# Curriculum Vitae - Professor Atul B. Mehta

Medico-legal work undertaken as Prof A and Dr K Mehta Ltd Company number 10574880 Established 20th January 2017

#### **Personal Details**

Name:	Atul Bhanu Mehta	
Specialty:	Clinical and Laboratory Haematology	
Present appointment:	Consultant Haematologist and Physician, Self employed Professor A and Dr K A Mehta Ltd, 42 Farm Avenue London NW2 2BH UK	
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Date of appointment:	1st January 2019	

### Former Role:

Consultant Physician and Haematologist to the Royal Free Hospital November 1986-January 2019.

Professor of Haematology, University College London (promoted August 2010)

Director of the Myeloma Service at the Royal Free Hospital 1986-2017

Consultant Haematologist at University College Hospital 2015-2019.

Founder and Clinical Director of the Royal Free Lysosomal Storage Disorders Unit1996-2019

Senior Examiner in Haematology at the Royal College of Pathologists – 1995-

Consultant in Charge – Regional Haematology Diagnostic laboratory from 1986-2002; Royal Free Blood Transfusion laboratory from 1986-1997.

### **Current role:**

Professor Mehta retired from the NHS in January 2019 at the age of 65 years. He continues in private practice in central London, principally in general haematology and coagulation. He also does medico-legal work, consultancy (principally in gene therapy), research and charitable work.

# Interests and Expertise:

Haematology: General Clinical and Laboratory Haematology, Transfusion Medicine, metabolic medicine and coagulation. His clinical interests span both malignant and non-malignant haematology and include the treatment of acute and chronic leukaemias, myeloma, lymphoma and non malignant conditions. He continues in private practice in general haematology and coagulation. He has published more than 350 peer reviewed articles in research journals, 40 chapters and 5 books. He has co-authored standard undergraduate and post-graduate textbooks in (3 in Haematology, and 2 in Lysosomal Storage Diseases). He is an internationally acknowledged expert in adult Lysosomal Storage diseases, Chairing and lecturing at International and National congresses, giving 15-20 presentations per year up to the year 2020. He has presented evidence before the US FDA, UK MHRA/NICE, and the European EMA.

**Medico-Legal**: He has been doing medico-legal work for over 20 years, providing reports for Claimants and Defendants (Split is 70:30) in addition to commissioned work and court appearances. He works closely with an associate (a consultant haematologist at Imperial) who is in active NHS clinical practice.

He undertakes reports where he has appropriate experience – general haematology, including coagulation and hospital transfusion; malignant and non-malignant haematology. He makes 1-2 court appearances yearly and produces more than 200 reports annually including 3-5 joint reports. He has attended accredited courses eg the Inspire MedLaw course in Oxford, March 2020. He completed the InspireMedLaw report writing course in June 2021 and the BMA Courtroom skills course and IDF medico=legal courses in 2023.

### **Education/Qualifications**

Dates	Detail of degree; diploma; other qualification	Institution
1975	B.A. 1st class honours	Cambridge University, UK
1978	M.B. B.Chir.	Cambridge University, UK
1980	M.R.C.P. (UK)	Royal College of Physicians, London, UK
1984	M.R.C.Path.	Royal College of Pathologists, London, UK
1987	M.D.	Cambridge University, UK

1992	Diploma in Management (diagnostic	Keele University, UK
	services)	

## **Past Appointments**

Dates		Institution
1986-2019 1985-1986	Consultant Physician/Haematologist MRC Training Fellow	Royal Free and University College Hospitals, UK Hammersmith Hospital, London
1983-84	Senior Registrar in Haematology	Hammersmith Hospital, London
1981-83	Registrar in Clinical Haem & Medicine	Hammersmith Hospital, London
1980-81	Registrar in Haematology	Royal Free Hospital, London
1979-80	Senior House Officer in Neurology	Kings College and Maudsley Hospital, London

G.C.P. Training updated – December 2018 (GCP)

G.M.C. Number 2434092 Full Registration. GMC validation until December 2029

Appraisal; January 2022, January 2023, December 2023, November 2024

ICO Reference : ZA163926 renewed 23 Jan 2022 and Jan 2024; Indemnity with Carrolls PI Misc Civil

AOC 1117 Renewed July 2024

Inspire MedLaw Training Course, Oxford: March 2020 InspireMedLaw report writing course in June 2021

**BMA Courtroom Skills course October 2023** 

IDF Medico-legal course 2023, 2024

He is a member of the Medico-legal Society - since 2025

He is a member of the Expert Witness Institute

He is a member of the Independent Doctor's Federation and a member of their medico-legal committee.

# Consultancy

Professional and Medico-Legal work is done by Prof A and Dr K Mehta Limited Company number 10574880

The Company is registered for VAT in the UK

## **FEES**

Fees for medico-legal work are £3-500 per hour plus VAT. A standard report is approx. £2500 plus VAT, maximum is £3000 and all additional work, including conference calls, is £300 per hour. General turnaround is 2-3 weeks. 1 day at court is £3,000.00; part day is £2,000. Court appearance cannot be guaranteed unless a summons is provided. Travel costs, compensation for time taken to travel (up to £500 per day) and expenses for meals and accommodation will apply outside London. Deferred payment is acceptable after prior agreement. Fees that remain unpaid beyond agreed credit terms attract a 2% per month surcharge from the date of the original invoice.

Hourly rate. £3-500

Cost of conferences (telephone and at chambers).

2 hours)

£300 per hour (typically

Cost of preparing any additional report.

£300 per hour £300 per hour

Cost of considering defendant's expert evidence.

2300 per nour

Cost of preparing joint statement with the defendant's expert.

£300 per hour

Cost of attending trial per day including preparation and travel to the Royal Courts of Justice.
 £3,000.00 per day

Hourly rate.

£300

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Cancellation - full charge if<24 hours; 50% if 24-72 hours; 25% if 3-7 days; > 7 days no charge

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