

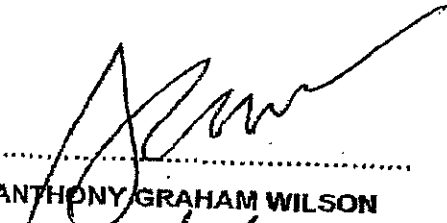
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STATEMENT

ANTHONY GRAHAM WILSON, of St Vincent's Hospital, Scott, Toowoomba in the State of Queensland, Orthopaedic Surgeon, states:

1. I am a medical practitioner registered to practice in the State of Queensland in the specialty of Orthopaedic Surgery. I hold the following qualifications: (See attached CV)
 - M.B.B.S.
 - F.R.A.C.S.
 - F.A. Ortho.A.
2. I have practiced as an Orthopaedic Surgeon since 1995.
3. I know Dr Damodaran Krishna who acted in the position of my non-training Registrar in Orthopaedics at the Toowoomba Hospital in 2002. Attached to this statement and marked 'A' is a true copy of a reference which I provided on his behalf.
4. I understand that Dr Morgan Naidoo prepared a scope of service document setting out which procedures he believed Dr Krishna could perform independently and those with which he would require supervision. It is attached and marked 'B'. The procedures where I would have wanted Dr Krishna to be supervised in addition to those noted by Dr Naidoo are as follows:
 - (a) Fracture of the proximal humerus treated with open reduction and internal fixation;
 - (b) Scaphoid compound fracture treatment with open reduction, internal fixation and bone graft.
5. Apart from these procedures I believe the scope of service for trauma procedures prepared for Dr Krishna is reasonable and that he had the skill and experience necessary to independently perform those procedures which Dr Naidoo has indicated he felt Dr Krishna was able to perform independently. Dr Krishna had sufficient understanding to know if he came across a more difficult example of one of these procedures to seek assistance.

- 6. As to the elective procedures – day cases including some arthroscopies (however most of these would require supervision).
- 7. I by and large agree with Dr Naidoo's assessment of his level of competence.


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Dated: 11/10/15

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Degrees MBBS 1983 FRACS(Ortho) 1994

Fellowships
General Orthopaedics – Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane – 1994
Foot Surgery – Addenbrookes Hospital, Cambridge, UK – 1995
Knee Surgery – Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham, UK – 1995

Senior Lecturer University of Queensland 1997 (Clinical)

CURRENTLY:

Visiting Specialist, St Andrew's Hospital Toowoomba, St. Vincent's Hospital Toowoomba, Toowoomba Surgicentre, and Toowoomba (Public) Hospital.

PREVIOUSLY:

Director of Orthopaedics, Toowoomba Hospital 1998 – 1997.
Staff Surgeon, Toowoomba Hospital 1998 – 2003.

ORGANISATIONS:

Australian Medical Association 1984; Medical Defence Society 1984, Australian Orthopaedic Association 1990; Fellow of the Royal Australian College of Surgeons 1994; Australian Society of Orthopaedic Surgeons 1996; Australian Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society 1997; British Association for Surgery of the Knee 1997; Fellow of the Australian orthopaedic Association 1997; Local Medical Association 1997.

PUBLICATIONS:

Bilateral Elbow Dislocation, The Australian & New Zealand Journal of Surgery. (1990) 60:7:553-554
Impaction Fracture of the Femoral Head secondary to Recurrent Posterior Hip Dislocation in a Child with Downs Syndrome, Skeletal Radiology. (1995) 24:469-470
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Lymphadenopathy after Goretex ACL Reconstruction, American Journal of Sports Medicine (1998) 26:1:133-135
Chondroblastoma of the Talus, The Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery. May-June Issue 2002.
Traumatic tear of tibialis anterior in a Gaelic Football Game, British Journal of Sports Medicine, accepted for publication 2003. (Application 007625).

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Surgery of the lower limb, specifically knee, ankle and foot.

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Dear Dr Naidoo

Re: Dr Damodaran Krishna,

This gentleman was my Registrar for the first four months of 2002, and so I have recently been well acquainted with him from an orthopaedic and social perspective. He has been working in the Orthopaedic Department of Toowoomba Hospital since January 2001.

I have found him to be more than competent, reliable, trustworthy and teachable. Understandably his trauma skills are at a good level, while his elective skills lag behind this, but he is doing more and more. I have recently had him doing arthroscopies with supervision only and joint replacements with my assistance and I am more than happy with his ability in this regard.

