

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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Medical School University of Wales College of Medicine,  
Cardiff, 1987-1993

Qualifications BSC. (Honours) Pharmacology 1992  
MBBCh 1993

FRCS 1997

MSc. (Orthopaedic Engineering) 2002

FRCS (Tr.&Orth.) 2002

CSST 2004

## PRESENT APPOINTMENT

From 15<sup>th</sup> November 2004

Consultant Orthopaedic Spinal Surgeon at the University Hospital of Wales, Cardiff, and University Hospital of Wales, LLandough.

My practice includes:-

1. Spinal elective surgery
2. Spinal trauma surgery
3. Adult and paediatric deformity surgery
4. Spinal sports injuries

My practice covers all spinal disorders in the adult and paediatric population.

Outside the National Health System I run a busy private and Medico-legal practice. My Private Practice mirrors my National Health Service Practice, involving the above categories.

## BOOKS PUBLISHED

### ABC of Spinal Disorders

Andrew Clarke, Alwyn Jones, Michael O'Malley

Published in January 2010 by John Wiley & Sons

I am one of the principal editors and author of two chapters dealing with the paediatric spine and whiplash injuries.

The book is a multi-author project and is a reference book used by GPs, physiotherapists and orthopaedic and trauma surgeons in learning about the spine and its disorders.

## BOOK CHAPTERS

- (1) DEGENERATIVE DISC DISEASE
- (2) PRIMARY AND METASTATIC TUMOURS OF THE SPINE

These are chapters in “Introduction to Spine Surgery” edited by Sue Corbett. Published by AO Spine.

## PAPERS PUBLISHED

1. The Modic classification for lumbar MRI scans: Intra and interobserver error. *Spine*. 2005; 30(16): 1867-1869
2. CT Evaluation of the pattern of odontoid fractures in the elderly-relationship to upper cervical spine osteoarthritis. *European Spine Journal*. 2005; 14(1): 78-83
3. Anterior Screw Fixation for Paediatric Odontoid Non-union. *Spine*. 2005; 30(1): E28-E30
4. Unilateral septic arthritis of a lumbar facet joint due to acupuncture. A case report. *Acupuncture in Medicine*. 2004; 22(3): 152-155
5. Surgical Management of Severe Cervical Kyphosis with Myelopathy in Osteogenesis Imperfecta: A case report. *Spine*. 2005; 30(7): E191-E194
6. Avulsion of the L4 Spinous Process: An unusual injury in a Professional Rugby Player. *Spine*. 2005; 30(11): E323-E325
7. Is return to professional rugby union likely after anterior cervical spinal surgery? *JBJs Br*. 2008; May; 90(5):619-21
8. Chronic recurrent multifocal osteomyelitis presenting as acute scoliosis: a case report and review of the literature. *European Spine Journal*. 2008; 17 Suppl 2: S248-52

9. Reduction of severe adolescent isthmic spondylolisthesis: a new technique. *Spine*. 2005; 30(19): E579-84
10. Recurrence of kyphosis and its functional implications after surgical stabilization of dorsolumbar unstable burst fractures. *Spine J*. 2009; 9(12): 1003-9

## OTHER INFORMATION

GMC Registration Number: 4010836

MDU Number: 545359B

Member of the British Orthopaedic Association

Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons

Member of British Scoliosis Society

Member of British Association of Spine Surgeons

Editor British Medical Journal

Society for lateral access surgery - SOLAS (XLIF)

Listed in the APIL Directory and Expert Witness Directory

## MEDICO-LEGAL WORK

I now have over 7 years experience in medico-legal report writing. I commenced my practice after completing my FRCS (Tr. & Orth.) examination. I completed the M.T.L.S. report-writing course in with the intention of producing a good standard of report.

My interest is spinal disorders but I have been trained in general trauma and orthopaedic surgery up until my spinal Fellowship. I am now a full time Consultant in Spinal Surgery.

I am in a position to offer good quality, evidence based reports in this specific and complex field of spinal disorders, from whiplash to spinal cord injuries and degenerative conditions. All reports will comply with Part 35 Civil Procedure Rules. I will consider both plaintiff, defence as well as negligence cases. I am also happy to wait for payment until completion of each case.

I am an expert on the panel of most of the major medico-legal agencies and produce reports for the leading solicitors locally and throughout the UK.

Instruction split: Claimant 70% Defendant 30%.

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