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AKA helps and empowers people to live life after a devastating, traumatic injury. We promise to listen, nurture and guide as their happiness and wellbeing underpins everything we do. We focus on practical and emotional support in the community and drive the industry for consistently high standards of performance and professionalism.

Kerstin Pereira Case Manager

Based in: Sheffield

Expertise: Adult, brain injury, multiple orthopaedic injuries and amputations

Other Roles; Associate Lecturer Sheffield Hallam University Occupational Therapy Dept

Case Manager (March 2018 – Present)

Working at AKA Case Management Limited to provide a collaborative service that assesses, plans, implements, monitors and evaluates support options and services that meet the unique needs of a person who has suffered traumatic injury.

Examples of my current case load include:

- Providing case management to a 27 year old woman with a significant brain injury, stroke, and complex orthopaedic injuries. Co-ordination of therapy team to deliver intensive multi-faceted treatment plan including pain and fatigue management, specialist orthotic assessment and working towards goals of independent living. Management and review of rehabilitation support work team to maximise recovery.
- Working with a 22 year old man with a severe brain injury and limited insight. using a creative and considered approach to engage him with rehabilitation at Calvert Reconnections. Leading MDT to develop a successful Independent Living Trial with positive outcomes for client and his family.
- Working with a 17 year old young man with a traumatic brain injury as part of a specialist therapy team, to maximise his potential of recovery. Liaising with neuropsychologist to complete comprehensive cognitive assessment to advocate and support return to education with his peers. Representing the therapy team at case conference to provide detailed feedback of progress for funding and articulate need for future input.
- Working with 65 year old woman with hypoxic brain injury as a result of medical negligence. Complex pattern of engagement needing creativity and tenacity to meet her support needs and generate sufficient evidence for litigation. Case heard in High Court with deputy judge praising the skill, determination, and patience of the treating team.

Achievements

- PG Dip Occupational Therapy
- BA (Hons) Social Policy and Health
- Nominated for Inspirational Teacher Award 2023

Professional Memberships

- Registered with the Health and Care Professional Council (HCPC)
- Advanced Registered Practitioner Member of British Association of Brain Injury Case Managers (BABICM)
- Member of Royal College of Occupational Therapists

Most Recent Training

- Universal Credit Benefits
- Motivational Interviewing
- ABI Solutions Addressing Complexity in the Community