

# Professor David F M Thomas

## Specialist in Paediatric Urology

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### Qualifications

MA MB. BChir FRCP FRCPCH FRCS (Eng) FRCS (Edin Hon)

Emeritus Consultant Paediatric Urologist, Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust and Honorary Professor of Paediatric Surgery, University of Leeds. I qualified at the University of Cambridge and Guys Hospital London and undertook my specialist training in Paediatric Surgery and Paediatric Urology at Great Ormond Street Children's Hospital London.

I established the Regional Paediatric Urological Service in Leeds and was appointed Honorary Professor of Paediatric Surgery at the University of Leeds.

Other academic awards include , Visiting Professor, University of York, Hunterian Professor of the Royal College of Surgeons of England and visiting Professorships in Europe and the United States.

### Current Professional Status

I am no longer in active clinical practice but continue to hold GMC Registration : Number 1468814.

I continue to hold a contract at Professorial level with the University of Leeds which has been renewed until 2027. I review manuscripts for the Journal of Pediatric Urology.

### Publications

These include 5 textbooks and more than 180 peer-reviewed papers, articles and chapters.

I edited the Paediatric Urology section of the Oxford Textbook of Urological Surgery published in 2017 and co -edited the 3rd Edition of the textbook Essentials of Pediatric Urology published in 2021.

### Specialist Societies

Senior Member, Society of Pediatric Urological Surgeons, Honorary Member, British Association of Urological Surgeons and European Society for Paediatric Urology.

Member, British Association of Paediatric Surgeons ( awarded the Association's Denis Browne Gold Medal in 2021).

I have continued to attend international conferences , most recently the annual international meeting of the Society of Pediatric Urological Surgeons in the United States in October 2025.

### Medicolegal Practice

I have undertaken medico legal work for more than 30 years and have written around 500 reports. I have written reports on the instructions of Claimants' and Defendants' solicitors, NHS Resolution, Medical Defence Union and Medical Protection Society

### Professional Indemnity

Cover is provided through the Academy of Experts Professional Indemnity scheme.

ICO Registration 78947204

### Expert Registers

Full Member, Academy of Experts

NEWA

### Scope of Medicolegal Practice includes;

Neuropathic bladder, including "wrongful birth" and delayed diagnosis.

Bladder dysfunction, incontinence.

Testicular torsion and undescended testis

Circumcision

Hypospadias

Urinary tract infection

Vesico- ureteric reflux

Kidney and ureter obstruction

Posterior Urethral Valves

Urogenital trauma, including iatrogenic injuries

Antenatal diagnosis