



Mr Sajjad Mahmood

AMD Lead and
Consultant Ophthalmic Surgeon

Locations:

Optegra Eye Hospital Manchester

Mr Mahmood is a consultant ophthalmic surgeon specialising in medical retina and cataract surgery. He is pioneering the AMD treatment programme at Optegra, as the NHS AMD Lead.

Mr Mahmood graduated from Cambridge University in 1997. He then trained at Manchester Royal Eye Hospital and worked as a senior medical retina fellow at the Royal Liverpool University Hospital. He became a consultant in 2007 and between 2008 and 2020 he was the clinical lead for medical retina at Manchester Royal Eye Hospital leading an award winning service which was developed to four sites across the city in hospital and community locations.

He is a leading UK expert in medical retina and has lectured nationally and internationally on ophthalmic imaging, age-related macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy and retinal vein occlusion. He is also an advisor to the pharmaceutical industry assisting in the development of new drugs and treatment pathways.

He is active in teaching and organises courses in medical retinal disease and modern imaging techniques. He is also a skilled cataract surgeon who has done over 10,000 procedures and with great feedback from patients.

He holds an honorary clinical lectureship with the University of Manchester and is a council member of the Royal College of Ophthalmologists representing the North West region.

Expertise

- Cataract Surgery
- Dry AMD Treatment
- Wet Age-Related Macular

Education

- Cambridge University 1997

Qualifications

- FRCOphth
- MA
- MBBChir

Additional Professional Memberships

- American Academy of Ophthalmology
- Royal College of Ophthalmologists
- UK and Ireland Society of cataract and refractive surgeons

Surgeon Profile



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Patient Feedback



Mr Mahmood is an excellent surgeon. I felt very relaxed in his care. He provided the info step by step as to what he was doing during the procedure. Fast and pain free. surgery. His team are warm and welcoming. Very clean environment. The dropless surgery is fantastic. No messing with drops weeks later. Arrived at 11.50. Departed 14.10. Brilliant experience.



The Consultant Mr Mahmood and his theatre team were superb, explaining thoroughly what the procedure would be during and following the operation. Fabulous, very professional service.