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FFEW is proud to recognise Mr Zak Rahman, Consultant General, HPB & Upper GI Surgeon, for a distinguished career combining specialist surgical excellence, advanced laparoscopic expertise and an extensive medico-legal expert witness practice.

- Consultant General, HPB & Upper GI Surgeon
- Expert Witness since 2009
- Approx. 150+ expert cases per year
- Acts for claimant, defendant and GMC matters

GENERAL SURGERY | HPB SURGERY | UPPER GI SURGERY | LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY | CANCER SURGERY | MEDICO-LEGAL EXPERT WITNESS SERVICES

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Specialist Surgical Excellence

ADVANCED SURGICAL CARE.
REAL-WORLD IMPACT.

Mr Sakhawat (Zak) Rahman is a Consultant General, HPB and Upper GI Surgeon at the Royal Free London, recognised for his specialist expertise in pancreatic, upper gastrointestinal, biliary and advanced laparoscopic surgery.

> *"Clinical authority grounded in advanced surgical practice."*
>
> MR ZAK RAHMAN

GENERAL SURGERY | UPPER GI SURGERY | HPB SURGERY | GALLBLADDER & BILE DUCT SURGERY | HERNIA SURGERY | BARIATRIC SURGERY | LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY

A Leader in Complex and Minimally Invasive Surgery

Mr Zak Rahman is regarded as one of the pioneers of laparoscopic pancreatic and upper GI surgery in the UK, with a strong focus on minimally invasive techniques that deliver better outcomes for patients. His practice encompasses a broad range of benign and complex conditions, including gallstones, cholecystectomy, bile duct injuries, hernias, reflux and obesity surgery.

Combining clinical expertise with innovation, Mr Rahman has developed pioneering patient pathways, including a one-stop gallbladder clinic using smart technology, streamlining diagnosis, decision-making and treatment for the benefit of patients and referrers alike.

KEY AREAS OF EXPERTISE

PANCREATIC SURGERY
Expertise in complex pancreatic conditions and minimally invasive approaches.

UPPER GASTROINTESTINAL SURGERY
Management of reflux and other upper GI conditions using advanced techniques.

BILIARY SURGERY
Gallstones, cholecystectomy, bile duct injuries and complex biliary reconstruction.

MINIMALLY INVASIVE & LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY
Pioneering laparoscopic pancreatic and upper GI surgery in the UK.

HERNIA & BARIATRIC SURGERY
Hernia repair and obesity surgery with a focus on minimally invasive techniques and enhanced recovery pathways.

SURGICAL EXPERTISE
PATIENT OUTCOMES
MEDICO-LEGAL INSIGHT

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Medico-Legal AUTHORITY

EXPERT EVIDENCE. CLEAR OPINIONS. BETTER OUTCOMES.

Mr Zak Rahman is a highly respected consultant general, HPB and upper GI surgeon and an experienced medico-legal expert, providing independent, objective and authoritative opinions in clinical negligence and personal injury matters.

- EXPERT WITNESS SINCE **2009**
- APPROX. **150+** CASES PER YEAR
- CLAIMANT, DEFENDANT & GMC INSTRUCTIONS
- CLINICAL NEGLIGENCE & PERSONAL INJURY MATTERS

EXPERT WITNESS TRAINING & EXPERTISE

Mr Zak Rahman has completed recognised expert witness training with **Bond Solon** and **Cardiff University**, equipping him with the specialist skills required for medico-legal work, including report writing, providing clear and balanced opinions, giving evidence in cross-examination and courtroom skills.

- Expert report writing
- Cross-examination and courtroom skills
- Clear, objective and evidence-based opinions

SPECIALIST AREAS

- GENERAL SURGERY
- GASTRO-OESOPHAGEAL SURGERY
- HPB SURGERY & PANCREATIC DISEASE
- CANCER
- BILE DUCT INJURIES
- GALLBLADDER SURGERY
- HERNIAS
- BARIATRIC SURGERY
- LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY

WHY FFEW CHOSE

Mr Zak Rahman

FFEW is proud to recognise Mr Zak Rahman for combining an exceptional clinical career with a major medico-legal practice. His unique breadth of expertise, independent judgement and outstanding professional achievements make him a leading choice for complex surgical cases.

> *"A distinguished surgical career matched by clear, independent medico-legal expertise."*

EXTENSIVE CLINICAL & SURGICAL EXPERTISE

Mr Rahman combines a substantial clinical career with a major medico-legal practice, and is recognised for advanced general, HPB, upper GI and laparoscopic surgery, with particular specialist authority in gallbladder surgery and bile duct injury matters.

SPECIALIST AUTHORITY

Widely respected for his expertise in gallbladder surgery, bile duct injury, bariatric surgery, and complex benign and malignant upper GI and hepatobiliary conditions.

INDEPENDENT MEDICO-LEGAL PRACTICE

Acts independently for both claimant and defendant work in clinical negligence and personal injury matters, providing clear, balanced and objective expert opinion.

FORMAL EXPERT WITNESS TRAINING

Holds the Cardiff University Bond Solon Expert Witness Certificate and has completed specialist training in expert report writing, cross-examination, courtroom skills, civil procedure and law.

ACADEMIC & RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENT

Appointed Hunterian Professor of Surgery of the Royal College of Surgeons of England in 2007, with around 50 peer-reviewed publications and around 200 abstracts and international presentations.

FFEW RECOMMENDS MR ZAK RAHMAN TO SOLICITORS

FFEW is pleased to recommend Mr Zak Rahman's expertise for instructions in:

- General Surgery
- Laparoscopic Surgery
- Upper GI Surgery
- HPB Surgery
- Gallbladder & Bile Duct Injury
- Bariatric Surgery
- Clinical Negligence
- Personal Injury Matters

His authoritative clinical knowledge, rigorous approach to expert evidence and extensive experience make him an excellent choice for solicitors seeking a highly qualified, independent expert witness.