

Dr Sheetal Kumar
Practice Owner, Principal Dentist & Independent Expert
Witness

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Dr Sheetal Kumar

BDS (Hons & Distinction), RCS Eng

Dr Sheetal Kumar is an experienced Independent Dental Expert Witness and Principal Dentist with over 15 years of medico-legal and clinical experience. She has been practising as an independent expert witness since 2010 and currently undertakes predominantly claimant-based medico-legal work alongside her role as Practice Owner and Principal Dentist at Willow House Dental Surgery.

Dr Kumar is also a Senior Dento-Legal Adviser at Dental Law Partnership, providing extensive insight into dental negligence, breach of duty assessments, causation analysis, and patient care standards. Her combined clinical and dento-legal experience provides a strong foundation for preparing clear, balanced, and evidence-based medico-legal reports.

She is Bond Solon Certified and conducts face-to-face examinations at her CQC-registered clinic, offering flexible appointment availability including evenings and weekends. Dr Kumar is recognised for her efficient turnaround times, strong communication skills, and structured medico-legal reporting style.

My Profile & Key Experience

Areas of Expertise

- Dental Negligence
- Restorative Dentistry
- Fixed & Removable Prosthodontics
- Crown, Bridge & Veneer Treatment
- Endodontic & General Dental Treatment Assessment
- Breach of Duty & Causation Analysis
- Cosmetic Dentistry
- Personal Injury Dental Assessments

Reporting Profile

Average Turnaround: 2-4 weeks *subject to complexity of cases

Instruction Ratio: 75% Claimant / 25% Defendant

Reports prepared in accordance with:

- CPR Part 35
- Practice Direction 35
- Expert Witness duties

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Strengths:

- Extensive independent expert witness experience since 2010
- Significant dento-legal advisory experience with Dental Law Partnership
- Strong expertise in dental negligence and breach of duty analysis
- CQC-registered examination facilities with flexible appointment availability
- Efficient report turnaround and client-focused communication
- Clear, evidence-based reporting style with strong analytical reasoning

Qualifications

- Membership of the Faculty of General Dental Practitioners (MJDF) – Royal College of Surgeons England (2008)
- Certificate in Restorative Dentistry – Eastman Dental Institute, University of London (2007)
- Bachelor of Dental Surgery (Honours & Distinction) – University of Birmingham (2003)
- GDC Number: 82039

My Career History & Clinical Roles

Current Clinical Role

Independent Expert Witness

Feb 2010 – Present

Dr Kumar undertakes independent medico-legal reporting predominantly for claimant cases, with experience in dental negligence assessments, breach of duty analysis, and patient examinations.

Willow House Dental Surgery | Sept 2015 – Present

Responsible for the clinical leadership and management of Willow House Dental Surgery, delivering comprehensive dental care and overseeing patient safety and governance standards.

Senior Dento-Legal Adviser

Dental Law Partnership | May 2011 – Present

Provides dento-legal advisory support relating to dental negligence claims, clinical standards, and case assessments.

Medico-Legal Training Highlights / CPD

- Bond Solon Certified
- Ongoing CPD in dento-legal practice and restorative dentistry
- Extensive practical experience in medico-legal reporting and examinations

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