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Specialist in Periodontics Dental Expert Witness



I qualified from the University of Liverpool in 1971 and, after a post as a House Officer in the Liverpool Dental Hospital, began work in General Dental Practice. I was awarded the Fellowship in Dental Surgery from the Royal College of Surgeons of Glasgow in 1980. I was accepted on the General Dental Council's Specialist List in Periodontics when it was established in 1998.

From 1972 I worked in both NHS and Private General practice and, since 1981, have worked in Specialist Periodontal Practice, initially part-time and gradually becoming full time in 1997. I have taught in the Department of Restorative Dentistry at the Manchester Dental School and have presented my "*Effective Periodontics*" practical seminar programme for the Department of Postgraduate Dentistry at the University of Manchester several times.

I have published many papers and articles on Periodontics and related subjects and my video film, "*Initial Periodontal Therapy*", was awarded the *Diplome d'Honneur* at the 1991 International Dental Film and Video Festival in Paris. My paper "*Non-Surgical Periodontal Therapy - Essential and Adjunctive Methods*" was published in the British Dental Journal in July 1995 and I presented a paper on subgingival antibiotic gel therapy at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Periodontology in September 1995. I am a co-author of the Chapter on Periodontics in the Clinical Textbook of Dental Hygiene and Therapy, published in 2006.

I was the founding Chairman of the Dental Practitioners Section of the British Society of Periodontology and currently serve on the Education Committee and Council of that Society. I am also an International Member of the American Academy of Periodontology and was a founding member of the Expert Witness Institute. I have been practicing as an expert witness in the field of dental negligence and personal injury for over ten years.

I have been awarded the Certificate of Expert Witness Accreditation by the Cardiff University Law School.

In 2007 I was appointed to the Bury Magistrates Court as a Justice of the Peace.