

Foundation Job Description

Foundation School (Delete as appropriate)		Programme No. (eg. L006 OR T102)*:			
LNR		L046			
Year (Delete as appropriate)	Specialty:	Subspecialty (If appropriate):			
F1	General (Internal) Medicine	Pathology			
Site:		Trust:			
Kettering General Hospital		Kettering General Hospitals NHS Trust			
Main duties:					
<p>Pathology rotation includes: 3 months in haematology. 1 week of biochemistry. 3 weeks of microbiology (1 week in microbiology lab, 2 weeks with consultant microbiologists).</p> <p>The clinical supervisor for this post is Dr I Wilson-Morkeh.</p>					
Example Timetable					
For example: W/R (Outpatients), MDT, Meetings, X-Ray Conference etc					
	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
AM	WR	WR	WR	Board Round & WR	WR
Lunchtime	WR/Ward Jobs	WR/Ward Jobs	FY1 Teaching	WR/Ward jobs	WR/Ward jobs
PM	Ward jobs	Ward jobs	Ward jobs	Ward jobs	Ward jobs
Educational Activities:					
<p>3 months on Haematology ward: as above and reviewing known haematology patients with a view in deciding if they need admission. Occasionally you will clerk patients in A&E. 1 week biochemistry: you learn how blood samples are processed in the laboratory and the job of the clinical biochemist, regarding vetting requests and reporting abnormal blood results. 3 weeks microbiology: 1 week in the lab learning how samples are processed and cultures are carried out. 2 weeks with consultant microbiologists on MAU/ITU/Haematology ward rounds, calling doctors to report positive culture results and offer micro advice.</p>					
Other Comments (if appropriate):					
<p>Well- supported rotation with consultant and registrar-led daily ward rounds. Occasionally you may see patients on your own. However, you always discuss them with seniors who are always accessible. You learn how to manage stable as well as acutely unwell patients. As you develop confidence, you are given more responsibility. There may also be opportunities for audit work in your biochemistry/microbiology month. These teams are very willing to teach and you can improve your knowledge significantly during this period.</p> <p>This post has 40% banding.</p>					