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Mr Calisto is a full time Consultant Paediatric Neurosurgeon, working at Oxford University Hospitals since 2015. He completed his subspecialty training in Glasgow and at Alder Hey, Liverpool, having previously practiced in neurotrauma epilepsy surgery in Rome and Paris.

He has more than 12 years of experience in this field and formal training in serious clinical incidents investigations. He is now clinical lead for his unit.

His special interest is in the surgical treatment of complex Spina Bifida, Spasticity, and hydrocephalus, including the use of neuroendoscopy and intraoperative neuromonitoring. He is responsible for the neural tube defects antenatal counselling service and complex neuro-ortho spine MDT.

Mr Calisto has a PhD in neurooncology, participated to projects of national interest and published on international journals. He is regularly invited to present on neurosurgical topics.

He provides formal teaching and practical education for neurosurgical trainees and undergraduates. He is educational supervisor for Health Education Thames Valley and honorary senior clinical lecturer at the Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences, Oxford University. He is passionate about personal/professional development and human factors in medical performances.

Mr Calisto is member of the Society of British Neurosurgeons, the British Paediatric Neurosurgery Group, and the International Society for Paediatric Neurosurgery.

He is Bond Solon Trained and has helped in civil, criminal and family cases, where he regularly provides reports and attends Court for suspected cases of abusive head trauma. His support has been requested, equally, by claimants and defendants, in paediatric traumatic brain injury (PI) and spina bifida related medical negligence cases.