

Foundation Placement Description

Foundation School (Delete as appropriate)		Programme No. (eg. L006 OR T102)*:			
Trent		T089			
Year (Delete as appropriate)	Specialty:			Subspecialty (If appropriate):	
F2	Endocrinology and Diabetes Mellitus				
Site:			Trust:		
Nottingham City Hospital			Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust		
Main duties:					
<p>Monday to Friday. Attend daily senior ward rounds followed by ward work which includes: Admitting and clerking acute foot emergencies. Antibiotic prescribing and initial management plan for patients and regular liaison with a multiprofessional team (Vascular and orthopaedic surgeons, radiology, diabetes specialist nurses, chiropodists, orthotics, plastering technicians, physio and occupational therapists). There is a specific focus on diabetes patients with complex co morbidities and health needs (Diabetic Foot and Renal Disease). On call requirements: There is no dedicated on call for Diabetes and Endocrinology. Foundation trainees take part in the Hospital at Night rota which covers a variety of medical wards at Nottingham City Hospital. You will work in a team of foundation trainees, core medical trainees and specialist trainees. Hospital at Night shifts are a mixture of nights (21.30-09.30), weekend days (09.00-17.00) and long days (09.00-22.00) with an average of 10 nights in the 4 months (e.g. one week of nights Monday-Thursday and 2 weekend nights Friday to Sunday).</p>					
Example Timetable					
For example: W/R (Outpatients), MDT, Meetings, X-Ray Conference etc					
	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
AM	Ward Round/ Ward work	Ward Round/ Ward work	Orthopaedic Ward Round/Ward work	Ward Round/Micro MDT	Ward Round/Ward work
Lunchtime		Grand round			MDT teaching
PM	Ward work	Ward work/F2 teaching at PGEC 14.00 - 17.00 alternate Tuesdays	Ward work	Ward work	Ward work
Educational Activities:					
<p>You will gain skills in sepsis management, chronic disease management (Diabetes and renal disease), safe prescribing (Insulin and antibiotics) and MDT working. There are good opportunities for work based assessments to cover all FY2 generic requirements. Dedicated F2 teaching in addition to grand rounds and specialist weekly teaching. Trainees are released to attend mandatory F2 teaching and study leave is facilitated. 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"> 1. Professional Behaviour & Trust: Act professionally; deliver patient centred care and maintain trust; behave in accordance with ethical & legal requirements; keeps practice up to date through learning and teaching; demonstrate engagement in career planning. 2. Communication, team working and Leadership: Communicate clearly in a variety of settings; work effectively as a team member; demonstrate leadership skills. 3. Clinical Care: Recognise, assess and initiate manage the acutely ill patient; recognise, assesses 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. 4. Safety and Quality: Recognise and work within limits of personal competence; make patient safety a priority in clinical practice; contribute to quality improvement. 					
Other Comments (if appropriate):					
Clinical Supervisor: Dr Chokkalingam					

*can be found on the Trent/LNR Allocations Spreadsheet

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