

# Curriculum Vitae

## Heidi Stanley

### Qualifications

- ▶ MSc (Hons) Management, University of Bristol 2007.
- ▶ BSc (Hons) Occupational Therapy, University of Derby 2000.

### Professional membership and registration

- ▶ British Association of Brain Injury and Complex Case Management (BABICM) Advanced Membership since 2015.
- ▶ Case Management Society UK.
- ▶ British Association of Occupational Therapists (BAOT).
- ▶ Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC) Registered number: OT32336.

### Case Manager

- ▶ 11 years experience as a case manager, working with children and young adults to age 25 years who have had neurological injury at birth or due to accident, illness following birth. Working with the same clients over several years and seeing them through transitions from pre-school to primary school and then onto secondary school.
- ▶ Mentor to other paediatric case managers since 2015.
- ▶ Over 9,000 hours case management experience.
- ▶ Advanced member of BABICM since 2015.
- ▶ Member of the BABICM Professional Practice and Membership Group

### Occupational therapist

19 years' experience within the paediatric field working with children and young people aged 0 to 25 years, specialising in neurological disability arising from:

- ▶ Acquired and traumatic brain injury
- ▶ Mild to severe Cerebral Palsy and associated physical, cognitive, sensory and communication difficulties.
- ▶ Sensorineural hearing loss.
- ▶ Genetic and chromosomal abnormalities.
- ▶ Developmental co-ordination disorders.

### Expert Witness

- ▶ Working as an expert witness through Jacqueline Webb & Co since 2008.
- ▶ Assessment and writing rehabilitation cost reports and Loss of service reports.
- ▶ Over 100 reports written and attendance at numerous case conferences in person and by phone.

### Current work

#### Since July 2018 - StanleySmith Case Management Ltd – Joint director.

Case load of children and young adults who have brain injury arising from developmental abnormalities in utero, trauma at birth or acquired / traumatic brain injury sustained since birth. Focus on rehabilitation practice is underpinned by the importance of play, recreation and learning within childhood. Coordinating with parents, school, rehab team, carers and other services and professionals involved. Advocating for the child / young person and working collaboratively with the child and their family. Mentor to other case managers. Setting up and managing employed and agency care packages.

**Since 2008 - Expert Witness - Jacqueline Webb & Co**

Self-employed until 2011 and through HS Therapy Ltd from 2011 to current date.

Carrying out assessments and writing medico-legal reports for children and young people who have sustained brain injury at birth or through road traffic collisions or illness. Attending meeting of experts and case conferences. Mentoring of new paediatric experts.

**Since 2016 - OT4Children Ltd – Joint director.**

Independent paediatric Occupational Therapist, carrying out intervention with children with acquired and traumatic brain injury, working collaboratively with the clients, families and other professionals /services involved. Emphasis on social, leisure and education in addition to daily living skills.

**Work History**

**November 2008 to July 2018**

Case Manager for Westcountry Case Management – self-employed until 2011 and through HS Therapy Ltd from **2011 to July 2018.**

Working as a case manager with children and young people who had sustained a severe brain injury following road traffic collisions, illness or through birth injury. Carrying out mentoring with new paediatric case managers, including chairing group peer support and taking a lead role with paediatric issues and documentation.

**2007 to 2011**

Independent Paediatric Occupational Therapist, carrying out occupational therapy with children and young people who had complex cerebral palsy and ABI following a road traffic collision and infection.

**2007 to 2008**

Advanced Occupational Therapy Practitioner, Band 7 - Community Paediatric setting Weston Area Health Trust, North Somerset.

**Locum 2007**

Paediatric contract carrying out paediatric assessments Alexander Leigh Consultants

**2003 to 2006**

Senior I Paediatric Occupational Therapist - Community Paediatric setting Plymouth Social Services

**2001 to 2003**

Senior II - Paediatric Occupational Therapist Leicester City West NHS Trust

**2000 to 2001**

Senior II - Paediatric Occupational Therapist Caldwell Hall School for children with Autistic Spectrum Disorder and challenging behaviour

**Training / CPD within the last 2 years**

- ▶ Bi-monthly attendance at BABICM Professional Practice and Membership Group
- ▶ The Children's Trust Conference - September 2019
- ▶ Westcountry Case Management Conference, Getting it Right – September 2019
- ▶ J Webb annual conference - March 2018 and 2019
- ▶ Children and Young People Safeguarding Level 1,2 and 3 – March 2019
- ▶ Brain Injury Group –Court of Protection – February 2019
- ▶ Recolo Neuropsychology Conference – February 2019
- ▶ Adult safeguarding, Health and Safety, Theory Moving and Handling, Infection Control – January 2019
- ▶ Brain Injury – Adults, led by Brain Injury Group – July 2018
- ▶ BABICM Conference – June 2018
- ▶ Brain Injury - Children, led by Brain Injury Group – April 2018

**Other**

- ▶ Level II Hand Therapy for Children – British Association of Hand Therapists –2017
- ▶ Exhibiting and presenting poster at joint case management conference - 2017
- ▶ Edge Children's moving and handling trainer certificate – 2017