

Legal Issues

HWS cannot give you legal advice, however, on the right side of this page is a list of Headway UK Approved Providers for Sussex, they have expert knowledge and experience of handling claims for people with ABI.

A UK wide version is available from the HWUK website or phone 0808 800 2244 for a copy.

MEETING YOUR SOLICITOR



Before you meet your solicitor it is a good idea to get together any letters, documents or other paperwork which you think the solicitor might need to see. For instance, if you have been involved in a car accident the police may have given

you a card or a letter with some details on about the accident e.g. time, place, reference number (if in doubt show the solicitor the document and they will decide if they need the document or not).

It is also advisable to take any insurance policies that you may have to the meeting so that the solicitor can check to see if you have any legal expenses insurance.

Questions To Ask Your Solicitor

A solicitor who is prepared to act for you or your family should not object to answering questions fully and honestly.

For a full list of questions to ask your solicitor see the Headway UK website:

www.headway.org.uk/Questions-to-ask-your-solicitor.aspx

Claiming Compensation Booklet

For more information on making a claim and the issues involved, you may like to consult the Headway publications 'Claiming Compensation after Head Injury', written by a leading personal injury solicitor this helpful booklet explains the litigation process in a straightforward way and is available from Headway UK for £3.50.



All of the providers listed are part of the HWUK Approved Provider scheme and have specialist knowledge and training in the field of ABI. They can also give you advice regarding Power of Attorney and The Mental Capacity Act, or if you are seeking compensation.

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