

Foundation Job Description

Foundation School (Delete as appropriate)		Programme No. (eg. L006 OR T102)*:			
LNR		L057			
Year (Delete as appropriate)	Specialty:	Subspecialty (If appropriate):			
F1	Anaesthetics	Anaesthetics and ITU			
Site:		Trust:			
Northampton General Hospital		Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust			
Main duties:					
<p>A supernumerary post in the anaesthetics and ITU department which provides tremendous experience in dealing with the critically ill patient. Whilst on ITU you work a shift pattern along with the other trainees. There is no on call but there may be some daytime weekend work (fully supervised). You will work under very close senior supervision with an extensive induction programme at the outset. Within reason the post can be tailored to the trainees specific requirements. Time could be spent in theatres learning the fundamentals of airway management, patient monitoring, anaesthesia and recovery from surgery. Perioperative medicine encompasses preoperative assessment, including cardiopulmonary exercise testing and specialist out patient clinics. Acute pain rounds take place twice weekly and are a valuable opportunity for learning on the wards.</p>					
Example Timetable					
For example: W/R (Outpatients), MDT, Meetings, X-Ray Conference etc					
	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
AM					
Lunchtime					
PM					
Educational Activities:					
<p>Teaching is provided daily on the ITU ward rounds and informally in the afternoons. Also daily whilst in theatre or any other activity as described above. Attendance at Trust FY teaching mandatory. Departmental Friday afternoon activity includes M+M and other learning opportunities.</p>					
Other Comments (if appropriate):					
<p>Mandatory training must be completed within the first 2 weeks of the post.</p>					