# **Curriculum Vitae**

# **Personal Details**

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#### **Education & Qualifications**

Bachelor of Dental Surgery (University of Glasgow)	July 1996
Member of the Joint Dental Faculties of the Royal College of Surgeons, England (MJDF RCS Eng) From 01 July 2021; Member of the Faculty of Dental Surgery Royal College of Surgeons, England (MFDS RCS Eng)	July 2011
Member of the Faculty of Dental Surgery Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh (MFDS RCS Ed)	Dec 2011
Cardiff University Bond Solon Civil Expert Witness Certificate	May 2016
Fellow of the Faculty of Dental Surgery, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow (FDS RCPS Glas)	Dec 2018
Postgraduate Certificate in Medical Law (PG Cert. Med. Law) University of Northumbria	May 2019
Fellow of the Faculty of General Dental Practice, Royal College of Surgeons of England (FFGDP(UK)) From 01 July 2021; Fellow of the College of General Dentistry (FCGDent)	Feb 2020
Associate Fellow of the Higher Education Academy (AFHEA)	Feb 2020
Postgraduate Diploma in Medical Law (PG Dip. Med. Law) University of Northumbria	June 2020

#### **GDC Registration Number**

71654

## **Defence Organisation**

Taylor Defence Services Ltd

## **Memberships & Registers**

- Member of the Dental Education, Training and Professional Development Board, Faculty of Dental Surgery, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow
- Individual Member of *Expert Witness Institute*
- Bond Solon National Register of University Certified Expert Witnesses
- Law Society of Scotland, Expert Witness Directory Member

#### **Career Overview**

• July 2020 – Present Director of Dentistry, NHS Shetland

- July 2019 Present Dental Practice Adviser, NHS Forth Valley
- May 2019 Present General Dental Practitioner, Associate and Locum
- November 2018 January 2023
  Clinical Lecturer, Aberdeen Institute of Dentistry, University of Aberdeen
- July 2018 Present Examiner for MFDS RCPS Glasgow, Parts 1 & 2
- August 2017 Present Expert Adviser, National Institute of Health & Care Excellence (*NICE*) Centre for Guidelines.
- April 2017 Present Clinical Mentor, Member of Dental Mentors UK.
- October 2016 August 2022 Dental Practice Inspector, NHS Forth Valley.
- January 2015 Present Independent Dental Expert Witness
- July 2014 Present
  Clinical Advisor/Expert to General Dental Council's Fitness to Practice team
- August 1997 August 2018 General Dental Practitioner, Vocational Trainee, Associate and Practice Principal
- August 1996 August 1997
  House Officer, Oral Surgery & Conservation Dept's, Glasgow Dental Hospital

# **Details of Practicing Life**

I have worked very hard to ensure that my clinical practice has been patient centred with the patients' needs, well-being and comfort put far and away above any other consideration. I believe that is why I enjoyed a successful, busy, enduring practice with a loyal patient base.

Having worked in general dental practice for over 22 years, 12 years as principal, my philosophy and approach to good leadership has always been effective communication and empathy. High clinical standards and regulatory compliance was recognized in December 2014 when my practice was awarded Gold Membership of the *BDA Good Practice* scheme after 10 continuous years on the.

Due to my extensive and diverse experience, I am very familiar with the requirements of a modern dental professional both in their clinical and communication skills. I am also very conversant with the FGDP(UK), GDC, SDCEP, SIGN, NICE and IR(ME)R publications and guidelines.

I am a member of Dental Mentors (UK) and have been involved in mentoring and supervision of a number of colleagues for various reasons e.g. loss of confidence, GDC conditions, supporting those coming 'back to work' and overseas dentists wishing to work here.

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