

About us

We are highly experienced accredited solicitor mediators who hold full accreditation under the new Family Mediation Council Accreditation status and are authorised to sign the Court forms following the pre-court MIAM appointment.

Our mediators are members of the Family Mediators Association and Resolution. We are committed to helping separated families achieve resolutions in a constructive, non-confrontational and child focused way.

We have comfortable and friendly offices located centrally in Leeds, Harrogate and London.

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Laura Clapton
Head of Family Mediation

Our Mediators

Head of family mediation, Laura Clapton is a highly experienced family solicitor and a fully accredited family mediator. Laura assists separated couples resolve issues concerning children and/or finances following relationship breakdown. Laura is a qualified Direct Child Consultant which means she can speak to children as part of the mediation process. Laura is known for her solution focused approach and friendly demeanor together with her technical legal knowledge as a practicing family solicitor.



Facilitating a
Future for you
and your Family

Mediation is the process of choice for separating families

At Consilia Mediation we recognise that the process of divorce and separation is a stressful time and can be very traumatic. Our accredited mediators are highly skilled at dealing with difficult and challenging situations.

We help you and work with you to resolve important issues affecting you and your family in a constructive and cost effective way.

Why choose mediation?

Family mediation enables you to negotiate outcomes fundamental to your family's future rather than hand over control to the Court.

As experienced solicitor mediators we understand and have a current working knowledge of the law. This means that we can help you to negotiate outcomes within the parameters of important legal principles.

We help you and the other party to consider options and reach agreement in a way which is fair to you and your children. As mediators we do not provide legal advice but legal information and actively encourage you to seek legal advice as part of the mediation process.

Under the Child Arrangement Programme and in Financial Remedy cases, you are required to attend a MIAMS appointment before using a Court application save in exceptional circumstances.


Child Mediation

We can help you to come to decisions around a table with our experienced mediators and to continue to work together as parents going forward. We assist you to work out practical arrangements in relation to the care of your children and how you will co-parent them.


Financial Mediation

We can work with you to achieve a financial resolution associated with the breakdown of your relationship in relation to property and other financial matters.

The process of mediation involves exchanging financial information and documentation and therefore negotiating outcomes which meets your needs and the needs of your family.



"I am always happy to refer my clients to Laura for mediation, because I know they will be in safe hands with her. When someone is going through such a difficult and emotional process, you couldn't ask for a more efficient and supportive lawyer mediator"



"The firm's holistic approach to mediation is singled out, as is its level of service, which 'regularly goes over and above that which is expected'"