SIOBHAN'S CV FOR REPORTS

Author's Statement of Qualification & Executive Summary

My name is Siobhan McSweeney. I am a Registered General Nurse and Registered Midwife with over 35 years' experience in various clinical and managerial roles within the health sector. In 2015, I set up MCS Case Management Ltd and I have since worked as a nursing consultant and expert witness providing expert reports, to include quantum cost of care reports and case management reports.

I have developed my expertise over an extensive career, most recently where I was employed as Assistant Director of Nursing, Bed Manager and Site Manager (Night Duty) at Tallaght Hospital, Dublin, for a period of 16 years up to 2015. One of my roles involved the investigation of adverse incidents and complaints made by patients, families, and staff members, both clinical and non-clinical, identifying the risks highlighted by the incidents and providing feedback to the relevant managers to include proffering solutions to prevent or limit a re-occurrence of the risks. For more detailed information, please refer to my Executive Summary below.

MCS Case Management Ltd also provides case management services to a range of clients with catastrophic and complex medical needs such as cerebral palsy, an acquired brain injury and a spinal injury. Case management requires the use of specialised skills. This involves the assessment, planning, sourcing, and co-ordination of services, and the optimum use of resources to meet the current and future care needs of an individual, in partnership with them and their families to maximise their quality of life. At MCS Case Management Ltd our goal is to make a real difference, supporting individuals and families to adjust to life-changing injuries and maximising their potential. For more details about MCS Case Management Ltd, and our services, please visit my website, https://mcscasemanagement.ie/.

Professional Background

2015 - Present	**Founder & CEO** MCS Case Management Ltd
2015 - Present	**Expert Witness** MCS Case Management Ltd
2015 - Present	**Case Manager - Registered Practitioner**MCS Case Management Ltd
2015 - 2020	**Nursing Consultant** CAPITA Insurance Medicals
2015 - 2016	**Intellectual Disability Nursing(Part Time)** Sunbeam Services Dublin
1998 - 2015	**Senior Hospital Manager & Assistant Director of Nursing** Tallaght Hospital, Dublin
1986 - 1998	**Night Manager** Meath Hospital, Dublin
1981 - 1986	**Staff Nurse** St. James Hospital, Dublin

Qualifications & Post Graduate Education

2010	**Diploma inPhilosophy** School of Philosophy
1991	**Diploma in Occupational Health & Safety** University College Dublin (UCD)
1989	**Diploma in Anthropology & Inter-Cultural Relations** Royal College of Surgeons
1988	**Certificate in Hospital Management** Newman College, Dublin
1987	**Research Relevant to Nursing** Institute of Public Administration (IPA)
1981	**Registered Midwife** All Saints Hospital, Chatham, Kent, UK
1979	**Registered Nurse** South Infirmary Hospital, Cork

C.P.D. (Continuous Professional Development)

2026 (May)	**The Expert Witness Conference,** La Touche Training
2026 (April)	**State Claims Agency,Clinical Risk Matters Webinar**
2026 (Jan)	**Annual Legal Update, 3D Rehabilitation, Webinar**
2026 (Jan)	**Pendulum Summit 2026, The Convention Centre, Dublin**
2026 (Jan)	**The Expert Witness, Medico-Legal Society of Ireland**
2026 (Jan)	**The Expert Witness Site, Expert Witness Masterclass**
2025 (June)	**British Association of Brain Injury & Complex Case Management (BABICM) Conference, Coventry, UK**
2025 (March)	**HF Ireland Catastrophic Injuries Conference** (Keynote Speaker)
2025 (Feb)	**Pendulum Summit** – Convention Centre
2025 (Feb)	**RCSI Facility of Nursing and Midwifery**
2024 (April)	**UCD Health Science Centre**, UCD, Belfield, Dublin 4 "*Decision Making and Capacity: Law and Medicine*"
2023 (Sept)	**West Cork Bar Association** Keynote Speaker "*Benefits of Case Management for Solicitors and Families*"
2023 (Feb)	**Medico-Legal Society of Ireland Academic Day 2023** "Expert Evidence", King's Inns, Dublin
2022 (Dec)	**Medico-Legal Society of Ireland** "*Mediation and Medical Negligence Claims*", Ms Sara Moorhead SC

2022 (Oct) **Solicitors Growth Annual Summit 2022**
Speaker at Inaugural Summit, "*Role of a Case Manager*"

2022 (Sept) **International Brain Injury Association Conference 2022**
New York

2022 (Jan) **Medico-Legal Society of Ireland 66th Session 2021-22**
The Assisted Decision-Making (Capacity) Act 2015 – Preparing for commencement.

