

BRAD WRIGHT

BARRISTER

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Brad graduated as a dentist in 1982 from the University of Queensland, and practiced as a dentist from 1982.¹

He also has management and consultancy experience with corporate and practitioner clients in relation to clinical operations, practice management and legal risk management.

He has presented on law and management for dentists on a regular basis since 2000, including at ADANSW as part of their CPD programme.

LEGAL

Brad graduated from law school in 1998 and his honours thesis was entitled “*Material Risk and Causation in Dental Treatment*”. He was admitted as a solicitor in 2006. He completed an MBA in 2010. He was called to the bar in March 2011. He completed a Professional Certificate in Arbitration in 2018 at the University of Adelaide and is a Grade Three Commercial Arbitrator.

He is a foundation Fellow of the Faculty of Dentistry of Australian College of Legal Medicine

Brad’s practice includes administrative law including appeals, health practitioner law, employment law, civil and commercial law.

He has interest and experience health practitioner and administrative law and trial experience without a leader in the Supreme Court in Queensland and NSW and appeared in Appeals in the Court of Appeal of NSW and Queensland.

He has appeared in QCAT, NTCAT, and NCAT and VCAT in administrative law matters, and trials in the Federal Circuit Court and the Family Court.

¹ Whilst he is registered as a dental practitioner, he has not clinically practised since 2015.

He has also had experience in trials in the Fair Work Commission and the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission.

Brad has chambers in Bennett Chambers in the Inns of Court, adjacent to the courts precinct in Brisbane.

He is a Nationally Accredited Mediator and Arbitrator specialising in dental practice and business disputes.

Relevant Qualifications Honours and Experience

Bachelor of Dental Science University of Queensland 1978-82
Bachelor of Laws with Second Class Honours (Deakin University) 1993-1998 Graduate
Diploma Legal Practice (QUT) 2006
MBA (USC) 2010
P.Cert. Arbitration (Uni Adelaide 2018)

Fellowship of Australian College of Legal Medicine 2001
Fellowship of Pierre Fauchard Academy Awarded 2003
Fellowship International College of Dentists 2009
Fellowship Academy Dentistry International 2013
Casual Senior Lecturer James Cook University 2015-19

Secretary Australian College Legal Medicine 2002-3
ADAQ Council 2006-18
ADAQ Executive Officer 2007-11
ADAQ President 2011
ADA Federal Councillor 2016-18

Medico Legal Consultant – Medilaw 2002-11
Workcover Queensland Consultant 2004-
Health Quality Complaints Commission Clinical Expert 2004-11
MRACDS Examiner – Practice Management – 2008-12
Clinical Operation Manager UQ School of Dentistry 2010-11

Deputy Director (Dental) Medicare Professional Services Review 2013-5
Chairperson Royal Australian College of Dental Surgeons Appeal Committee 2019.