

### Hannah Acka - Associate Case Manager



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- ✓ Brain Injury
- ✓ Spinal Injury
- ✓ Children
- ✓ Young Adults
- ✓ Adults

#### Specialism

- ✓ Rehabilitation
- ✓ Complex Care



Hannah is based on the South Coast and qualified as a Registered Nursing in 2003. Prior to joining AJ Case Management, Hannah worked as a Clinical lead for a large Complex care company and as a Nurse caring for clients with complex needs.

She has a wealth of experience supporting clients with spinal cord injury brain, Motor Neuron's Disease, muscular dystrophy and cerebral palsy. Hannah is an experienced hospital and community nurse. Within the hospital She worked in Critical care where she became a unit sister.

Alongside Hannah's NHS career she has worked in the community for 14 years. This has provided her with the invaluable experience of working with patients who have complex long-term care needs and medical requirements that need careful coordination and management. These roles routinely involved working closely with families to ensure the patient needs were comprehensively addressed and a patient centred outcome was achieved.

As a clinical lead Hannah managed a large complex case load which has enabled her to gain specialist knowledge in the care and management of clients with complex needs. Hannah's clients had high level needs including Ventilation via Tracheostomy, Cough Assist, suctioning, Gastrostomy and Catheter care.

Her role included managing complex MDT's and large teams of support staff, liaising with acute and community NHS staff, devising and implementing training, protocols and person-centred care plans, managing teams of trained nurses and health care support workers to help clients identify and achieve their goals.

She has a passion for creating a good team work approach within all care teams and promoting open and honest communication. She enjoys creating strong professional relationships with her clients gaining their trust and putting the clients at the centre of their care.

Hannah spends her free time with her two children, husband and two sausage dogs. She lives by the sea and takes every opportunity to jump on her paddle board.