

# Foundation Placement Description

<b>Foundation School (Delete as appropriate)</b>		<b>Programme No. (eg. L006 OR T102)*:</b>			
Trent		T054 / T056			
<b>Year (Delete as appropriate)</b>	<b>Specialty:</b>			<b>Subspecialty (If appropriate):</b>	
F1	Anaesthetics				
<b>Site:</b>			<b>Trust:</b>		
Kings Mill Hospital			Sherwood Forest Hospital NHS Trust		
<b>Main duties:</b>					
<p>The rotation includes time in both theatres and ICU. Duties include pre-operative anaesthetic assessment of elective and emergency surgical cases; (supervised) administration of anaesthesia with particular attention to airway skills, i.v. access and managing the unconscious patient; post operative care including analgesia and fluid administration as well as safe and effective handover to recovery staff. Intensive Care duties include assessment, diagnosis and management of the critically ill patient on admission to ICU and participation in ICU ward rounds. DOPS and core competencies are easily attainable in significant quantities during this attachment.</p> <p>DOPS - examples include: Laryngoscopy &amp; Intubation, airway skills including the use of airway adjuncts and laryngeal mask airway insertion, i.v. cannulation, central line insertion, spinal anaesthesia, general anaesthesia, arterial line insertion, urinary catheter insertion, blood cultures, NG tube insertion.</p> <p>Mini-CEX: pre-op assessment, chronic pain clinic, patient assessments on ICU, conducting a general anaesthetic.</p> <p>CBD: ICU patients, cases of particular interest from theatre.</p> <p>Anaesthetic teaching occurs every week on Wednesday mornings, starting at 9am. There is a teaching rota and you will be assigned a relevant topic to present.</p> <p>Anaesthetic Training based on Royal College of Anaesthetists core competencies which provides a good addition to your e-portfolio. There are many opportunities to conduct an audit or patient safety project. <b>Hours of work</b> 8am until 6pm Monday to Thursday</p>					
<b>Example Timetable</b>					
<b>For example: W/R (Outpatients), MDT, Meetings, X-Ray Conference etc</b>					
	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Tues</b>	<b>Weds</b>	<b>Thurs</b>	<b>Fri</b>
<b>AM</b>	Theatre / ICU	Theatre / ICU	Anaesthetic Teaching	Theatre / ICU	Off Day
<b>Lunchtime</b>		F1 protected teaching		ICU Teaching	
<b>PM</b>	Theatre / ICU	Theatre / ICU	Theatre / ICU	Theatre / ICU	Off Day
<b>Educational Activities:</b>					
<b>Other Comments (if appropriate):</b>					

\*can be found on the Trent/LNR Allocations Spreadsheet

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