

Medico-legal Curriculum Vitae

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Recent post: Consultant in Obstetrics & Gynaecology 1992- 2023
Worthing Hospital, West Sussex

Medico-legal work Clinical Negligence in Obstetrics & Gynaecology for 32 years
1160 Expert Medical Reports on a wide variety of subjects
Special interest in Urogynaecology and Hysteroscopy
Single Joint Expert for Liverpool Urogynaecology Litigation

30% of recent work has been for Hospital Trusts
60% of recent work has been for Claimants
10% Single Joint Expert reports

14 Fitness to practise reports for the GMC
32 conferences per year with Barristers and Solicitors
14 court attendances in UK and Eire

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| Qualifications: | M.B. B.Chir. | Cambridge | 1978 |
| | F.R.C.S. (Ed) | Edinburgh | 1984 |
| | M.R.C.O.G. | London | 1987 |
| | F.R.C.O.G. | London | 1999 |

Affiliations: **UK Register of Expert Witnesses for 18 years**
Member of “Expert Witness” Register
 GMC (Registration No: 2439279)
 GMC Revalidation to Specialist Register on 06/08/2021
 Premium Medical Protection Indemnity
 BSUG (British Society of Urogynaecology)
 BSGE (British Society of Gynaecological Endoscopy)

Clinical duties: Retired on 20/01/2023

Special Interests **Urogynaecology** - Pelvic floor surgery and urinary Incontinence
Hysteroscopic surgery for menstrual problems

Management: **Clinical Director – Women & Children Services 1992-1998**
 Lead Clinician for Obstetrics & Gynaecology 1998-2004
 Chairman of Labour Ward Standing Committee 1999-2003
RCOG College Tutor 2004-2012
 Maternity Patient Safety Committee 2010-2013

Achievements: Maintenance of Paediatric Dept. with no consultants 1993-6
 Early pregnancy assessment clinic started in 1993
 Introduction of Team Midwifery in 1995
 Increased consultant sessions on Labour Ward
Successful RCOG Hospital Accreditation visit 30/11/2004
Excellent report on training by KSS Deanery on 17/09/2008
Risk management – CNST Level 1 achieved 2010
Successful KSS Deanery visit on 8/11/2011
 Risk management - CNST Level 3 achieved in 2014

Training in O&G: Senior Registrar at St Bartholomew’s Hospital 1988-92
 Registrar/Lecturer at Guy’s Hospital 1986-8
 SHO at Queen Charlotte’s & Chelsea Hospitals 1985-6

Surgical training: SHO/Registrar rotation at St Mary’s Hospital W2 1982-4
 Urology Registrar at St Mary’s Hospital W2 1985
 Various SHO and HO posts 1978-82

Publications: Endometrial resection
 Endometrial sampling
 Microbiology of Laparoscopy with Dye studies

Updated: 31/01/2024



Clinical Negligence Specialist

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