2021 (Oct) **Annual Conference**
National Disability Authority (NDA)

2021 (Oct) **CanChild Centre for Childhood Disability Research –**
Science & Family Day
CP-NET - A research-based initiative designed to improve the care of people with Cerebral Palsy

2021 (Oct) **Annual Conference**
Spinal Injuries Ireland (SII) Conference

2021 (July) **Positive Effects of an Intensive Multidisciplinary Intervention After a Traumatic Brain Injury: A Case Study of an Irish Case Manager's Experience**
2021 World Congress on Brain Injury

2020 (Dec) **Complaints**
Data Protection
Diversity
Financial Crime
Health Safety and Environment
Information Security
Social Media
Treating Customers Fairly
MDG, Part of CAPITA PLC

2020 (Nov) **2020 Virtual Conference**
Case Management Society, UK (CMSUK)

2020 (Nov) **Covid-19, How the Courts have Changed**
Medico-Legal Society of Ireland, Webinar

2020 (Jun) **Wardship – A Medico-Legal Perspective**
Medico-Legal Society of Ireland, 64th Session Programme, CPD Lecture

2020 (Apr) **Paediatric Case Management Training Webinar**
Case Management Society, UK (CMSUK)

2020 (Apr) **Remote Consultation Training Webinar**
The Society of Occupational Medicine

2020 (Mar) **Pandemic Awareness Training**

CLP Institute

2020 (Feb) **Medico-Legal Society Academic Day**
Kings Inn, Dublin.

2019 (Dec) **Augustus Cullen Law - Medical Negligence Birth Injuries Seminar**
Convention Centre, Dublin.

2019 (Nov) **CMSUK – Annual Conference & AGM: Creating Links and Breaking Boundaries**
The Royal Armouries, Leeds

2019 (Oct) **Beyond Limits 2019 – Empowering Young People with Disabilities**
Croke Park Stadium Conference Centre, Dublin.

2019 (Oct) **INHEF – Inclusive National Higher Education Forum Launch by Minister Mary Mitchell O'Connor**
The Gas Building, D'Olier Street, Dublin 2

2019 (Sept) **Callan Tansey Solicitors Medico-Legal Conference**
Kilronan Castle, Co. Roscommon

2019 (May) **HeadFirst Conference: Family Experience of Brain Injury Surviving, Coping, Adjusting**
Leonardo Royal Hotel, London Tower Bridge, UK.

2019 (Feb) **CYBERSPACE:'A New Frontier for Medicine and Law'**
The Medico-Legal Society of Ireland (Academic Day 2019), King's Inn, Dublin

CPD Pre-2019 available on request

Memberships

- Medico-Legal Society, Ireland
- An Bord Altranais (Nursing Board)
- Irish Nurses & Midwives Organisation (INMO)
- General Nursing Council for England & Wales
- Occupational Health Nurses Association of Ireland
- World Federation of Neurorehabilitation
- Meath Foundation – Charitable Board, funding Healthcare Research
- Quality Improvement, Arts and Health, Tallaght Hospital, Dublin
- Case Management Society, UK (CMSUK)
- British Association of Brain Injury Case Managers (BABICM)
- Brain Injury Group UK
- Case Management Society of America

- Headway Ireland
- Syringomyelia & Chiari Malformation Support Group
- Inclusion Ireland
- Dyspraxia Ireland
- Vocational Rehabilitation Association (VRA) Irish Network
- Former Member of Meath Hospital Board (1995-1998)
- Founding member of Irish Case Managers Network
- Supporter ofMake-A-Wish Foundation, Little Blue Heroes & Blue Diamond Drama Academy (including adults with learning disabilities within mainstream arts projects)

Garda Vetted & Health Status Monitored annually.