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# Crisis Management

A dedicated specialist team

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## Crisis Management specialists

Organisations and individuals face increased scrutiny following accidents in the workplace, resulting in police and regulatory investigations and criminal prosecutions for breaches of health and safety legislation. This brings the potential for significant fines, reputational damage and custodial sentences, together with the focus of a coroner's inquest in fatal incidents.

With dedicated regulatory, safety, health and environmental experts located across the UK and Ireland, we are able to provide immediate advice, support and representation, drawing on our local knowledge of the police, inspectors, coroners and courts.

We provide advice on all aspects of an incident including:

- Coordinating with the police, regulatory body and coroner during their investigations,
- Legal privilege,
- Providing proactive advice on responding to enforcement notices,
- HSE fees for interventions,
- Attending interviews under caution,
- Drafting written representations to regulatory bodies,
- Supporting and assisting employees who are required to provide statements to the police, regulatory bodies and the coroner .

## Crisis Management specialists

Our dedicated specialist team of **31 lawyers** act in high profile HSE & Criminal investigations, prosecutions, inquests and inquiries including but not limited to HSE & EHO investigations, motor prosecutions, environmental enquiries and fatal accidents.

The highly regarded team is top ranked nationally by the Legal 500 and Chambers & Partners and delivers a full range of legal assistance across all sectors in the event of criminal and regulatory investigations, prosecutions and inquests. Over the past two years we have represented over 500 companies facing criminal

investigations and prosecutions, including several corporate manslaughter and fatal accident prosecutions. We have also represented over 50 directors, employees and drivers facing prosecution for the most serious of charges, including gross negligence manslaughter, offences under the health and safety legislation and death by dangerous driving, which carry custodial sentences.

Our service is focused on enabling quicker decisions and better outcomes through:

- Early intervention
- Joined up and seamless service
- Our expertise and “hands on” support



HSE & EHO investigations



Motor Prosecutions



Environmental Enquiries



Fatal Accidents

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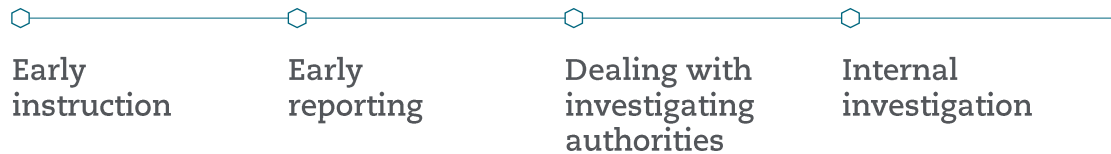
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You feel like you are the team's only client. Nothing is too much trouble and responses are immediate.

Chambers and Partners

## Effective Incident Response



| 24/7 emergency response service |  
| England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland |

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Clyde & Co represents some of the largest corporate clients in the UK in HSE investigations. It has an excellent working relationship with the market's leading insurers and the team is outstanding – they are all excellent lawyers who remain calm under the intense pressure that can come with the territory.

Legal 500

## Sector specialisms

Our expert team works across a range of sectors enabling us to tailor our crisis management support to organisations and the industries in which they operate.

We work alongside a range of global corporations, FTSE 250 companies, mid-sized businesses and SMEs.

- Construction and Engineering
- Facilities Management
- Health and Care
- Leisure and Hospitality
- Manufacturing
- Property
- Retail
- Technology
- Transportation and Logistics
- Utilities



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480

Partners

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2,400

Lawyers

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5,000

Total staff

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3,200

Legal professionals

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60+

Offices worldwide\*

\*includes associated offices

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