

**Fiona Skelly**  
**Case Manager**  
**Occupational Therapist**  
**HCPC OT17653**

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**Disability/Injury:**

Acquired brain injury; complex orthopaedic injury; spinal cord injury; upper and lower limb amputation

**Adults**

Fiona has worked as a Case Manager for six years. She has specialist experience in the management of acquired brain injury and complex orthopaedic injury. She also has experience supporting clients with complex regional pain syndrome and post traumatic symptoms.

Fiona has successfully managed highly challenging clients and their families following an acquired brain injury.

She has extensive experience in negotiating, implementing and evaluating goal directed, client focused rehabilitation programmes and linking this with the management and coordination of statutory and private care and/or therapy services.

Fiona can rapidly establish supportive and therapeutic relationships with clients and their families which allow a successful rehabilitation programme to be implemented.

**Location:**

South Yorkshire

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**Professional Experience:**

Fiona has been qualified as an Occupational Therapist for 27 years. For 22 years Fiona worked within the NHS. During this time, Fiona has worked in Acute Medical Wards, Inpatient/Outpatient Rehabilitation Units and Community Rehabilitation Teams. Fiona specialised in clients with neurological conditions such as acquired brain injury, spinal cord injury and stroke. In addition, within the Community Rehabilitation Teams, Fiona also held a complex orthopaedic and amputee caseload.

As well as her clinical roles, Fiona has experience within management as a Head of Department within a District General Hospital.

In 1995 Fiona was part of a Therapy Team who won an NHS travel award to visit brain injury rehabilitation facilities for two weeks in Boston and Philadelphia, USA.

For the past six years, Fiona has worked as an Independent Occupational Therapist providing rehabilitation within clients' homes as well as a Private Brain Injury Rehabilitation Centre. Fiona has been instructed by Case Managers from several case management companies, Personal Injury Solicitors and charities such as SSAFA.

**Professional Qualification and Education:**

- MSc Research Methods for Health and Social Care
- Dip Certificate of Occupational Therapy

**Membership and Affiliations:**

- Member of the British Association of Occupational Therapists
- Member of the College of Occupational Therapists' Neurological Practice Specialist Section
- Member of the Case Management Society of United Kingdom
- Registered with the Health and Care Professions Council