

A. G. HOPCROFT

GENERAL SURGEON (ORTHOPAEDICS)

M.B., B.S. (HONS), F.R.C.S. EDIN.

QUALIFICATIONS

MB, BS (Hons), Sydney University (1968)
FRCS, Edinburgh

ACCREDITATIONS

SUB-SPECIALTIES

CURRENT POSITIONS

Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon (1981-Current)
Manning River District Hospital, Taree

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Junior Resident (1968) (12 months)
Sydney Hospital, Sydney

Senior Resident (1969) (12 months)
Royal Alexandra Hospital for Children, Camperdown, Sydney

Anatomy Demonstrator (1970) (12 months)
Sydney Hospital, Sydney

Registrar in Surgery (1971-1973)
Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Edinburgh

Consultant Surgeon (1974-1980)
Manning River District Hospital, Taree

BIOGRAPHY

My major practice has been in orthopaedic trauma surgery but have also maintained an interest in general surgery and medico legal assessments.

LOCATION

Taree

ADDITIONAL INFO

Accredited Assessor Work Cover and Motor Accidents Authority in Spine, Upper and Lower Limbs (October 2002)

Refresher Training in Evaluation of Permanent Impairment for WorkCover and Motor Accidents Authority Impairment Assessment Systems - May 29 & 30 2004.

Comcare Permanent Impairment Guide Training, May 13 & 14, 2006

Combined Scientific Meeting of MedLaw Association of Australia & AOA Medico-Legal Society, November 30 to December 2 2007.

3rd Edition of WorkCover Guides for the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment 20 February 2009 (4th & 5th Editions).

Trained AMA6 Guides for the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment 10 April 2015.

Successful completion SIRA Workers Compensation retraining examination 1 April 2016.

Health Certificate & Queensland University Skin Cancer Conference & Master classes 27 - 30 July 2016

Combined Meeting of Australian Orthopaedic Association, RAG of Surgeons & Medico-Legal Society at Noosa 16, 18, 20 August 2016.

Australian Orthopaedic Association & New Zealand Orthopaedic Association ASM 2016 in Cairns 9 -13 October 2016.

Lightbox Radiology - MRI Upper & Lower Limb Interpretation Workshop in Aspen
30 January - 3 February 2017.

International Society of Arthroscopy, Knee Surgery & Orthopaedic Sports Medicine
Congress in Shanghai, China 4 - 8 June 2017.

Australian Orthopaedic Association Annual Scientific Meeting in Adelaide 9 - 13
October 2017.

2018 Combined Meeting of Australian Orthopaedic Association Medico-Legal
Society, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons Medico-Legal Section and The
Australian Medico-Legal College in Melbourne 7 - 8 September 2018.

Australian Orthopaedic Association 78th Annual Scientific Meeting in Perth 7 - 11
October 2018.

Successful completion SIRA CTP Guidelines retraining examination with face/skin
examination 27 & 28 July 2019.

Combined Meeting of The Australian Orthopaedic Association Medico-Legal Society
& Royal Australasian College of Surgeons Medico-Legal Permanent Impairment
Training Gold Coast QLD Australia 8 - 10 September 2019.

Attended Australian Orthopaedic Association Conference Canberra 6 - 11 October
2019