

## **West Midlands Central Foundation School**

Individual Placement Description – Heartlands Hospital

Placement	FY1 Renal Medicine	
The department	Renal	
The type of work	Ward based duties, complete the ward round, complete jobs from the ward	
to expect and	round, assess the sick patients. Also acute medicine on call.	
learning		
opportunities	Formal Training Opportunities	Informal Training Opportunities
		OP clinics/week in GIM and renal
	Foundation training programme weekly	medicine
		insertion of dialysis catheters -
	weekly grand round	temporary and permanent
	weekly journal club	daily consultant ward rounds
	weekly renal teaching	involvement in renal KQUiP projects
	monthly renal pathology meeting	AKI and renal research opportunities
Where the	Birmingham Heartlands Hospital	
placement is		
based		
Supervisor(s) for	Jyoti Baharani, Indranil Dasgupta, Husham Rasheed, Vijayan Suresh, Robert	
the placement	Temple & Mark Thomas	
Main duties of the	General medicine wards work (There is NO renal medicine involved in this	
placement	placement). Ward rounds, taking bloods, general paper work, complex discharge planning, meeting with families and social workers to arrange discharge.	
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Typical working	9-5 Shifts On-call shifts (9-9 days and nights)	
pattern in this	FY1 Teaching at Heartlands Education Centre Tuesday PM	
placement	FY2 Teaching at Heartlands Education Centre Wednesday PM	
	Medical Clinical Meeting Thursday Heartlands Education Centre	
	Departmental Teaching	
Employer	Heartlands, Good Hope and Solihull hospitals (HGS) are now part of University	
information	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. 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. 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.	

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