

High Weald Rehabilitation

# **Rachel Wilson**

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#### **Specialisms** Adults

#### Brain Injury,

Challenging Behaviour, Complex Orthopaedic, Complex Polytrauma, Disorders of Consciousness, Mental Health Management, Posture and Seating Specialist, Spinal Injury, Substance Misuse.



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#### Profile

Rachel is compassionate, knowledgeable, and diligent. She is an awardwinning case manager whose practice is driven by the need to empower her clients to achieve their maximum potential.

A physiotherapist with over 25 years' experience, Rachel repeatedly demonstrates a high level of skill in supporting clients and their families who have suffered life changing injuries as a result of catastrophic or severe physical and psychological trauma.

She is experienced in managing a wide range of conditions including brain and spinal cord injury, complex orthopaedic/polytrauma as well as post traumatic symptoms often affecting mental health and behaviour. Rachel has extensive knowledge of acute, community and statutory services and for ten years managed a residential and outpatient service for adults with complex physical disability.

Rachel prides herself on her friendly empathic approach which enables her to build solid relationships with her clients based on respect and mutual trust. She is a skilled communicator and proactive problem solver who delivers goal orientated, evidence-based reports that are both thorough and insightful. Rachel works from a strong evidence base and sound professional judgement which provides her with the tools to work collaboratively with other practitioners, ensuring the best options for her clients at all times.

She has an in depth understanding of the litigation process and her role as case manager within this. Rachel works well under pressure especially where there may be budgetary constraints.

## Testimonial

"I have worked with a number of specialist case managers for many years now, and I would have no hesitation in putting Rachel within the highest bracket of those. The first time we met, visiting a young client with a severe TBI, I was struck by her intense client-focus and capacity for empathy with someone in a very difficult situation. She is driven by the client's wishes and aspirations, and all her planning and coordination keeps that in mind. She is approachable and goodhumoured, whilst retaining the ability to step back and be firm when required, whilst never appearing patronising. Her planning and management skills are excellent, and she has a keen eye for detail. Perhaps her greatest skill is her ability to anticipate what is going to be required not just now but further down the line, and to identify and resolve small issues before they become bigger problems. This sets her apart from many of her contemporaries in my view." *Personal Injury Solicitor* 

## Qualifications

BSc (Hons) Physiotherapy, University of Brighton (1995) PG Cert Posture Management, Oxford Brooks University (2012)

#### **Professional Memberships**

Health & Care Professions Council (Reg: PH49291) Chartered Society of Physiotherapy (Reg: 055308) British Association of Brain Injury and Complex Case Management (Reg: 7122) Case Management Society UK (Reg: 15-1425-CM) Registered with the Major Trauma Signposting Partnership (MTSP) Code of Conduct and also the Sussex Acquired Brain Injury Forum

Location Heathfield, Sussex Coverage South East

