

# DR ADAM SKIDMORE

## UPPER GASTROINTESTINAL & GENERAL SURGEON

### QUALIFICATIONS

MBA University of Melbourne (2014)  
FRACS (2005)  
MBBS (Hons) University of Melbourne (1996)

### MEDICO-LEGAL ACCREDITATION

Worksafe  
AMA 4

### CURRENT POSITIONS

#### **Director & Principal Surgeon**

Victorian Obesity Surgery Centre (VOSC), Heidelberg, Albury,  
Melbourne and Regional Victoria

#### **Visiting Medical Officer**

Sandringham Hospital, Melbourne  
Warringal Private Hospital, Melbourne  
Knox Private Hospital, Melbourne  
Mitcham Private Hospital, Melbourne  
Linacre Private Hospital, Melbourne  
Albury Wodonga Private Hospital, Regional Victoria

### COMMITTEES AND MEMBERSHIPS

#### **Australian & New Zealand Gastric & Oesophageal Surgery Association (ANZGOSA)**

Member (2005 – present)

#### **Obesity Surgery Society of Australia & New Zealand (OSSANZ)**

Member (2005 – present)

#### **International Society for Diseases of the Esophagus (ISDE)**

Member (2005 – present)

#### **Association of Upper Gastrointestinal Surgeons of GB and Ireland (AUGIS)**

Member (2005 – present)

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### **Principal Surgeon** (2008 – 2014)

Seaview Specialist Centre, Beaumaris, Melbourne

#### **Director of Surgical Training** (2010 – 2012)

Sandringham Hospital, Melbourne

#### **Visiting Medical Officer** (2007 – 2010)

Box Hill Hospital, Melbourne

#### **Consultant Endoscopist** (2007 – 2007)

Kent Hospital, United Kingdom  
Canterbury Hospital, United Kingdom

#### **Fellowship Training** (2006 – 2007)

Queen Alexandra Hospital, Portsmouth, United Kingdom

#### **General Surgeon (Upper GI)** (2004 – 2006)

William Harvey Hospital, Ashford, United Kingdom

### PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

Weight Loss Surgery | Gastric Banding | Revision of Failed Gastric Banding |  
Sleeve Gastrectomy | Gastric Bypass | Gallstone Surgery | Cancer of the Stomach |  
Laparoscopic Hernia Surgery (Inguinal, Incisional & Hiatal) |

### ASSESSMENT SPECIALTIES

Digestive System Conditions | Hernia & Abdominal Wall Conditions |  
Obesity & Obesity Complications



ABBREVIATED  
CURRICULUM  
VITAE

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Dr Adam Skidmore obtained his medical degree, graduating for the University of Melbourne in 1996. His postgraduate training was at The Austin and Repatriation Hospitals completing his fellowship of the Royal College of Surgeons in 2005.

In 2006 Dr Skidmore spent two years working at the Princess Alexandra Hospital in Portsmouth, United Kingdom. He worked on the Upper GI and Bariatric surgical unit with Mr Shaw Somers. In that time Dr Skidmore performed in excess of 150 major surgical resections of the esophagus and stomach. He also gained experience in Gastric Bypass and Banding for obesity.

On return to Australia Dr Skidmore worked in the private and public system. He currently works at Bayside Health and is the Director of the Victorian Obesity Surgery Centre in Heidelberg. Privately he works at Warringal Private, Knox Private and Albury Wodonga Private Hospitals.

In the last two years Dr Skidmore has performed more than 200 Gastric Bypass operations and is currently a preceptor for Obesity surgery. He regularly has other surgeons watch him operate. He is a high volume obesity surgeon performing in excess of 300 Bariatric procedures a year. Dr Skidmore frequently speaks in peer meetings and has presented his data at both local and international meetings.

Dr Skidmore is accredited with WorkSafe and AMA4. His assessment specialties include digestive system conditions, hernia and abdominal wall conditions, obesity and obesity complications.



BIOGRAPHY