

## West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Heartlands Hospital

<b>Placement</b>	FY2 General Practice
<b>The department</b>	General Practice
<b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b>	Daily surgeries (routine and emergency appointments), home visits, opportunity to arrange experience in other areas e.g. family planning, midwifery, hospice care, diabetes, cardiology, minor operations.  4 days self-development time per rotation
<b>Where the placement is based</b>	Various GP Surgeries
<b>Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>	Various General Practitioners
<b>Main duties of the placement</b>	Seeing patients in daily surgery. Home visits (supervised/alone as appropriate) Following up investigations and actioning results  Formal training opportunities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Weekly foundation Programme teaching</b></li> <li>• <b>Departmental teaching</b></li> <li>• <b>On the job teaching</b></li> </ul>
<b>Typical working pattern in this placement</b>	8:30am – 5pm Monday to Friday FY2 Teaching Tuesday PM Grand Round Departmental Teaching
<b>Employer information</b>	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.  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.  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.
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It is important to note that this description is a typical example of your placement and may be subject to change.