



Miranda Asher

BSc(Physiotherapy) MSc PhD

Case Manager

Personal Statement

Qualifying as a physiotherapist in 2007, Miranda specialises in supporting clients whose lives have been affected by limb difference, limb loss and other life changing injuries, bringing almost two decades of experience in clinical and research work. Her career began in the Netherlands as a physiotherapist, before she returned to the UK.

As a clinical physiotherapist, Miranda worked in both private and public settings in the UK and internationally. She has supported individuals in reaching their goals to return to daily life as well as promoting a return to community participation, physical activity and sport. Miranda also hosted adapted sports classes both online and in person. In the research field, she has ensured that the voices of those with lived experience are included in projects that affect them. Her PhD focused on the development of an adapted training programme for people with lower limb amputation.

Miranda applies her extensive experience to her role as a case manager with children and adults. Employing a holistic approach, assessing needs, inventively problem solving and managing risk, Miranda coordinates and collaborates with multidisciplinary teams, legal parties and other stakeholders and enjoys supporting clients to achieve their personal aspirations and maximise their quality of life.

Miranda has undertaken several voluntary roles, working closely with charities LimbPower, Steps, and Steel Bones, which support those with limb loss and limb difference and their families. She contributes to steering committees for research projects in the sector, aimed at improving understanding of care and treatment methods, and serves on the executive committee for BACPAR.

Miranda is multilingual, with Spanish and Dutch language skills and British Sign Language level 1 fluency.

Committed to continuing professional development, Miranda regularly attends educational sessions on advancements in technology, treatments and case management relevant to her role.

Areas of Expertise (Children and Adults)

- Major and polytrauma
- Amputation, upper and lower limb
- Lower limb differences, including congenital disorders
- Orthopaedic injuries, including malalignment
- Musculoskeletal, including soft tissue injuries
- Medical conditions, including cardiac and respiratory
- Post-traumatic stress
- Pain management
- Return to exercise and work programmes

Professional Registration and Memberships

- Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC)
- Chartered Society of Physiotherapy (CSP)
- British Association of Chartered Physiotherapists in Limb Absence Rehabilitation (BACPAR)
- Case Management Society of the United Kingdom (CMSUK)

Qualifications

- Bachelor of Science in Physiotherapy, Hogeschool van Amsterdam, Holland
- Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering, Strathclyde University, Glasgow
- Doctor of Philosophy in Sports and Life Sciences (Disability), University of Roehampton, London