

Personal Injuries Litigation Group

**General Practice Section
Law Council of Australia**

If your practice deals with personal injuries litigation you should know that there is one forum which keeps you updated and deals with national issues:

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About the Personal Injuries Litigation Group

The Personal Injuries Litigation Group of the General Practice Section provides a forum for lawyers who work in the personal injuries litigation field to discuss issues and develop their professional skills at a national level. All Australian lawyers with an interest in personal injuries are encouraged to join the Personal Injuries Litigation Group of the General Practice Section. The Group is committed to keeping personal injuries lawyers informed of developments in their field, encouraging them to develop and enhance their litigation skills and assisting them to build professional and personal networks. You are encouraged and most welcome to join.

The primary objectives of the personal injuries litigation scheme are:

- to raise the standard of personal injuries litigation throughout Australia
- to provide lawyers with any degree of interest in the field of personal injuries, with the opportunity to develop their litigation skills
- to provide lawyers with a forum through which they can expand their professional and personal contacts in the personal injuries litigation field

Benefits of Membership

The group will aim to provide speakers to major conferences and provide other professional development benefits to personal injury lawyers as the opportunities arise.

As a member of the General Practice Section (GPS), all Personal Injuries Litigation Group members will receive the Section's quarterly journal *Australian Legal Practice*. The group aims to make regular contributions to the journals as do the other specialist groups within the Section.

Members of the GPS have access to a range of discounts and corporate plan arrangements for domestic and international air travel and accommodation and hire cars. Discounted registration fees are also available to Section members for the Australian Legal Convention and other Section events

Joining the Personal Injuries Litigation Group

Membership of the Personal Injuries Litigation Group of the General Practice Section is open to all lawyers in professional practice who are members of their relevant State/Territory law organisation.

Government lawyers, academic lawyers, non practising lawyers, corporate lawyers, foreign lawyers, law graduates not yet admitted to practice and law students are also welcome to join.

For more information on the travel and accommodation discounts available to members, or for a membership application form, contact the Membership Officer, phone 06 247 3788.

For more information on the work and activities of the Personal Injuries Litigation Group contact:

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