

The Medical Protection Society is the leading provider of comprehensive professional indemnity and expert advice to doctors, dentists and other health professionals around the world. We are a not-for-profit, mutual organisation offering members a wide range of benefits, including professional indemnity, medicolegal support, publications, and educational services.

✓ Comprehensive indemnity against clinical negligence claims

If you face a negligence claim, we can help by providing an indemnity against legal costs and damages awarded against you. MPS indemnity is offered on an occurrence basis, so you have access to protection against claims arising from incidents that occurred whilst you were a member, even after you leave MPS or retire.

✓ Medicolegal advice and support

MPS provides members with medicolegal advice and support through the world's largest network of experts. We have a unique team of more than 100 medicolegal advisers and specialist lawyers with local knowledge and expertise. We offer first-class advice and legal support for:

- Handling patient complaints
- Medical council proceedings
- Disciplinary matters
- Inquests
- Criminal prosecutions arising from medical practice
- Professional ethical matters
- Insurance, expert witness, and other medicolegal reports
- Press and media enquiries

✓ Publications

MPS publishes a wide range of materials designed to provide members with a good working understanding of the legal and ethical principles governing the practice of medicine – for example, consent and confidentiality. Our publications include:

- Casebook, our acclaimed risk management journal
- Medicolegal factsheets and booklets
- Case reports with specific themes and learning points
- MPS Guide to Ethics addressing issues such as professionalism, integrity and respect

✓ Educational services

MPS believes that education and risk management is an integral part of the ongoing development of every healthcare professional. Our educational programmes are based on over a hundred years' experience and expertise in this field and include:

- CME-accredited courses and workshops
- Online courses and modules through our E-learning portal
- Events and conferences

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