

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Hazel Clerkin

Independent Case Manager | Occupational Therapist

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Kirkby Stephen, Cumbria

AT A GLANCE

Adults and children

SPECIALISMS

Brain injury
Spinal injury
Paediatric cases
Complex orthopaedic injury
Complex polytrauma

EXPERIENCE OF

Amputation
Autism spectrum disorders
Birth injury
Burns and plastics
Cerebral palsy
Challenging behaviour
Mental health management
Substance misuse

LOCATION

Kirkby Stephen, Cumbria

COVERAGE

Northern England and Scotland

Professional profile

With a background in occupational therapy and case management experience since 2014, Hazel has extensive expertise in neurorehabilitation, traumatic brain injury, spinal injury, amputation and complex health conditions. She works with adults and children and has a specialist interest in complex mental health.

Hazel is a Mental Capacity Assessor, an approved Disability Analyst and an experienced expert witness. She is skilled in disability analysis, medical and functional assessment and evidence-based reporting for people with physical, neurological and mental health needs.

A director of Amazing Rehab since 2016, Hazel leads a collaborative team delivering person-centred, evidence-based and goal-oriented rehabilitation pathways. Her previous specialist educator work also focused on empowering individuals to self-manage health conditions and reduce deterioration.

What I bring

- **Clinical leadership**
- **Complex case management**
- **Expert assessment and reporting**
- **Strong client advocacy**

Professional testimonial

> "Hazel is an outstanding case manager. Due to her caring, conscientious approach and strong interpersonal skills, Hazel swiftly builds a rapport with clients, who trust her. Hazel is a strong advocate for her clients, ensuring that their needs, views and wishes are of paramount importance in their treatment programmes. Hazel is an extremely skilled professional in brain injury rehabilitation and in managing clients with other complex neurological conditions."
> - Speech and Language Therapist

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Experience and credentials

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Career overview

FROM 2014

Rehabilitation case management

Extensive case management experience across neurological, spinal, orthopaedic and complex health conditions.

FROM 2016

Director, Amazing Rehab

Leads collaborative, person-centred and goal-oriented rehabilitation pathways.

CLINICAL PRACTICE

Occupational therapy

Specialist experience with adults and children, including complex mental health and neurorehabilitation.

ASSESSMENT AND REPORTING

Specialist assessor

Approved Disability Analyst, Mental Capacity Assessor and experienced expert witness.

EDUCATION

Self-management programmes

Worked as a specialist educator in an evidence-based national health programme.

Professional credentials

Registrations and memberships

HCPC registered Occupational Therapist (OT65423)
RCOT (BT0805691)
BABICM (1057)
MTSP Code of Conduct member
IRCM registered (RCM2367)

Qualifications

Approved Disability Analyst (2014)
BSc (Hons) Occupational Therapy (2012)
BA (Hons) Psychology (1999)

Training and safeguarding

Regular training, formal supervision and continuing professional development. Lead Safeguard Level 4.

Enhanced DBS and data protection

Enhanced DBS with Update Service and current ICO certificate. Details available on request.

Insurance and professional documentation

Professional indemnity and public liability cover up to £10 million per claim. Relevant policy details are available on request.

CASE MANAGEMENT PRACTICE

Experienced clinical leadership

LEADERSHIP

Co-ordinates therapists and complex rehabilitation pathways.

CLINICAL PRACTICE

Occupational therapy-led, evidence-based rehabilitation.

ADVOCACY

Keeps each client's needs, views and wishes at the centre.