

FULL CURRICULUM VITAE

NAME

NICHOLAS VYNER TODD

SPECIALITY

NEUROSURGERY AND SPINAL SURGERY

QUALIFICATIONS

MB BS ~ Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery, University of London, 1978

FRCS ~ Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, 1982

MD ~ Doctor of Medicine, University of London, 1987

PgDL ~ Postgraduate Diploma in Law [CPE], University of Northumbria, 2001

FRCPE ~ Fellowship of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh 2010

DISTINCTIONS

Medical Research Council Special Training Fellow in Neurosurgery 1983-1984

Hunterian Professor
Royal College of Surgeons, London 1985

GMC

Number 2425027. On the Specialist Register for Neurosurgery

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A Life in the Day

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AREAS OF CURRENT ACADEMIC INTEREST AND RECENT PUBLICATIONS

Cauda equina syndrome.

Todd NV. Bladder ultrasound in the assessment of cauda equina syndrome in the Emergency Department. A literature review. *Ann R Coll Surg Engl.* 2023 Apr 13. doi: 10.1308/rcsann.2022.0168. Online ahead of print. PMID: 37051769

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Todd NV. Priapism in acute spinal cord injury. *Spinal Cord.* 2011; 49(10): 1033-5

Spinal infection including spinal epidural abscess.

Wilson-Macdonald J, Todd NV. Early Diagnosis of Pyogenic Spinal Infection. *Journal of Trauma and Orthopaedics* 2019; March 07, 01: 40-41

Spinal reperfusion syndrome.

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Spinal epidural haematoma.

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Falope ZF, Griffiths ID, Platt PN, Todd NV. Cervical myelopathy and rheumatoid arthritis: a retrospective analysis of management. *Clin Rehabil.* 2002; 16:625-629

Informed consent.

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Todd NV. Changing the operating surgeon: specific consent is required. *Bone Joint J News.* 2016; Issue 11, December

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

Consultant Neurosurgeon
Newcastle upon Tyne NHS Trust

Honorary Lecturer
University of Newcastle upon Tyne

Honorary Consultant Neurosurgeon
Royal Victoria Hospital
Belfast

Honorary Consultant Neurosurgeon
James Cook University Hospital
Middlesbrough

Honorary Consultant Spinal Surgeon
Surgical Centre
Queen Elizabeth Hospital
Gateshead

Chairman: North of England Surgical Training Committee for Neurosurgery

Neurosurgery/Spinal Surgery Advisor
National Institute for Clinical Excellence

Neurosurgery Advisor
NHS Evidence (Surgery, Theatre & Anaesthesia)

Neurosurgery Advisor
NHS Evidence (Neurology)

Associate Complaints Advisor
Healthcare Commission
(Commission for Healthcare Audit & Inspection)

Secretary, British Cervical Spine Society

Treasurer, British Cervical Spine Society

Member, Project Executive Team. National Clinical Guidelines Development
Group for NICE – Suite of Trauma Guidelines 2013-2016

Member, National Clinical Guidelines Development Group for NICE – Spinal
Injury 2013-2016

PRACTICE PRIVILEGES

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Clayton Road
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MEMBERSHIP OF LEARNED SOCIETIES

Royal College of Surgeons of England
Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh
Royal Society of Medicine
Society of British Neurological Surgeons
British Association of Spinal Surgeons
Expert Witness Institute

CLINICAL INTERESTS

Prior to my retirement from the NHS I worked as a neurosurgeon taking patients with the widest range of neurological and neurosurgical conditions. I consider myself experienced in the management of head and spinal injury, ischaemic and haemorrhagic cerebrovascular disease, paediatric and adult brain tumours and central nervous system infection. I provided specialist services in paediatrics including children with brain tumours, spinal disorders and uncommonly vascular disorders. I also provided specialist services in the field of adult spinal surgery. I established and for many years was the sole surgeon providing a Regional service for the assessment and surgical treatment of rheumatoid disorders of the cervical spine.

ACADEMIC

In 1983-1984 I was a Medical Research Council Training Fellow in Neurosurgery undertaking experimental research in the area of ischaemic cerebrovascular disease. I have subsequently undertaken clinical research in various areas including haemorrhagic cerebrovascular disorders, head injury, spinal disorders, brain tumours, trauma and image-guided surgery. I have a higher medical degree and I have over 130 neurosurgical publications or abstracts.

I continue to publish papers in academic journals, typically producing three or four publications each year.

I am a reviewer of articles submitted to a number of academic journals for possible publication.

I have current research collaborations with the Academic Department of Spinal Surgery in Oxford, The Department of Orthopaedic Spinal Surgery in Northumberland and Getting it Right First Time (GIRFT).

MEDICOLEGAL WORK

I have provided some thousands of reports. These reports have been provided for a number of areas of litigation including personal injury, clinical negligence, defamation and reports for the Family Division of the Court. Reports have been provided for a number of jurisdictions including the United Kingdom, Ireland, Gibraltar, Canada, The United States of America, Singapore and Australia. I have appeared in Court on many occasions including the County Court, the High Court and on one occasion the Criminal Court of Appeal. I would estimate that I am currently instructed approximately 60% by Claimants, 40% by Defendants (and a small number of single joint instructions).

