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PERSONAL DETAILS:

Year of Birth : 1958
Marital Status : Married
Nationality : British
Driving Licence : Clean
GMC No : 2802905
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EDUCATION :

St. Benedict's School, Ealing
14 'O' Levels, 3 'A' Levels. Played for School Rugby Team and School Orchestra.

MB.Ch.B Manchester University (1978-1983)

Whilst in University I was the Captain of the Medical School Rugby Club for 2 years, a member of the University Cross-country Team, and ran the first London Marathon

Post Graduate Education: DGM 1987, MRCGP 1987. Family Planning Certificate 1987, Joint Certificate of General Practice Training 1987, Passed Examination for the Society of Orthopaedic Medicine 1992.

Current Post : Full time N.H.S. General Practitioner at Bramhall Park Medical Centre and Shaw Heath Health Centre since 1989.

Other Experience:

I was the lead Partner for Fund-holding from 1991 to 1999, an LMC member 1996, Chairman of Stockport Fund-holders Group 1994.

Examining Medical Practitioner for the Benefits Agency from 1992 for 9 years. I worked for 2 years as a Clinical Assistant in the Orthopaedic Clinic run by Mr R. Brown at Stockport Infirmary, and 4 years as a Clinical Assistant in Otolaryngology in the Clinic run by Mr David Rose at Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport.

Expert Witness for Medical Legal Reports, since 1993 currently writing over 200 Reports per year. I am recognised by the association of Personal Injury Lawyers and the UK Expert Witness Register.

I was the trainer for Mrs Helen Keeping, who was the first Nurse Clinical Practitioner to pass the Manchester University Course in Stockport, also, the trainer for the first Physiotherapist to become an Orthopaedic Practitioner specialising in intra-articular injections in Stockport, Mrs V. Green.

Director and Operations Manager of Stockport Doctors Co-operative from 1996, now chief executive of Mastercall Healthcare Ltd. Mastercall Services is a company limited by guarantee which provides out of hours medical services to 500 000 patients in Stockport and Trafford.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE :

February 1988 - January 1989

A year working in Australia, doing 5 months in an out of hours Deputising service, and 4 months as a General Practitioner in the Cairns 24 Hour Medical Centre. During that time with my wife and young son, I travelled extensively in Australia, Bali and Thailand.

TRAINING JOBS :

August 1987 - January 1988

GP Trainee in Langley Health Centre, Berkshire.

February 1987 - July 1987

SHO in Psychiatry, Hillingdon Hospital.

August 1986 - January 1987

SHO in Geriatrics, Hillingdon Hospital.

February 1986 - July 1986

SHO in Accident & Emergency, Mount Vernon Hospital.

August 1985 - January 1986

GP Trainee in Harefield Health Centre.

February 1985 - July 1985

SHO in Gynaecology in Mount Vernon Hospital.

August 1984 - January 1985

SHO in Orthopaedic Professorial Surgical Unit at Hope Hospital, Salford.

February 1984 - July 1984

House Officer in General Surgery in Renal transplantation and the Professorial Surgical Unit at Manchester Royal

August 1983 - January 1984 Infirmery.
House Officer in General Medicine and Rheumatology in
Ancoats Hospital.

CURRENT TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES

I work in a "Teaching practice", and as such am involved in teaching of undergraduate Medical Students. I have acted as mentor for our Two Nurse practitioners. I have a major role in Mastercall, the local primary unscheduled care provider, which involves teaching of nurse triage staff, nurse clinicians, emergency care practitioners, and specific skills to General practitioners. I have attended the Northwest Deanery "Nuts and Bolts" course, a basic training qualification.

CURRENT RESPONSIBILITIES OUTSIDE GENERAL PRACTICE

Chief Executive Mastercall Healthcare Ltd and Mastercall Services LTD. Mastercall are not for profit organisations providing unscheduled care and out of hours primary care of 500 000 NHS patients in the Stockport and Trafford. We operate from 2 primary care centres, staffed with doctors, nurses, nurse clinicians and ECPS. Mastercall operates vehicles for home visits/passenger transport services, supplies primary care staff to work with local accident and emergency units, and anticipates having 60 000 callers p.a. to our call centre. Mastercall also provide a wide range of other innovative primary care services to the local healthcare economy, some of which are listed above.

SOME FURTHER EXPERIENCE

2008 GP lead for Mastercall in provision of web based telemedicine COPD pilot

2007 GP lead for Mastercall in managing provision of GPs in Trafford Emergency department

2006 GP lead for primary care front end at Stepping Hill Hospital

2005 GP Lead for ECP training project in co-operation with GMAS, South Manchester PCT, and SMUHT.

2003/4 Member of Department of Health Future Structures (in OOH Primary Care) Project.

2003/4 Member of Stockport PCT work group involved in the National Emergency Care Collaborative.

11/2003 Commissioned by Stockport PCT to report on Triage at Stepping Hill Accident and Emergency Department.

2004 Member of Stockport PCT work group involved in the National Back Pain Collaborative.

March 2004 G.P. speaker at Stepping Hill Hospital Orthopaedic Study day.

I have had yearly full NHS appraisals since January 2004

3/10/1998 Medico-Legal Report Writing. Run by Professional Solutions& services Ltd.

15/10/1998 Courtroom Skills for Expert Witnesses. Run by Professional Solutions& services Ltd.

15/10/1999 “Life after Woolfe”. Run by Professional Solutions& services Ltd.

11/6/2004 Advance report writing for expert witnesses. By the College of Personal Injury Law