

West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Heartlands Hospital

Placement	FY2 Intensive Care Medicine
The department	Critical Care
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	 The work is that of a busy general adult critical care unit, which will allow the successful applicant to develop a wide breadth of experience in the management of critically ill patients. The post is well-supported by an expanding group of dynamic and enthusiastic of consultants. In addition, the department benefits from a well-established 24/7 Critical Care Outreach Team and Critical Care Advanced Practitioners who are also part of the shop floor ITU team. You will have the opportunity to develop practical skills, learn about acute physiology, underatke on-call commitments, and be part of cardiac arrest team Formal training opportunities Weekly foundation programme teaching Interactive ward rounds 4 days of self-development time per rotation
Where the placement is based	Birmingham Heartlands Hospital
Supervisor(s) for the placement	To be decided upon commencement
Main duties of the placement	On-call commitments, cardiac arrest team member, practical skills, acute physiology, looking after critical ill patients, discharge preparation and accurate and timely handover to ward doctor when patient is discharged.
Typical working	Ward rounds, nights, long days, cardiac arrest/emergency calls
pattern in this	Protected weekly teaching Grand Round
placement	Departmental Teaching Foundation Teaching – FY2 Tuesday PM
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	To be added to Horus prior to starting in post
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Supervisor	
Medical	MedicalResourcing@uhb.nhs.uk
Resourcing	
Employer information	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

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