

West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Heartlands Hospital

Placement	FY1 Vascular Surgery	
The department	Vascular	
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	Clerking and admission in SAU, Ward Cover, Junior Doctor ward work and surgical work	
	Formal Training Opportunities	Informal Training Opportunities
	Tuesday afternoon foundation program teaching	Daily consultant led ward rounds
	Day afternoon departmental teaching and MDT	Monday Wednesday Friday clinics
		Every day theatre lists
		Daily assessing acute admissions and presenting to consultant
		Daily consultant led ward rounds
Where the placement is based	Birmingham Heartlands Hospital	
Supervisor(s) for the placement	Martin Claridge, Mark Gannon, Mark Scriven & Teun Wilmink	
Main duties of the placement	Ward work, manage peri-op patients	
Typical working pattern in this placement	Ward rounds, clinics and theatre FY1 Teaching at Heartlands Education Centre Tuesday PM FY2 Teaching at Heartlands Education Centre Wednesday PM Medical Clinical Meeting Thursday Heartlands Education Centre Departmental Teaching	
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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.