



OBITUARIES

Anthony James Jones

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Anthony James Jones (“Tony”) was born in Treorchy, south Wales. He did most of his postgraduate training in obstetrics and gynaecology at East Glamorgan, Bristol, and Leicester hospitals

He was appointed consultant in obstetrics and gynaecology at the South Tyneside District Hospital in South Shields in 1980; his special interest was in infertility and gynaecological endocrinology. He was head of obstetrics and gynaecology and clinical lead from 1993 to 2001. He worked as a full time consultant in the NHS until he retired in 2005.

Tony was an avid rugby player and passionate supporter of the Welsh rugby team and Newcastle Falcons. He was district tutor and regional adviser to the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists as well as chairman of the deanery specialist training committee. He was the first clinical director of the directorate of the postgraduate training institute of medicine at South Tyneside Health Care Trust. Tony was also an active member of the Ospreys Gynaecological Society.

He remained a dedicated clinician, specialist in subfertility, able administrator, and true friend and counsellor to many of his colleagues throughout his working life and in retirement.

Tony leaves his wife, Jo; son, Conal; daughter, Siobhan; and two much loved grandsons, Anthony and Daniel.

Biography

Consultant obstetrician and gynaecologist (b 1945; q Welsh National School of Medicine 1969; FRCOG), died from lung cancer on 24 October 2018

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