



Areas of Expertise (Teenagers and Adults)

- Brain injuries
- Spinal cord injuries
- Neurological conditions
- Major and polytrauma
- Orthopaedic injuries
- Cerebral palsy
- General medical conditions
- Post-traumatic stress

Professional Registration and Memberships

- Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC)
- Royal College of Nursing (RCN)
- British Association of Brain Injury Case Managers (BABICM)

Qualifications

- Higher Diploma in Nursing (RGN), University of Brighton
- Bachelor of Science (Honours), City University, London
- Post Graduate Diploma in Public Health, University of Essex
- Best Interest Assessor Certification, Bond Solon

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Case Manager

Personal Statement

Lynette is a registered nurse with over 20 years of clinical experience, in both the United Kingdom and South Africa, working with young people and adults with catastrophic injuries and complex disability including traumatic brain injury, spinal cord injury and cerebral palsy. She has worked in various settings including acute inpatient, care homes and the community.

Lynette commenced her nursing career in general ward roles, advancing to specialism in infection prevention and control in a number of London teaching hospitals. Lynette relocated to South Africa in 2012, initially working in a research capacity in clinical trials as a study coordinator and research associate. She transitioned to a case management role with clients with personal injury or medical negligence claims. Lynette developed care plans, oversaw care provision, coordinated multidisciplinary rehabilitation teams and service providers, liaised closely with family members, and provided regular high quality reports to legal parties. Here Lynette took on an extended role, supervising, training and supporting other case managers with their complex cases.

Since returning to the UK in 2023, Lynette has divided her work between catastrophic case management and a clinical RGN role in nursing homes where she uses her skills to care for residents with dementia, palliative care needs and the effects of ageing.

Lynette is a friendly, approachable and professional case manager with excellent communication skills and a desire to maximise her clients' recovery and quality of life.

Lynette undertakes continuing professional development to maintain her registration by attending regular webinars, conferences and training courses.