



MODULE 8

LIST OF CORE PARTICIPANTS AND THEIR RECOGNISED LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES

The following is the list of Module 8 Core Participants in the UK Covid-19 Inquiry:

Name of Core Participant (in alphabetical order)	Recognised Legal Representative	Module	Date of Designation
Article 39	Oliver Studdert, Irwin Mitchell LLP.	Module 8	13 January 2025
British Association of Social Workers (BASW)	TBC	Module 8	8 July 2024
Cabinet Office	Natasha Kendrick, Government Legal Department	Module 8	6 May 2025
Children's Commissioner for Wales	Claire Rawle, Blake Morgan LLP	Module 8	8 July 2024
Clinically Vulnerable Families	Kim Harrison, Slater & Gordon	Module 8	7 August 2024
Convention of Scottish Local Authorities (COSLA)	Jennifer Jack, Harper Macleod LLP	Module 8	8 July 2024
Coram Group of Charities (Coram)	Joanna Ludlam, Jenner & Block London LLP	Module 8	15 April 2025
Department for Education (DfE)	Daniel Rapport, Government Legal Department	Module 8	8 July 2024
Department of Education, Northern Ireland	Julie-Anne Gorman, Departmental Solicitors Office	Module 8	8 July 2024
Department of Health & Social Care	Rian Chubb, Government	Module 8	8 July 2024

(DHSC)	Legal Department		
Department of Health Northern Ireland (DoH NI)	Caroline Cooley, DSO	Module 8	2 April 2025
Disabled People's Organisations (DPO)	Shamik Dutta, Bhatt Murphy Solicitors	Module 8	8 July 2024
Home Office	Christina Symington, Government Legal Department	Module 8	8 July 2024
Local Government Association England (LGA) and Welsh Local Government Association (WLGA)	Thelma Stober, Local Government Association	Module 8	8 July 2024
Long Covid Kids & Long Covid Kids Scotland	Jane Ryan, Bhatt Murphy Solicitors	Module 8	7 August 2024
Ministry of Justice (MoJ)	Amir Mughal, Government Legal Department	Module 8	8 July 2024
Northern Ireland Commissioner for Children and Young People (NICCY)	Joanne McGurk, NICCY	Module 8	8 July 2024
Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation (Ofqual)	Andrea McMahon, Gowling WLG	Module 8	8 July 2024
Office of the Children's Commissioner England	TBC	Module 8	8 July 2024
Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health (RCPCH)	Stephen Hocking, Barrister 11 Kings Bench Walk Chambers	Module 8	8 July 2024
Save the Children UK, Just for Kids Law, the Children's Rights Alliance for England, the Centre for Young Lives and the Child Poverty Action Group	TBC	Module 8	8 July 2024
Scottish Ministers	Fraser Johnston Roberts, Scottish Government Legal Directorate	Module 8	8 July 2024
The Sutton Trust	TBC	Module 8	5 September 2024
Trades Union Congress (TUC)	Gerard Stilliard, Thompsons Solicitors	Module 8	8 July 2024

Welsh Government	Michael Clarke, Welsh Government Legal Services	Module 8	8 July 2024
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