgery: Sequelae of hand injuries and surgery
- Soft tissue injury: Sequelae of post traumatic scarring
- Burns management: Sequelae of disability following burns injury, scarring and surgery.
- Medical negligence in Cosmetic Surgery.

As a Plastic Surgeon I deal with hand injuries and I am involved in dealing with these injuries, rehabilitating the patients and providing them with advice as to how they can return to work. I also give advice on scars, comment on their prognosis and whether they can be improved by various forms of surgery. I treat patients with skin cancer and patients with burns. I also perform cosmetic surgery, including breast reduction, reconstruction, silicone implantation, liposuction, body contouring surgery and surgery for facial rejuvenation.

I have prepared a chapter for the Encyclopaedia of Forensic & Legal Medicine entitled "Medical Malpractice in Cosmetic and Plastic Surgery"

Depending on availability of medical notes an appointment can be provided within two weeks of request and a medical report within two weeks of the appointment. My fees are in the region of £400 - 450, plus VAT, depending on the complexity of the work involved. I also have the facility of taking photographs if required at a competitive rate. My fees for medico-legal and clinical negligence work are £200 per hour, plus VAT.. Responses to supplementary questions take usually half an hour to one hour of time. My average fees for reports dealing with liability and causation are in the region of £500-650 plus VAT and condition and prognosis £450 to £550 plus VAT. I also take photos at the time of interview if appropriate/necessary to the case. My fees for such photos are £10 plus VAT each.

I also regularly give informal advice to Solicitors on the 'phone, without charge, in cases of clinical negligence and to discuss the merits or otherwise of the case. I also produce 2-3 page desktop reports

I am willing to defer my fees for six months or completion of the case which ever is earlier.

My hourly rate to attend Court is £200 plus VAT. I charge for time involved in preparation prior to the case prior to the hearing. The time involved will depend on the complexity of the case. I will also make charge for travelling expenses.

Preparation of joint statements: my hourly rate for telephone conferences is also £200 plus VAT. I also charge for time involved in preparation prior to the conference.

In the event of any Court appearance being cancelled, for whatever reason, the full fee shall be paid unless I receive notification seven days in advance. A cancellation charge of half the Court fee per day booked will be paid for notification cancellation received between 8 – 21 days notice and 20% of the Court fee per day booked will be paid if notification is received between 22 – 60 days in advance. In respect of notification received in advance of 61 days all charges will be waived.

I see clients at Apollo Surgery, 619 Kings Rd, Birmingham B44 9HW and also Spire Little Aston Hospital, Little Aston Hall Drive, Sutton Coldfield B74 3UP.

I am also a member of the Society of Expert Witnesses. My reports are prepared in accordance with new Civil procedure rules and I would be prepared to act as a single joint expert. . The percentage of work I undertake for Claimants, Defendants and SJE would be in the region of 85:10:5.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

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