

## Julia Belyavin



YEAR OF CALL: 2003

INN: GRAY'S TEMPLE

“ Julia is experienced in public and private children law matters. 'She's diligent, focused, robust and excellent on her feet.' 'She's tenacious and hard-working, with an excellent eye for detail.' ”

CHAMBERS UK, 2020  
FAMILY/MATRIMONIAL

## Practice Overview

Julia specialises in children law (both public law and private law) and divorce & financial remedy cases.

Her public law practice focuses on complex care cases. Recent instructions have included cases where the principle allegations were sexual abuse and/or inflicted injuries, as well as issues of neglect and addiction. She has appeared before Magistrates, District & Circuit Judges and the Court of Appeal.

Her private law practice focuses on more complex matters, including allegations of significant domestic abuse, alienation and child abduction.

## Areas of Expertise

### Family & Divorce

#### *Children Private Law*

Julia's private law practice focuses on more complex cases where there are issues such as significant domestic abuse or neglect, factitious or induced illness or forced marriage. She also has extensive experience of international relocation cases and those where the court is concerned for a child who has been returned to the UK post-abduction. She represents parents, extended family members and Guardians.

### *Children Public Law*

Care cases from the bulk of Julia's practice. She is instructed regularly on behalf of parents, Guardians and Local Authorities, as well as by intervenors/other family members. She has experience of a wide range of cases dealing with various issues, including non-accidental injuries, sexual abuse, neglect and addiction. She has appeared in all levels of court up to and including the Court of Appeal.

## Recommendations

"Recommended for a broad range of family law matters."

LEGAL 500, 2018  
FAMILY AND CHILDREN LAW

"Julia is hardworking and excellent on her feet."

LEGAL 500, 2017  
FAMILY AND CHILDREN LAW

## Related Case

- ▶ *p (a child)* [2013] ewca civ 963

## Professional memberships:

- ▶ Family Law Bar Association

## Qualifications & awards:

- ▶ BA (Hons) (Law) (Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge)
- ▶ BVC (ICSL)

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