

West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Good Hope Hospital

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| Placement | FY1 Geriatric Medicine/GIM |
| The department | Elderly Care |
| The type of work to expect and learning opportunities | Ward work and on-call duties of elderly care patients, general medical and stroke rehabilitation patients. Elderly care are based on Wards, 21 (Frailty Unit,) Ward 24 (Stroke Unit) Wards, 9, 11 & 12. Duties include managing frail elderly with complex medical problems. Managing delirium and dementia. Managing falls. Learning role of MDT particularly in relation to safe discharge. Ward based patient MDT meetings. Regular MDT weekly educational meetings. Outpatient clinics. Attendance at weekly F1 educational meetings, weekly medical hot case and weekly grand round. Medical on-call duties. |
| Where the placement is based | Good Hope Hospital |
| Supervisor(s) for the placement | Dr Byravan, Dr Henry, Dr Vaquas, Dr Bamodu, Dr Shameen, Dr Singh |
| Main duties of the placement | Ward work, acute medical admissions and on-call cover of general medical and elderly ward patients. |
| Typical working pattern in this placement | <p>Typical working pattern in this post e.g. ward rounds, clinics, theatre sessions</p> <p>Am Pm</p> <p>Mon Ward Rounds 2-4pm Educational MDT Meeting</p> <p>Tues Ward Rounds 2 - 4pm</p> <p>Weds Ward Rounds F1 Teaching</p> <p>Falls Clinic * 1-2pm Hot Case and PM Ward Work</p> <p>Falls Clinic * and Parkinson's Clinic *</p> <p>Thurs Ward Rounds</p> <p>TIA Clinic * 1-2pm Grand Round, 2 – 4pm General Elderly Clinic + / Ward Work</p> <p>Fri Ward Rounds</p> <p>TIA Clinic * Ward Work/Weekend Handover x 1 or 2 during post + x 1 or 2 during post</p> |
| Employer information | <p>Heartlands, Good Hope and Solihull hospitals (HGS) are now part of University Hospitals Birmingham Foundation Trust, one of the largest foundation Trusts in the country, HGS have over 11,000 employees providing general and specialist hospital and community care for the people of East Birmingham, Solihull, Sutton Coldfield, Tamworth and South Staffordshire. We pride ourselves on having services at the heart of our communities.</p> <p>HGS (part of UHB) hospitals include Birmingham Heartlands Hospital, Solihull Hospital, Good Hope Hospital and Birmingham Chest Clinic. We also provide community health services across the borough of Solihull and run a number of smaller satellite units.</p> |

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| | Education and training is undertaken in the Faculty of Education, which has some of the best facilities in the UK including state-of the-art lecture theatres and meeting rooms. All supervisors are well trained and there is intensive monitoring of delivery standards. The senior postgraduate education team is one of the most experienced in the UK. |
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It is important to note that this description is a typical example of your placement and may be subject to change.