



The 23rd Annual Grange Conference
Medicolegal Event of the Year for Mental Health Professionals
Hazlewood Castle, Yorkshire
(Also delivered as a fully interactive live streamed event)



Tuesday 24 September 2024 – Day 1 Programme

09.00 *Registration and Coffee*

09.30 **Welcome**

Today's chair: Dr James Briscoe, MB, ChB, MMedSci, FRCPsych, Consultant Psychiatrist, Grange Conference Co-director

9.40 **Introduction to the conference**

Professor Keith Rix, MPhil, LL.M, MD, FRCPsych, Hon FFLM. Honorary Consultant Forensic Psychiatrist, Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust. Visiting Professor of Medical Jurisprudence, School of Medicine, University of Chester, Grange Conference Co-director

09.45 **Keynote Lecture**

Professor Keith Rix, MPhil, LL.M, MD, FRCPsych, Hon FFLM. Honorary Consultant Forensic Psychiatrist, Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust. Visiting Professor of Medical Jurisprudence, School of Medicine, University of Chester, Grange Conference Co-director

11.00 *Morning Refreshments*

11.15 **Children who kill: safeguarding and conflicts**

Dr Duncan Harding. Consultant Adolescent Forensic Psychiatrist

12.30 *Lunch*

13.30 **Welcome back**

13.35 **PTSD – controversy and confusion in medico-legal settings**

Dr Andy Siddaway, Clin.Psych PhD CPsychol. Consultant Clinical Psychologist & Expert Witness

14.35 *Refreshments*

14.50 **A lawyer's approach to risk assessment**

Mr Dean Kingham. Solicitor

15.50 **Summary of the day: Dr Danny Allen, MB, BS, LL.M, MRCGP, MFFLM, FRCPsych**,

Consultant Psychiatrist, Grange Conference Co-director



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Wednesday 25 September 2024 – Day 2 Programme

09.00 *Registration and Coffee*

09.30 **Welcome and introduction**

Today's chair: Dr James Briscoe, MB, ChB, MMedSci, FRCPsych, Consultant Psychiatrist, Grange Conference Co-director

09.35 **Functional neurological disorders – where are we now?**

Dr Laura McWhirter, Consultant Neuropsychiatrist and Clinical Research Fellow

10.45 *Refreshments*

11.15 **Chronic pain and somatoform disorders, where is the line drawn?**

Dr Glyn Towler BSc MBBS(Hons) MRCP FRCA FIPP FFMRCa, Consultant in Spinal and Pain Medicine & **Dr Jonathan Hellewell**, Consultant Psychiatrist

12.30 *Lunch*

13.30 **Workshop - Cross examination**

Robert Whittock KC, Barrister & **Dr Paul Mallett**, Consultant Psychiatrist

16.15 **Closing comments**

Gala Dinner

19.15 Drinks reception

19.50 Dinner is announced

Dress code: Business attire / national dress



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MENTAL HEALTH
Education and Training Network

Thursday 26 September 2024 – Day 3 Programme

09.00 *Registration and Coffee*

09.15 **Welcome and introduction**

Today's chair: Dr James Briscoe, MB, ChB, MMedSci, FRCPsych, Consultant Psychiatrist, Grange Conference Co-director

09.20 **Challenges in medico-legal reporting in asylum, immigration, and human trafficking cases – a solicitor's perspective**

Ms Beth Mullan-Feroze, Solicitor

10.20 **Psychiatric evidence in immigration proceedings**

Dr Nuwan Galappathie - Consultant Forensic Psychiatrist

11.00 *Refreshments*

11.15 **Truth, lies and other stories in psychiatric evidence**

Professor Patricia Casey, Consultant Psychiatrist & **Ciarán Craven KC**, Lawyer

12.30 *Lunch*

13.30 **Welcome back**

13.35 **Case Review**

Professor Keith Rix, MPhil, LL.M, MD, FRCPsych, Hon FFFLM. Honorary Consultant Forensic Psychiatrist, Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust. Visiting Professor of Medical Jurisprudence, School of Medicine, University of Chester, Grange Conference Co-director

14.35 *Afternoon break*

14.50 **Question time special**

Ciaran Craven KC, Solicitor & **Dr Jonathan Hellewell**, Consultant Psychiatrist & **Professor Keith Rix**

15.50 **Evaluation and farewell comments**

Grange Conference Co-Director: Dr Asif Ramzan, MB, ChB, FRCPsych, Consultant Forensic Psychiatrist, Grange Conference Co-director.

16.00 **Conference close**