

West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Heartlands Hospital

Placement	FY1 General Psychiatry	
The department		
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	This post is part of the Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health Trust and offers excellent training in both hospital and community based psychiatry.	
	Formal Training Opportunities	Informal Training Opportunities
	foundation training programme in psychiatry	outpatient clinics
		long stay nursing home
		old age in patient ward liaison
Where the placement is based	B'ham & Solihull Mental Health	
Supervisor(s) for the placement	Professor G Tadros	
Main duties of the placement	Assessments of patients, review and discussion of cases, referral to appropriate services	
Typical working pattern in this placement	MDT in morning, assessments, ward rounds and other clinical work for rest of morning and afternoon.	
Employer information	<p>Heart of England Foundation Trust is one of the largest foundation trusts in the country, with 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>Our 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> <p>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.</p>	

It is important to note that this description is a typical example of your placement and may be subject to change.