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## Making Headlines

### In Person IME Inappropriate When Commenting on GCS Entitlement to Catastrophic Benefits.

In "Brown and Commonwell Mutual Insurance Group", the insurer demanded 5 in person assessments in response to our client's application for catastrophic benefits (OCF-19).

Greg Neinstein and Sebastian Gallagher rejected this approach and stated that this was a legal test not a medical test and argued that all that was required was a paper review and brought a preliminary motion at FSCO to resolve this dispute. Arbitrator Muzzi agreed with Greg Neinstein's argument that in-person examinations were unnecessary as they would not address the GCS score in any meaningful way.

## 2014-2015 the Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory®

### Our Team is Repeatedly Recommended!



It's with great pleasure that we announce that our lawyers are repeatedly recommended in the **Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory®**.

The Lexpert Directory® has recognized four of the firm's lawyers as leading experts in personal injury litigation in Canada.

**Gary Neinstein Q.C., Greg Neinstein, Jeffrey Neinstein and Rose Leto** have all been voted by their peers onto the 2014-2015 Lexpert® list.

## Mix & Mingle: Celebrating Partnerships

For the past 5 years Greg Neinstein has chaired the Mix & Mingle, a networking event that brings together healthcare professionals, legal professionals, treatment providers and acquired brain injury survivors who discuss new approaches to acquired brain injury rehabilitation.

The 10th anniversary was dedicated to community partnerships and the milestone we have achieved together in support of both the Brain Injury Society of Toronto and the Ontario Brain injury Association.



With over 650 guests in attendance, this annual networking event has been very successful in helping raise awareness of this important cause, as well as raising funds to support ongoing programs and services. The event **raised \$150,000** in its 10th anniversary year and over \$500,000 over the last 5 years.

We congratulate all members of the committee for their participation and a job well done!

## Let's Stay in Touch

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