



William Falshaw Barrister

Year of Call: 1987

Inn of Court: Inner Temple

Education:

B.A. (Hons) History - Queen Mary College - University of London

Diploma in Law - City University

Bar Vocational Course - College of Law

William has been involved in the law for over 30 years. Using his background in criminal law he has developed a successful family law practice by using his experience as a launch-pad to meet new challenges.

William has represented applicants in Private Law cases and acted for guardians and parents in contested Public Law hearings at all levels. He is well versed in dealing with allegations of neglect, emotional and sexual abuse. Whilst employed by the Crown Prosecution Service, William was one of the first accredited lecturers in rape and serious sexual offences. He was also instrumental in setting up the Serenity Suite in Northampton, this has given him a unique understanding into the effects of all types of abuse upon victims. He has been involved in cases dealing with child cruelty and sexual exploitation of children. He has also acted in cases involving domestic violence both in the context of mental abuse and physical abuse. His compassion and understanding of victims has often been commented upon by the Judiciary.

He is quick to absorb information and apply it to develop arguments on behalf of his client. In Court he is a clear and determined advocate who puts his point across with aplomb. He is accustomed to cross-examining witnesses and puts his client's case clearly and succinctly. He has dealt with experts both in Court and in the preparation of cases

