



# Theresa Lim

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**Solicitor:** 2005

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## Court of Protection

Theresa's background in complex public law Children Act proceedings - including the application of Deprivation of Liberty to children in local authority care - in which she regularly represents clients via the Official Solicitor, has led to a natural progression of her practice into health and welfare Court of Protection proceedings.

This is also the case where clients and/or witnesses have additional needs and vulnerabilities, an area in which Theresa is highly experienced.

Theresa is also very experienced in cases where there is conflicting capacity evidence including fluctuating capacity, together with cases involving declarations in respect of both capacity and best interests.

## Recommendations

"Tenacious and talented". "She is an advocate who will fight her client's case tirelessly but fairly". Theresa has the ability to "communicate with lay clients in a compassionate way, whilst in turn communicating effectively with her peers and the judiciary" - **Head of Childcare Department**

"Exceptionally competent advocate" - **Principal Solicitor**

"Theresa's advocacy skills are excellent" - **Solicitor & Director**

## Academic qualifications

- LPC, The College of Law, Birmingham
- Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.)(Hons), Nottingham Trent University

## Professional bodies

- The Honourable Society of Gray's Inn
- Family Law Bar Association
- Member of the Association of Lawyers for Children
- Court of Protection Bar Association
- CoPPA