

# Foundation Placement Description

<b>Foundation School (Delete as appropriate)</b>		<b>Programme No. (eg. L006 OR T102)*:</b>			
Trent		T002			
<b>Year (Delete as appropriate)</b>	<b>Specialty:</b>			<b>Subspecialty (If appropriate):</b>	
F1	General Surgery			Colorectal	
<b>Site:</b>			<b>Trust:</b>		
QMC			Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust		
<b>Main duties:</b>					
<p><b>Emergency on-call:</b></p> <p>(a) clerking and managing new admissions;</p> <p>(b) arranging and interpreting diagnostic investigations;</p> <p>(c) attending twice daily emergency consultant ward rounds</p> <p>(d) assisting in theatre when required</p> <p><b>Elective and emergency inpatients:</b></p> <p>(a) pre-clerking elective patients including organising relevant pre-op investigations in conjunction with anaesthetist (three sessions per week)</p> <p>(b) attending daily morning business rounds</p> <p>(c) arranging and interpreting diagnostic investigations; (d) assisting in theatre when required</p> <p>On call arrangements: Surgery on call is not part of the hospital at night scheme. General surgery on call includes two F1s on-call on long days 7 days a week (1 in 4) and two F1 on-call nights 7 days a week with support from FY2s, CT and ST trainees.</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>	Ward Round (8-9.30am)	Ward Round (8-9.30am)	Ward Round (8-9.30am)	Ward Round (8-9.30am)	Ward Round (8-9.30am)
<b>Lunchtime</b>					
<b>PM</b>					
<b>Educational Activities:</b>					
<p>Weekly F1 teaching session which can be accessed at either the City on Thursday lunchtime or the QMC Campus on Tuesday lunchtime. Study leave is facilitated.</p> <p>There are opportunities to participate in quality improvement and patient safety activities.</p> <p>Generic Learning outcomes you should be able to achieve in this job:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Professional Behaviour &amp; Trust: Act professionally; deliver patient centred care and maintain trust; behave in accordance with ethical &amp; legal requirements; keep practice up to date through learning and teaching; demonstrate engagement in career planning.</li> <li>2. Communication, team working and Leadership: Communicate clearly in a variety of settings; work effectively as a team member; demonstrate leadership skills.</li> <li>3. Clinical Care: Recognise, assess and initiate management of the acutely ill patient; recognise, assess and manage patients with long term conditions; obtain history, perform clinical examination, formulate differential diagnosis and management plans; request relevant investigations and act upon results; prescribe safely; perform procedures safely; trained to and manage cardiac and respiratory arrests; demonstrate understanding of the principles of health promotion and illness prevention; manage palliative and end of life care.</li> <li>4. Safety and Quality: Recognise and work within limits of personal competence; make patient safety a priority in clinical practice; contribute to quality improvement.</li> </ol>					
<b>Other Comments (if appropriate):</b>					

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

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