

# Mr Stephen E McCabe MBChB FRCS (Ed) FRCS (Glas) FRCEM

## Curriculum Vitae

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**Qualifications:**

MBChB Glasgow	1978
FRCS Ed	1982
FRCS Glas	1982
ATLS	1991
FFAEM	1994 (changed to FCEM in 2008)
FRCEM.	

### Membership of Societies:

British Medical Association	Medical Defence No: MC/08/0433
British Association for A&E Medicine – Honorary Secretary	GMC Registration No: 2336572
Faculty of A&E Medicine – Founding Fellow	BMA No: 1443276-79
College of Emergency Medicine (Examiner)	MDDUS No: M118550
UK Registrar of Expert Witnesses	
Association of Personal Injury Lawyers	
Bond Solon CertMR Part 1 and 2 refreshed February 2013	

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**Positions Held:**

- Honorary Secretary British Association for A&E Medicine (1998 –2004)
- Founding Fellow Faculty of A&E Medicine Joint Colleges (1994)
- Chairman Paramedic Steering Group Gloucestershire (1989 – 1996)
- Chairman Hospital Audit Committee (1994 – 1998)
- Southwest Regional Representative BAAEM National Executive (1992-1998)
- Co-founder Regional MTOS (Multiple Trauma Outcome Study) Group
- Regional Registrar Training Committee (1990 – present)
- College Examiner Emergency Medicine FCEM exam (present)

### Career and Training:

1973-1978	MBChB University of Glasgow
1978-1979	Houseman Paisley Royal Alexandria Infirmary
1979-1980	SHO Orthopaedics Glasgow Royal Infirmary
1980-1983	SHO/Registrar Surgical Rotation Glasgow
1982	FRCS Glasgow & Edinburgh
1983-1984	Research Registrar Intensive Care “Shock Team” Western Infirmary, Glasgow
1984-1988	Senior Registrar, Accident & Emergency Taunton/Bath/Frenchay rotation covering Plastic Surgery, Burns, Neurosurgery and Paediatrics
1988	Full Accreditation in A&E Higher Professional Training CCT
1988 to 2018	Consultant in Accident & Emergency at Gloucestershire Royal Hospital
2018- Present	Consultant in ED Hereford County Hospital

## Summary

- I have been a fully accredited Emergency Department Consultant since 1988 and am currently Consultant in the Emergency Department at Hereford County Hospital. I was full time Senior Consultant at Gloucester Royal ED for 30 years.
- I was a Founding Fellow of the Faculty of Accident & Emergency in 1995 and a Fellow of the Royal Colleges of Surgeons of Glasgow and Edinburgh since 1982.
- I have been a Royal College of Emergency Medicine Examiner since 2005 [FRCEM].
- Medico-legal work has been a major interest over the last 35 years, attending Bond Solon training seminars on Woolf reports, giving expert evidence in court and report preparation in general.
- I am registered with the UK Expert Witnesses and APIL.
- I was updated and accredited in Bond Solon Medico-legal Reporting parts 1 and 2 in 2013 and registered and accredited with Medco as of March 2015. I completed further annual Bond Solon accreditation updates in 2019.
- My medico-legal work has involved the preparation of approximately 500-700 reports a year, joint statements with colleagues, pre-trial negotiations and giving expert witness evidence in Coroners Inquests, the Crown Court, the High Court and the Court of Appeal.
- I am increasingly instructed on Emergency Department breach of duty and quality of care in medical negligence enquiries. I am an Emergency Department Expert advisor to the Welsh Health Board.
- I was trained in General Surgery and Orthopaedics in Glasgow and in A&E on the Bristol Senior Registrar rotation. During the latter I undertook training attachments in Neurosurgery, Plastics and Burns at Frenchay Hospital, Paediatrics at the Bristol Children's Hospital and further Orthopaedic training in Taunton and Bristol.
- My work at Hereford County includes interests in major trauma, head and neck injuries, resuscitation, burns, sports and soft tissue injury.
- I am trained in Stroke Thrombolysis.
- I was Lead Consultant in the Trust for complaints for 10 years.
- I have published widely on trauma, fractures and emergency medicine, and was a referee for papers for the Journal of A&E Medicine.
- I was the sole author of a review chapter on '*Neck Injuries*' in a CD-ROM for personal injury lawyers, principally entitled '*Medico-Legal Solutions – Personal Injury and Criminal Trauma*' [Medico-legal Publications].
- I collaborated with Prof. Matthew Cooke in the national 'MINT' trial of Physiotherapy vs. standard treatment in Neck Injuries with over 600 patients recruited locally in 2007 [see references for publication in Lancet].
- My Department sees an average of 40 new patients a month with neck injuries sustained in road traffic collisions.

### CLINIC VENUES:

**Mr McCabe is able to offer appointments in:  
Gloucester, Stourbridge, Worcester, Birmingham, Bristol and Cardiff**

## Areas of expertise

Accident and Emergency  
Accident and Emergency, care standards in  
Accident and Emergency, management in  
Accident and Emergency, medical negligence in  
Accidental Injuries  
Back Injury  
Back Pain  
Burns  
Burns, treatment of  
Cervical spine, whiplash injuries  
Emergency Medicine  
Emergency resuscitation, heart  
Forearm fractures  
Head injury  
Head injury, complications with  
Head injury, management of  
Head injury, sports  
Heart emergency resuscitation  
Injuries  
Injuries, assessment of  
Injuries, care of  
Injuries, management of  
Lacerations,  
Limb fractures  
Limb fractures, management of  
Lumbar injury  
Medical fractures  
Medical fractures, forearm  
Medical fractures, limb  
Medical fractures, limb, management of  
Medical fractures, management of  
Medical fractures, rib  
Medical fractures, wrist  
Muscular pain, neck  
Neck Injury  
Neck Injury, soft tissue  
Neck pain  
Neck pain, muscular  
Personal Injury  
Resuscitation  
Resuscitation, emergency, heart  
Rib fractures  
Road Traffic Collision injuries  
Soft tissue injuries  
Soft tissue injury, neck  
Spine, pain in  
Sports injuries  
Sports injuries, head related  
Whiplash  
Whiplash, cervical  
Wounds  
Wounds, management of  
Wrists, fracture of

Mr McCabe will also consider Paper Reports from medical records only and Clinical Negligence cases within his remit. Home/Prison visits considered

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