

Curriculum vitae of

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Consultant Children's and Adult Orthopaedic Surgeon  
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**PERSONAL DETAILS**

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**DATE OF BIRTH:**

11th October 1967

**NATIONALITY:**

British

**SPECIALIST REGISTER DATE:** 18<sup>th</sup> September 2003

**DEFENCE ORGANISATION:** Premium Medical Protection

**GMC REGISTRATION:** 3276293

**QUALIFICATIONS**

2001, November	FRCS Trauma & Orthopaedics
2000, July	MSc, Orth Eng, University of Cardiff
1995, November	F.R.C.S. (Eng), F.R.C.S. (Ed)
1991, July	BM, BS, University of Nottingham
1989, July	B. Med. Sci (Hons), University of Nottingham

## **PERSONAL STATEMENT**

I commenced my consultant post in January 2004. I am based in Oswestry, Shropshire. My practice is 75% children's Orthopaedics and 25% adult Orthopaedics. My adult practice involves young adult hip disorders and adult neuromuscular conditions. I work within a multidisciplinary young adult hip service. My paediatric practice involves treatment of a wide range of conditions, including clubfoot, hip dislocation, slipped upper femoral epiphysis, cerebral palsy, consequences of trauma and limb deformity.

I have a training role as a member of the Surgical Advisor Committee for trauma and orthopaedics. I am a faculty member for non technical skills training in the West Midlands.

## **MEDICOLEGAL EXPERIENCE**

I began medicolegal work in May 2004. I receive instructions from solicitors and medical report agencies for personal injury cases. The majority of my reports are single joint expert, and I write approximately 150 reports per year. I now only undertake paediatric personal injury cases.

I undertake medical negligence cases related to paediatric orthopaedics and young adult hip disorders. I am instructed by defence and claimant lawyers, as well as organisations such as the NHS Resolution and Medical Indemnity societies. I am an approved expert for the GMC.

My paediatric orthopaedic negligence work typically involves cases such as late presenting hip dislocation, cerebral palsy, slipped upper femoral epiphysis and trauma cases. I am asked to write reports detailing breach of duty, causation as well

as condition and prognosis.

I undertake clinical negligence cases relating to young adult hip disorders. This relates to conditions such as femoroacetabular impingement and hip dysplasia, and operations such as pelvic osteotomy.

I am able to offer appointments within 4 weeks and the report 4 weeks later. I am able to work with electronic notes and file sharing applications and provide electronic copies of reports by return.

### **MEDICOLEGAL LECTURES GIVEN**

- **DDH- what can they sue you for?** Invited lecture for East Anglian Paediatric society annual meeting, December 2013
- **Medicolegal aspects of children's orthopaedics.** Medical Protection Society educational meeting, 14<sup>th</sup> January 2015.
- **Negligence in developmental dysplasia of the hip and slipped upper femoral epiphysis.** Medico-legal issues in Paediatrics. 9<sup>th</sup> March 2016, Birmingham.
- **Negligence in developmental dysplasia of the hip and slipped upper femoral epiphysis.** AvMA, North West Lawyers Support Meeting, 27<sup>th</sup> April 2016. Slater Gordon , Manchester
- **Negligence in developmental dysplasia of the hip and slipped upper femoral epiphysis.** Irwin Mitchell Study day, 9<sup>th</sup> June 2016, Birmingham.
- **West Midlands Regional Teaching Seminar.** 9<sup>th</sup> July 2021. Faculty
- **AVMA conference March 2022-** invited speaker on children's orthopaedics

## MEDICOLEGAL COURSES

- **Medico legal report Writing- Basic.** Professional Solutions. 28<sup>th</sup> April 2004
- **Medico legal report Writing- Advanced.** Professional Solutions. 27<sup>th</sup> April 2006
- **“Horizons” Medico legal Seminar.** Premex. 7<sup>th</sup> March 2007
- **“The Essential Elements” Medico Legal Seminar.** Premex. 29<sup>th</sup> May 2008.
- **Medicolegal Expert Training Seminar.** Health Knowledge. 8<sup>th</sup> July 2010.
- **Whiplash Conference.** Specialist Info. 19<sup>th</sup> May 2011
- **Bond Solon Civil Procedure Rules for expert Witnesses,** online module, completed May 2011.
- **Writing expert reports in Clinical Negligence Cases.** Specialist Info. 18<sup>th</sup> April 2013.
- **Courtroom skills day.** Specialist Info. 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2014.
- **Medicolegal sessions, British Orthopaedic Association.** September 2015.
- **Medico-legal issues in Paediatrics.** 9<sup>th</sup> March 2015, Birmingham.
- **Advanced medicolegal training.** Personal Injury and Clinical Negligence. Specialist Info. 16<sup>th</sup> June 2016, London.
- **Medicolegal Sessions, British Orthopaedic Association.** September 2017.
- **Inspire Law first Annual Expert Witness conference.** 4<sup>th</sup> December 2018,

Oxford.

- **Medicolegal Sessions, British Orthopaedic Association, September 2019.**
- **Advanced medicolegal training.** Personal Injury and Clinical Negligence update. Specialist Info. 10<sup>th</sup> March 2021, Zoom.
- **Medicolegal webinars, Inspire MediLaw, Feb 2024.**