

Cervical Cancer Screening

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Gildersome Health Centre in Morley, Leeds has recalled 1000 women after they have discovered that almost 1000 cervical smear tests carried out at Gildersome Health Centre may have been faulty.

NHS Chiefs in Leeds have ordered the recall of 968 women for re-testing after the checks revealed a possible problem dating back nearly 20 years. An investigation has now been launched but it is believed this could affect most of the smear tests carried out in the health centre since 1988.

It has been confirmed that mistakes in laboratory testing of samples have been ruled out which could mean the problem was when the smears were taken.

Rachel Donovan, solicitor at John Pickering and Partners LLP has succeeded against a number of health care providers in relation to misread pathology results, negligent examinations and/or ignoring critical symptoms which in turn has led, and is still leading to disastrous consequences.

Cancer cases can be difficult to prove and therefore it is so important that the potential claimant seeks advice from a specialist solicitor with experience in this area of medicine.

For further information please see below details.

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We try to obtain maximum amounts of compensation.

We are committed to providing public funding (previously known as Legal Aid) and have a franchise from the Community Legal Services Commission. This means that they have looked at the firm carefully and approved of the way we work. They consider that we are medical negligence claims specialists. They trust us to handle medical accident claims properly.

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All 3 of our offices (Liverpool, Manchester and Halifax) are accredited by the Association of Personal Injury Lawyers.

Claire Horton is an experienced clinical negligence solicitor. She continues to practice as an independent funding adjudicator for the Legal Services Commission and acts on a pro-bona basis for the [AvMA](#) helpline.

We provide free initial advice to people seeking information about a potential clinical negligence claim.

If you need advice about a clinical negligence claim, [contact us](#) now for information about making a claim for compensation.

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