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With over 3 decades experience as a barrister, Sean Cash practises across the Disciplinary, Coronial and Criminal Law jurisdictions.

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EXPERTISE

Common Law | Criminal Law | Inquests, Inquiries, Tribunals & Commissions | Public Law & Administrative Law

PROFILE

With over three decades of extensive experience at the Victorian Bar, Sean Cash practises across the Disciplinary, Coronial and Criminal Law jurisdictions.

In **disciplinary proceedings**, Sean Cash appears on behalf of Health Practitioners, Legal Practitioners and other professionals across the board, most notably at VCAT (and the various state and territory equivalents). On behalf of Health Practitioners in particular, he generates written submissions and/or appears regularly at Immediate Action Hearings, Medicare Australia PSR (Professional Standards Review) hearings and in proceedings prosecuted by the Department of Health & Human Services, Victoria Police and/or the Department of Public Prosecutions.

In **coronial proceedings**, Sean Cash appears in Coroners' Courts across Australia at Inquests in relation to deaths which arise in medical, workplace and police related contexts. In medical related coronial investigations, he accepts briefs to advise and appear at Inquests on behalf of health practitioners, hospitals, government departments and other organisations, and brings his knowledge and experience of investigatory (including police) practice and procedure when appearing on behalf of interested parties (including employers) in workplace and police related coronial investigations.

In **criminal proceedings**, Sean Cash appears in all jurisdictions, in both summary and indictable matters. He predominantly appears on behalf of professionals who face allegations which arise out of the practise of their profession and for employers in relation to allegations concerning **Occupational Health & Safety**.

Sean Cash has had 9 readers: Haley Bate, Phil Brown, Daniel Cash, Adam Coote, Samantha Dixon, Jason Harkess, Andrew Imrie, Diana Price and Vytas Valasinavicius. *[Please note that Sean Cash does not take any more readers]*

RECENT CASES



Inquest into the death of 5 occupants of Broughton Hall Nursing Home - re gastroenteritis related deaths representing 3 locum general medical practitioners



Inquest into the death of Nathan Francis - re death of Scotch College Army Cadet from peanut anaphylaxia - representing general medical practitioner



Inquest into the death of Anton Bartolich - representing Geelong Hospital



Inquest into the death of Andrew O'Donnell - representing Monash Hospital



Inquest into the death of Connie Petzierides - representing the Western Hospital



Inquest into the death of Zoran Georgievski - representing the Northern Hospital



Inquest into the death of Jesse Sangster - representing Ambulance Victoria



Inquest into the death of Caroline Lovell - representing midwife



Inquest into the death of Salvatore Accardo - representing the Austin Hospital in relation to a death due to an aortic dissection



Inquest into the death of Domenic Chiodo - representing the Alfred Hospital



Inquest into the death of Lillian McClurkin - representing Stanlake Private Hospital in relation to a death following bariatric surgery (i.e. laparoscopic sleeve gastrectomy)



Inquest into the death of Lauren James - representing plastic surgeon in relation to death following liposuction



Inquest into the death of Jason Barnsley - representing general medical practitioner



Inquest into the death of William Keays - representing obstetrician



Inquest into the death of Sebastian Hewitt - representing general medical practitioner



Inquest into the death of Phul Kumari - representing general medical practitioner



Inquest into the death of Kylie Lightfoot -



Inquest into the death of Stuart Judd -

representing general medical practitioner

representing general medical practitioner; et al



Medical Board of Australia v Jigau [2022]
VCAT 30 - representing general medical practitioner in disciplinary proceedings



Medical Board of Australia v CQW [2021]
VCAT 346 - representing trainee intensivist in disciplinary proceedings



Medical Board of Australia v Pang [2021]
VCAT 1175 - representing specialist geriatrician in disciplinary proceedings



Medical Board of Australia v Sayeed [2020]
VCAT 432 - representing general medical practitioner in disciplinary proceedings



Medical Board of Australia v Islam [2020]
VCAT 994 - representing radiation oncologist in disciplinary proceedings



Medical Board of Australia v Leowe [2019]
VSC 532 - representing dermatologist in appeal brought by Medical Board of Australia against Immediate Action decision



Medical Board of Australia v Lee [2019]
VCAT 2036 - representing general medical practitioner in disciplinary proceedings



Medical Board of Australia v Xie [2019]
1924 - representing general medical practitioner in disciplinary proceedings



Medical Board of Australia v Jiang [2018]
VCAT 1999 - representing general medical practitioner in disciplinary proceedings



Piesse v Medical Board of Australia [2017]
VCAT 1615 - representing general medical practitioner upon stay application regarding immediate action decision



Medical Board of Australia v Griffiths [2017]
VCAT 822 - disciplinary proceedings representing general medical practitioner



