

2020 eprivateclient Top Family Law Firms

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Tier	Firm	Number of family law partners	Number of family law fee earners	Total family law staff	2019 Fee income (in £m)	Family law fee income as percentage of total firm income	Number of new family law solicitors employed in 2019
I	Alexious Fisher Philipps	7	11	16*	3.9*	100*	0*
	Charles Russell Speechlys	13	36	44	11*	7*	1
	Dawson Cornwell	12	21	40	4.2*	96	1
	Family Law in Partnership	6	23	34*	4.6*	100*	0*
	Farrer & Co	5	22	36	4.4*	6.4*	1*
	Harbottle & Lewis	3	14	16	5.4	14	2
	Hughes Fowler Carruthers	8	18	26*	8.2*	100*	0*
	Levison Meltzer Pigott	6	13	25	4	100	1
	Mishcon de Reya	7	19	34	3.8*	4.1*	3
	Payne Hicks Beach	12	21	51	9.7	40	6
	Penningtons Manches Cooper	13	44	58	7.3*	9.2*	4
	Russell-Cooke	9	25	41*	4.6*	14*	1*
	Stewarts Law	10	36	53*	10.2*	14.7*	5*
	Withers	8	25	34*	13.5*	11.7*	0*
II	Anthony Gold	6	12	18*	2.4*	17*	4*
	BDB Pitmans	7	11	18	2.2*	7*	10
	Boodle Hatfield	2	8	9	2	6	0
	Bross Bennett	6	14	20*	2.7*	100*	0*
	Burgess Mee Family Law	4	20	23	2.1	100	7
	Clintons	2	4	6*	0.8*	8.7	0*
	Forsters	4	15	18	3.1	5	1
	Hall Brown	8	24	41*	4.8*	100*	0*
	Hunters (Inc May May & Merrimans)	5	10	14	2.9	25	1
	Irwin Mitchell	10	45	66*	7.5*	4.3	5
	JMW	9	23	46	4.8	11	4
	Jones Myers	5	18	29	3.6*	100	0*
	Kingsley Napley	5	18	35*	3.7*	8.8*	0*
	Mills & Reeve	6	36	53*	5.5*	5*	1*
	Osbornes	7	26	30	2.7	27	1*

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III	Blake Morgan	2	11	15	1.6	2	0
	Brodies	4	16	24	3.2	4	2
	Burges Salmon	1	8	12*	1.5*	1.6*	1*
	Clarke Willmott	5	21	23	2.6	5	10
	Collyer Bristow	4	8	8	1.7	9	1
	Cripps Pemberton Greenish	3	9	12	1.3	3.2	1
	Goodman Ray	5	22	30*	4.9*	100*	3*
	Jones Nickolds	5	10	23	2.3	100	0*
	Paris Smith	5	11	15	1.9	10	6
	Royds Withy King	10	35	50	5	13	1*
	Thomson Snell & Passmore	5	9	15	1.6	7	1*
	Turcan Connell	2	8	12*	1.6*	9*	1*
	Vaitilingam Kay	4	10	13*	2.0*	100*	1*
	Vardags	10	45	66*	9.4*	77*	0*
Wedlake Bell	2	6	11*	1.6*	4.7*	0*	
IV	Andrew Jackson	3	7	12	1.4*	13*	4
	Ashfords	2	7	10*	1.5*	3.3*	2*
	Clarion	1	7	7	1.1	7	6
	DMH Stallard	4	9	13*	1.8*	6.2*	0*
	Howard Kennedy	1	7	9*	1.3*	2.4*	0*
	Manders Law	2	7	10	0.8	100	5
	Miles Preston & Co	4	5	7*	1.4*	100*	0*
	Newton Kearns	4	6	9*	1.7*	100*	0*
	Peters May	2	3	4*	0.4	100	0
	Sears Tooth	2	3	5*	1*	100*	1*
	Trethowans	4	11	16*	1.8*	24*	3*
	Veale Wasbrough Vizards	3	8	13*	1.3*	3.5*	0*
	Warners Solicitors	2	9	13	1.1	13	0*