I am a member of the Expert Witness Institute. I am an AvMA approved expert. I am a Tier 1 APIL expert.

PUBLICATIONS

2024

142. Todd NV, Wright-Todd JC. Legal Privilege for Medical Experts. A Recent Judgment. *RCS Bulletin*. Volume 106, Number 4. Published online May 2024. <https://doi.org/10.1308/rcsbull.2024.72>
141. Todd NV. Subclassification of Cauda Equina Syndrome. *APIL. PI Focus*. May 2024. Vol 33/Issue 7. P50-53.
140. Todd NV, Wright-Todd JC. Cauda Equina Syndrome. Critical Analysis of Judgments in the Light of Recent Scientific Knowledge. [2024] *JPIL*. Issue 2. P111-118.
139. Todd NV. Medico-legal implications of dementia following concussion in rugby football. *Medico-legal Journal*. 2024. 0(0) 1-5. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00258172231184550>
138. Todd NV. Demonstrating the expertise of an Expert Witness in the Civil Court. Use of a concise CV after the judgment in *Re:C*. *Medico-Legal Journal*. 2024. 0(0) 1-4. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00258172231191343>

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135. Lavy C, Todd N, Dangas K. Classification of cauda equina syndrome. In: *Cauda Equina Syndrome. The Essentials for Doctors and Lawyers*. Eds: Marks M, Lavy C. FNP publications 2022.
134. Todd NV. Letter to the Editor. Clinical examination and the diagnosis of cauda equina syndrome. More examination, not less. *Global Spine J* 2022. Vol. 12(6) 1301-1302.
133. Todd NV. *ABC of Major Trauma: Rescue, Resuscitation with Imaging, and Rehabilitation, 5th Edition*. Wiley & Sons (7/7/2022)
132. Todd N, Dangas K, Lavy C. Post-void bladder ultrasound in suspected cauda equina syndrome – data from medicolegal cases and relevance to magnetic resonance imaging scanning. *Int Orthop*. 2022 June; 46(6): 1375-1380

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126. Todd NV. Assessment of neurological function and blood pressure when mobilising patients with acute spinal cord Injury. *Br J Neurosurg.* 2021; 1:1.
125. Todd NV. Failed consent in spinal surgery again. Minimum standards for consent must be adopted by all surgeons. *Br J Neurosurg.* 2021; Vol. 35, No. 4, 467-469.
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124. Todd NV. The incompetent expert: a cautionary case. *Bull RCS* vol.102. Issue 8, Nov 2020, pp 376-377.
123. Birch N, Todd NV. The cost of consent: why healthcare providers must be compliant with the Montgomery principles. *Bone Joint J* 2020;102-B(5):550-555.
122. Todd NV. Expert witnesses, contempt of court and custodial sentencing. *Bull RCS.* 2020: 34-36.
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111. Todd NV. Early cauda equina syndrome (CESE). *Br J Neurosurg.* 2017; 31(4):400
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106. Todd NV. Spinal fusion for low back pain: it's all over. *Br J Neurosurg.* 2016; 30(5): 588.
105. Todd NV. Author's reply to letters to the Editor. *Bone Joint J* published online 24 March 2016 re: Cauda equina syndrome: is the current management of patients presenting to district general hospitals fit for purpose? A personal view based on a review of the literature and a medicolegal experience. *Bone Joint J* 2015; 97-B: 1390-1394.

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104. Todd NV. Letter to editor: Informed consent in the light of *Montgomery*. *Br J Neurosurg.* 2015; 30(1): 2-3.
103. Todd NV. Author's reply to letters to the Editor. *Bone Joint J* published online November 17, 2015 re: Cauda equina syndrome: is the current management of patients presenting to district general hospitals fit for purpose? A personal view based on a review of the literature and a medicolegal experience. *Bone Joint J* 2015; 97-B: 1390-1394.
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101. Todd NV. Neurological deterioration in cauda equina syndrome is probably progressive and continuous. Implications for clinical management. *Br J Neurosurg.* 2015; 24: 1-5.
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94. Todd NV. Interspinous distraction. *Br J Neurosurg.* 2014; 28(6): 821.
93. Todd NV. Medical negligence. An overview of legal theory and neurosurgical practice: causation. *Br J Neurosurg.* 2014; 28(3): 315-319.
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74. Todd NV. An algorithm for suspected cauda equina syndrome. *Ann RCS*. 2009; 91(4):358-9
73. Barratt C, Birchall D, Todd NV. Localisation of intracranial space occupying lesions with linear fiducial strips. *B J Neurosurg*. 2009; 23:492
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1999

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1996

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1995

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1994

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1993

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45. Mathew P, Todd NV. Intradural conus and cauda equina tumours: a retrospective review of presentation, diagnosis and early outcome. *J Neurol Neurosurg Psych*. 1993; 56:69-74.
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1992

43. Taylor WAS, Todd NV, Leighton SEJ. CSF drainage in patients with posterior fossa tumours. *Acta Neurochirurgica (Wein)*. 1992; 117:1-6.

1991

42. Duncan R, Todd NV. Epilepsy and the blood-brain barrier. *Br J Hosp Med*. 1991; 45:32-36.
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