I therefore feel that Dr Krishna would make a very good addition to your Orthopaedic Department at Hervey Bay Hospital. His work at Toowoomba Hospital has been at Registrar level and he has been coping easily with a 1 in 3 roster. From a medical perspective, he attended the Fiji School of Medicine from 1982 and obtained the AOA Diploma in Orthopaedics in 1995, where he also spent time at the Royal Newcastle Hospital with Dr Y H E Ghabrial, Orthopaedic Surgeon. Dr Krishna has completed the EMST and AO Basic and Advanced Courses.

From a social perspective he has 3 children aged 8, 12 and 16 and enjoys fishing and tennis. He would therefore fit in well on the Fraser Coast from a medical and social perspective.

Yours sincerely

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Staff Orthopaedic Surgeon

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ORTHOPAEDIC SURGICAL SERVICES
DR KRISHNA SCOPE OF SERVICE

ORTHOPAEDIC TRAUMA

OPERATION PERFORM INDEPENDENTLY PERFORM WITH SUPERVISION

OPERATION	PERFORM INDEPENDENTLY	PERFORM WITH SUPERVISION
Upper Limb Fractures / Dislocations		
Closed Fracture / Dislocations	Closed Reduction ✓	
Compound Fracture / Dislocations	Compound Scrub ✓ x complexity →	
Fracture Clavicle	ORIF ✓	
ACJ Dislocation	ORIF ✓	
Sterno Clavicular Dislocation	ORIF	✓
Fracture Proximal Humerus	ORIF ✓	
Fracture Shaft Humerus	ORIF with Plate & Screws ✓	
Fracture Shaft Humerus	ORIF with Intramedullary Nailing antegrade / retrograde	✓
Compound Fracture	Compound Scrub / External Fixateur ✓ x complexity →	
Fractures Around Elbow		
Medical Epicondyle	ORIF ✓ x age →	
Lateral Condyle	ORIF ✓ x age →	
Radius Head	ORIF / Excision ✓	
Supracondylar	Percutaneous K wires ✓	
Complex Supracondylar	ORIF	✓
Compound Fracture	Compound Scrub / External Fixateur	✓
Forearm Fractures		
Ulna / Radius / Ulna & Radius	ORIF ✓	
Coffes Fracture / Distal Radius Fracture	Percutaneous K Wire ✓ x age	
Coffes Fracture / Distal Radius Fracture	External Fixateur ✓	
Compound Fractures	Compound Scrub / External Fixateur ✓ x age	
Wrist Fractures / Dislocations		
Lunate / Peri lunate Fracture Dislocation	Closed Reduction Percutaneous K Wires ✓	
Lunate / Peri lunate Fracture Dislocation	ORIF ✓	
Scaphoid	ORIF Bone Graft ✓	

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	OPERATION	PERFORM INDEPENDENTLY	PERFORM WITH SUPERVISION
Hand Fractures / Dislocations			
Metacarpals	ORIF	✓	
Phalanges	ORIF	✓	
Pelvis			
Pelvic Ring Disruptions	ORIF		✓
Acetabulum Fracture Simple	ORIF	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RIDICULOUS	
Acetabulum Fracture Complex	ORIF		✓
Pelvic Ring Disruptions	External Fixateur	✓ POSSIBLE IN EMERGENCY	
Lower Limb Fractures / Dislocations			
Closed Fracture / Dislocation	Closed Reduction	✓ DEPENDS ON WHERE	
Compound Fracture / Dislocation	Compound Scrub	✓ DEPENDS ON WHERE	
Sub capital Fracture of Femur	Cannulated Hip Screws	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Sub capital Fracture of Femur	Monopolar / Monoblock Hemi Arthroplasty Austin Moore / Thompson's	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	→ Doubtful
Sub capital Fracture of Femur	Monopolar Medial		✓
Sub capital Fracture of Femur	Bipolar Medial		✓
Intertrochanteric / Per trochanteric / High Subtrochanteric Fracture	DES	✓ POSSIBLE AFTER TRAINING	
Femoral Shaft Fracture Simple	Locked Intramedullary Nailing Anterograde / Retrograde	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Femoral Shaft Fracture Complex	Locked Intramedullary Nailing Anterograde / Retrograde		✓
Supracondylar Intercondylar Fracture Simple	Locked Intramedullary Nailing DCS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Compound Fractures	Compound Scrub	✓ SIMPLE ONLY	
Supracondylar / Intercondylar Fracture Complex	Locked Intramedullary Nailing DCS		✓
Compound Femoral Fracture	External Fixateur	✓ POSSIBLE IN EMERGENCY	
Tibial Plateau Fracture Simple	ORIF / Bone Graft	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NEVER	

