

Public Defender Service

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Position: Duty Solicitor

Helen qualified as a solicitor in 1985 and has been a criminal law specialist since 1990. She first practiced in Birmingham but has worked in Gloucestershire for the last 22years. Helen has been a partner in private practice, and a sole practitioner, prior to joining the PDS in 2017.

Helen is very experienced in representing youth and adult clients at police stations and in the Courts.

She is particularly interested in assisting clients with mental health issues.