

## **Mr Shaw Somers BSc(Hons) MBChB MD FRCS**

### **Consultant Upper Gastrointestinal Surgeon**

Shaw Somers has been an NHS consultant surgeon since 1998. Before this, he was a senior lecturer and honorary consultant at St James' University Hospital in Leeds, West Yorkshire and Associate Professor at The Prince of Wales Hospital in Hong Kong.

Shaw specialises in upper gastrointestinal surgery and has an extensive experience of complex upper gut surgery. He is senior clinician in the regional upper gastrointestinal cancer service in Hampshire, and is a leading laparoscopic surgery specialist. He has led the evolution of Bariatric Surgery in the UK and has a personal experience of over 3000 bariatric operations.

Shaw is past president of the British Obesity and Metabolic Surgery Society. In addition, Shaw is Discovery TV's 'Fat Doctor', and has appeared in many TV programmes as a surgical expert.