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OPERATION		PERFORM INDEPENDENTLY	PERFORM WITH SUPERVISION
Tibial Plateau Fracture Complex	ORIF / Bone Graft		✓
Tibial Shaft Fracture Simple	Locked Intramedullary Nail	✓ POSSIBLE AFTER TRAINING	
Tibial Shaft Fracture Complex	Locked Intramedullary Nail		✓
Distil Tibial Fracture Simple	ORIF Periarticular Plate	✓	
Distil Tibial Fracture Complex	ORIF Periarticular Plate Bone Graft External Fixateur		✓
Compound Tibial Shaft Fracture	External Fixateur		✓
Ankle Fracture <i>Simple</i>	ORIF	✓ POSSIBLE AFTER TRAINING	
Talus Fracture / Dislocation	ORIF		✓
Calcaneus Fracture	ORIF		✓
Midtarsal Fracture / Dislocation	ORIF	✓	
Metatarsal / Phalangeal Fracture	ORIF	✓	NOT US FRAC #5
Hand / Foot Surgery			
Severed Extensor Tendon	Primary Repair	✓ Foot	Hand
Severed Flexor Tendon	Primary Repair	✓ Foot	Hand
Severed Digital Nerve	Primary Repair using Microscope	?? Foot	Hand
Severed Major Nerve Ulnar, Median, Radial etc	Primary repair using Microscope		✓

SMO has adequate knowledge of trauma treatment systems (Mathys / Synthes, Smith and Nephew, Zimmer, Surgical House, Link Orthopaedics etc) available at Hervey Bay / Maryborough Hospitals, and has attended the regular in-service and trauma update workshops arranged with the above companies.

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01 January 2004

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ORTHOPAEDIC SURGICAL SERVICES
DR KRISHNA SCOPE OF SERVICE



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Elective Orthopaedic Surgery

ELECTIVE ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY

OPERATION		PERFORM INDEPENDENTLY	PERFORM WITH SUPERVISION
Rotator Cuff Tendinitis / Rupture Simple	Open Acromioplasty and Cuff Repair	✓	
Rotator Cuff Tendinitis / Rupture Complex	Open Acromioplasty and Cuff Repair		✓
Recurrent Anterior Dislocation Shoulder	Open Anterior Stabilisation Bankart / Putti Platt		✓
CTS	CID / Synovectomy	✓	Possible after training
Dupuytren Contracture	Excision and Z-plasty	✓	
Ganglion / Bursa / Bakers Cyst	Excision	✓	
Trigger Finger	Release Tendon Sheath	✓	
Extensor Tendon Rupture Thumb	Secondary Repair / Tendon Transfer	✓	
Implants for Fracture Fixation	Removal	✓	ONLY SIMPLE ONES
Foreign Body	Removal	✓	
Wrist Arthropathy	Arthrodesis	✗	
Fracture Non Unions	Bone Graft	✗	
Achilles Tendon Rupture / Tendinitis	Repair / Debridement	✓	Possible after training
Hallux Valgus	Bunionectomy	✓	Possible after training
	Metatarsal Osteotomy with IF (Ludloff / Mitchel / Lapidus)	✗	
	MTPJ Arthrodesis	✗	
Hammer Toes	PIPJ Arthrodesis	✓	} Possible after training
Morton's Neuroma	Excision	✓	
Subtalar Osteoarthritis / Arthropathy	Arthrodesis	✗	

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OPERATION		PERFORM INDEPENDENTLY	PERFORM WITH SUPERVISION
Subtalar / Calcaneo - Cuboid / Talonavicular Osteoarthritis / Arthropathy	Arthrodesis		✓
Knee			
- Effusion	Diagnostic Arthroscopy	✓	
- Infection / Osteoarthritis	Arthroscopic Debridement		
- Internal Derangement	Arthroscopic Meniscectomy		
- Internal Derangement	Meniscal Repair / Replacement		✓
- Internal Derangement	ACL / PCL Reconstruction		✓
Loose Bodies	R/O Loose Bodies		✓
Non Viable / Neuropathic - Fingers - Toes - Limbs	Amputation	✓	

CLINICAL

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