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<p>Lisa is a Duty Solicitor and has been employed with the Public Defender Service since May 2001. Initially she was employed as an Accredited Police Station Representative originally based at Swansea, but moved to Pontypridd when the branch office was established. Lisa was one of the original staff appointed to the Public Defender Service. She qualified as a Solicitor in September 2015 and as a Duty Solicitor in 2018.</p> <p>Since working at the Public Defender Service Lisa has represented clients accused of offences varying from Child Abduction to Murder. In addition to advising clients at the Magistrates Court and police station, Lisa also prepares cases for the Crown Court. She also accompanies those accused of benefit fraud for interview with the local authority and Department for Work and Pensions.</p> <p>Lisa is a fluent Welsh speaker and therefore able to provide these services in both English and Welsh.</p>	