

# Foundation Job Description

<b>Foundation School (Delete as appropriate)</b>		<b>Programme No. (eg. L006 OR T102)*:</b>			
Trent		T100			
<b>Year (Delete as appropriate)</b>	<b>Specialty:</b>			<b>Subspecialty (If appropriate):</b>	
F1	Old Age Psychiatry				
<b>Site:</b>			<b>Trust:</b>		
Walton Hospital			Chesterfield Royal Hospital NHS Foundation Trust		
<b>Main duties:</b>					
<p><b>Personal Responsibilities</b>                  Derbyshire Healthcare NHS FT has a service level agreement with Derbyshire Community Health Services which is responsible for Walton Hospital. It is important therefore to familiarise yourself with the policies and procedures at DCHS, particularly those relating to personal and patient safety and the prevention of healthcare associated infections.</p> <p>A list of essential policies and procedures will be provided.</p> <p>It is important that there is compliance with policies for hand hygiene, use of personal protective equipment and safe disposal of sharps</p>					
<p><b>Main duty of placement</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day to day care and management of patients with both acute and chronic problems</li> <li>• Urgent jobs on the ward in association with other medical colleagues.</li> <li>• Clinical method (history taking, patient assessment and examination and differential diagnosis).</li> <li>• Presentation of patient information in multidisciplinary meetings.</li> <li>• Undertake effective handover to ensure continuity of patient care.</li> <li>• In conjunction with medical colleagues development of management plans for patients.</li> <li>• Arrange diagnostic tests and investigations for patients and checking and actioning results.</li> <li>• Working with the multidisciplinary team making appropriate use of the skills of nurses and occupational therapists.</li> <li>• Liaison with wider hospital services and departments including laboratory, pharmacy, pain and infection control teams.</li> <li>• Ensuring treatment and investigative schedules are implemented and reviewed.</li> <li>• Completion of timely and accurate documentation including discharge summaries.</li> </ul> <p>Providing teaching for medical students when they are allocated to us</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>	Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work	Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work	Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work	Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work	Supervision Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work
<b>Lunchtime</b>					
<b>PM</b>	Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work	Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work	1-2pm Mandatory Teaching Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work	Teaching Programme Junior Doctors Forum	Linacre/Melbourne Ward Work
<b>Educational Activities:</b>					
<p>The on site Education Centre at Chesterfield Royal Hospital provides a multifunctional learning environment and has extensive facilities for meetings and lectures. It also hosts a busy programme of educational events and activities aimed at all staff groups. Trainee will be expected to attend the mandatory F1 training and the Trust teaching.</p> <p>The clinical trainers, educational supervisors and the postgraduate department will work to ensure that the training experience is of high quality and that the application of competency assessments is consistent and reliable.</p>					
<b>Other Comments (if appropriate):</b>					
<p><b>Learning Opportunity:</b> There is a caseload of around 24 old age inpatients.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You will undertake day to day care and management of patients under the supervision of a CT doctor and consultant. Travel will be necessary.</li> <li>• You will develop the skills of history taking, physical examination, appropriate investigation and rational prescribing.</li> <li>• Develop communication skills with patients, relatives and colleagues and learn how to work within an MDT</li> <li>• Develop skills in managing time and conflicting priorities.</li> <li>• Have exposure to ethical issues surrounding treatment of patients.</li> </ul> <p>Support in completing clinical audits.</p> <p><b>Supervision:</b> Weekly timetabled sessions with Dr J R Sykes/Dr V M Whittingham</p>					
<p><b>*Can be found on the Trent/LNR Allocation Spreadsheet</b></p>					
<p><b>Disclaimer: Please note that the placement information provided is subject to change.</b></p>					