Clearly a market leader in the medical partnership field.

Legal 500

They have a good range of expertise and are always very helpful and flexible in their approach.

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Our **primary care team**

We have a team of more than 20 specialist solicitors providing expert advice to GPs, partnerships, federations, provider organisations and primary care networks on a day to day basis.

We advise over 350 GP practices and more than 150 primary care provider organisations and networks, helping them meet the demands and challenges of a rapidly changing environment with the integration of primary, secondary, social and mental health care.

Our work covers partnership issues, property and employment matters, contracts and joint ventures and setting up PCNs and companies.

“*When we had problems, solutions were simple and clear, demonstrating not just a great understanding of the legal framework underpinning traditional GP partnerships, but the ability to evolve these alongside the new models of care for the NHS of the future.*”

Chair, Our Health Partnership Board

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**Our expertise**

- Collaboration, integration and joint venture arrangements
- Sub-contracting of clinical services
- Integrated Care Systems and STPs
- Partnership agreements
- Primary Care Network agreements
- Practice mergers, acquisitions and incorporations
- Partnership disputes
- Prohibition on sale of goodwill provisions
- Regulatory advice, including NHS pensions, CQC, GMS, PMS and Premises Costs Directions
- Property ownership, leases, transfers and developments
- Succession arrangements for retiring partners/principals
- Employment (including TUPE and the equalisation of terms and conditions following mergers)
Our approach

Let's start with a confidential, no cost chat. If you need further support, we will provide you with a detailed scope of work and a reasoned estimate of costs or fixed fee and a realistic timescale for you to consider and accept before you are committed.

Training sessions and workshops

We provide training and workshops on strategic issues. Our sessions include:

- The future of GP primary care
- Reducing risk and liability
- Digital/health tech
- Collaborative working
- Mergers and integration
- Incorporations
- Organisational development support
- Leadership development support

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Legal helpline

We provide a legal helpline offering an initial confidential telephone conversation to discuss any of these issues. Dial **020 7839 0278** and ask for the GP advice line for 10 minutes’ free preliminary advice from a solicitor, or please contact:

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