

West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Good Hope Hospital

Placement	FY1 Acute Medicine
The department	Medicine
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	<p>The acute medical unit is a combined medical assessment unit, acute medical unit and short stay ward with 80+ bed/trolley spaces. Foundation year doctors are expected to attend/perform daily ward rounds on the unit. Their responsibilities will also include being part of the on call medical team reviewing patients referred from primary care and from the emergency department. They will get the opportunity to see patients and develop management plans but with daily consultant rounds and registrar support there are excellent opportunities for learning and regular feedback. Doctors are exposed to a broad range of medical conditions, learn to stabilise sick patients and usually achieve competence in a wide range of medical procedures during their rotation.</p> <p>3 Days of self-development time per rotation.</p>
Where the placement is based	Good Hope Hospital
Supervisor(s) for the placement	To be decided upon commencement
Main duties of the placement	<p>Ward rounds/daily patient reviews and work/jobs generated from these. Procedures e.g. Lumbar puncture, paracentesis, chest drains Participation in educational meetings, audit and mortality and morbidity reviews.</p>
Typical working pattern in this placement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Typical working pattern in this post e.g. ward rounds • Daily Working 0800-1600 (plus on call rota for out of hours) • Mon AM- Con Ward Round, 1300-1400 Clinical Meeting , PM-Procedures/ patient reviews/ ward work/audit work • Tues AM- Con Ward Round, PM- Procedures/ patient reviews/ ward work/audit work • Weds AM-Con Ward Round, 1-2pm Grand Round, PM-Procedures/ patient reviews/ Procedures/ audit work • Thurs AM-Con Ward Round, PM-Procedures/ patient reviews/ audit work • Fri AM-Con Ward Round, PM-Procedures/ patient reviews/ audit work • Sessions designated for ward work to include time for paperwork, correspondence, governance, e-learning, etc • Protected weekly teaching– FY1 alternate Tuesday PM, <p>FY1 and FY2's will be part of the medical on call rota covering evenings, weekends and night shifts. Shifts will be either clerking of new patients or</p>

	covering a set ward area. Consultant presence on site 0700-2200 with registrar support outside of these hours.
Guardian of Safe Working	Dr Jason Goh
Director of Medical Education	Dr Ola Erinfolami
Rota Co-ordinator	To be confirmed at your local departmental induction.
Educational Supervisor	To be added to Horus prior to starting in post
Medical Resourcing	MedicalResourcing@uhb.nhs.uk
Employer information	<p>Heartlands, Good Hope and Solihull hospitals (HGS) are now part of University Hospitals Birmingham Foundation Trust, one of the largest foundation Trusts in the country, HGS have over 11,000 employees providing general and specialist hospital and community care for the people of East Birmingham, Solihull, Sutton Coldfield, Tamworth and South Staffordshire. We pride ourselves on having services at the heart of our communities.</p> <p>HGS (part of UHB) hospitals include Birmingham Heartlands Hospital, Solihull Hospital, Good Hope Hospital and Birmingham Chest Clinic. We also provide community health services across the borough of Solihull and run a number of smaller satellite units.</p> <p>Education and training is undertaken in the Faculty of Education, which has some of the best facilities in the UK including state-of the-art lecture theatres and meeting rooms. All supervisors are well trained and there is intensive monitoring of delivery standards. The senior postgraduate education team is one of the most experienced in the UK</p>

It is important to note that this description is a typical example of your placement and may be subject to change.