



# Dr. Giorgio Lastroni

## INTERNATIONAL HEALTHCARE EXECUTIVE

Chief Medical Officer of



### EXPERT

Available for **comment, interview,** or **podcast guest appearance** on the following topics:

- Medical NGO operations
- Pediatric healthcare in Africa and the Philippines
- Pediatric orthopedics

### EDUCATION

- **Medical Degree**  
*Milan University*
- **Postgraduate Training in Orthopedics**  
*Institute for Orthopedics at Milan University*
- **Visiting Fellow**  
*Institute for Foot and Ankle Reconstruction at Mercy in Baltimore, Maryland*

Dr. Giorgio Lastroni is an Orthopedic Surgeon and the Chief Medical Officer (CMO) of **CURE International**—a Christian NGO that operates a global network of eight pediatric hospitals providing surgical care for children living with treatable disabilities such as bowed legs, clubfoot, cleft lip/palate, and hydrocephalus.

In 2024, CURE International performed 20,000+ life-changing surgeries for children in the world's most underserved regions of Africa and the Philippines.

Dr. Lastroni completed postgraduate training in orthopedics at the Institute for Orthopedics at Milan University in Italy and was a visiting fellow at the Institute for Foot and Ankle Reconstruction at Mercy in Baltimore, MD. In 2001, during his postgraduate training, he worked in Uganda with Dr. Norgrove Penny to establish the first Ponseti clubfoot project in underserved countries.

Dr. Lastroni began his work with CURE International when he moved to Zambia in 2009 to volunteer as an Orthopedic Surgeon at the CURE hospital in Lusaka. He also served as Medical Director of CURE Zambia before becoming Chief Medical Officer for CURE International.

Based in Zambia, Dr. Lastroni frequently visits CURE hospitals and works closely with each hospital's Medical Director to ensure patients receive the world-class medical attention they deserve. His professional and medical experience make him an invaluable member of the CURE Executive Leadership Team, which helps lead the organization's expanding impact around the globe.

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