Physiotherapy Board of Australia v Sette [2015] VCAT 932 - disciplinary proceedings representing physiotherapist



Medical Board of Australia v Garland [2015]
VCAT 873 - disciplinary proceedings representing general medical practitioner



Dental Board of Australia v White [2014]
VCAT 1968 - disciplinary proceedings representing dentist



Physiotherapy Board of Australia v Amerasekera [2013] VCAT 1548 - disciplinary proceedings representing physiotherapist



Medical Board of Australia v Topchian [2013] VCAT 86 - disciplinary proceedings representing cosmetic surgeon



Medical Board of Australia v Erhardt [2011]



Medical Board of Australia v Laska [2011]

VCAT 1702 - disciplinary proceedings
representing general medical practitioner

VCAT 1888 - disciplinary proceedings
representing rheumatologist



Chinese Medicine Registration Board of
Victoria v Eskander [2011] VCAT 1387 -
disciplinary proceedings representing
general medical practitioner



Medical Board of Australia v Skehan [2011]
VCAT 2424 - disciplinary proceedings
representing general medical practitioner



Medical Board of Australia v Janz [2011]
VCAT 1026 - disciplinary proceedings
representing general medical practitioner



Medical Board of Australia v Samaddar
[2011] - disciplinary proceedings
representing general medical practitioner



Medical Radiation Practitioners Board of
Victoria v Munzel [2011] VCAT 712 -
disciplinary proceedings representing
radiation therapist



Psychology Board of Australia v. Love
[2010] VCAT 2040 - disciplinary proceedings
representing psychologist



Medical Radiation Practitioners Board of
Victoria v. Sketcher [2010] VCAT 1770 -
disciplinary proceedings representing
radiographer



Medical Board of Australia v. Young [2010]
VCAT 1542 - disciplinary proceedings
representing general medical practitioner



Optometrists Registration Board of Victoria
v. De Santis [2010] VCAT 1055 - disciplinary
proceedings representing optometrist



Chinese Medicine Registration Board of
Victoria v. Schulte [2010] VCAT 457 -
disciplinary proceedings representing
Chinese medicine practitioner



Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria v
Kelly [2009] VCAT 2109 - disciplinary
proceedings representing general medical
practitioner



Lal v. Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria
[2008] VCAT 2077 - review of Decision of the
Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria
representing general medical practitioner



Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria v.
Swieca [2009] VCAT 419 - disciplinary
proceedings representing general medical
practitioner



Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria v.
Naik [2009] VCAT 755 - disciplinary
proceedings representing general medical
practitioner



Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria v Lal
[2009] VSCA 109 - representing respondent



OPP v Dr Christopher Foord - County Court
criminal trial representing general medical

general medical practitioner upon appeal by
Medical Practitioners Board of Victoria et al

practitioner charged with sexual assault of a
patient



OPP Dr Azit Das - County Court criminal trial
representing general medical practitioner
regarding allegation of sexual assault of a
patient



OPP v Dr Parminder Singh - County Court
criminal trial representing orthopaedic
surgeon charged with rape (originally) and
sexual assault of a patient



OPP v Dr David Mackey - County Court
criminal trials representing general medical
practitioner regarding historical indecent
assault allegations regarding former
patients; OPP v Dr Manu Gopal - County
Court criminal trial representing general
medical practitioner charged with rape of
patient



OPP v Dr Arthur Obi - County Court trial
criminal trial representing general medical
practitioner charged with Rape of patient



OPP v Dr Adel Botrous -County Court
criminal trial representing general medical
practitioner charged with rape of patient



OPP v Vincent Benvenuto - Murder trial -
Supreme Court



OPP v Frank Babic - Murder trial (Supreme
Court)



OPP v Benjamin Smith - Murder trial
(Supreme Court)



OPP v Peter Rattya - Murder trial (Supreme
Court)



OPP v Aaron Rolls - Conspiracy to Murder
trial (Supreme Court). et al



LMB v. Secretary to the Department of
Justice [2011] VCAT 595 - Working With
Children



Legal Services Commissioner v Dwyer
[2012] VCAT 886 - disciplinary proceedings
representing legal practitioner



Legal Services Commissioner v Barrett
[2012] VCAT 1800 - disciplinary proceedings
representing legal practitioner; et al



Professional Standards Committee of the
Anglican Diocese of Melbourne v. Fr Antony
White - prosecuting disciplinary proceedings
on behalf of the Anglican Archdeacon of
Yarra before the Professional Standards
Board of the Anglican Diocese of Melbourne



Committee for Counselling and the



Royal Commission into Institutional

Presbytery of Loddon Mallee v Rev Colin
Honey - prosecuting discipline proceedings
on before the Uniting Church in Australia
Synod of Victoria and Tasmania Committee
for Discipline

Responses to Child Sexual Abuse 2015 -
representing survivor.

Memberships & Committees

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