

## West Midlands North Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Burton Hospital

<b>Placement</b>	FY1 General Surgery
<b>The department</b>	General Surgery
<b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b>	<p>Attending to emergency surgical admissions including urology and breast. Detailed clerking and examination, request relevant investigations and commence appropriate medication. All done under supervision by surgical registrar. Performing ward round and reviewing emergency admissions with the on call consultant and team. Attending to unwell patients in the ward and discussing appropriate management with the seniors.</p> <p>Daily ward rounds with registrar and consultants to review Non-emergency elective admissions and post-op patients. Helping out in emergency/elective theatres.</p> <p>Learn to diagnose emergency surgical cases and their management. Management of acutely unwell patients. Performing minor ward based procedures and gaining experience. When in theatre they learn suturing techniques, local anesthetic infiltration and holding the Laproscope for the operating surgeon.</p> <p>Teaching during ward rounds, in theatre. Formal Departmental teaching sessions fortnightly.</p>
<b>Where the placement is based</b>	Burton Hospital
<b>Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>	Mr Pradeep Thomas, Mr Stelios Vakis, Mr Colin Rogers, Mr Himaz Marzook, Mr George Delves, Mr Sikandar Khwaja, Mr Shashank Kulkarni & Miss Jyoti Shah.
<b>Main duties of the placement</b>	<p>Attending to emergency surgical admissions including urology and breast. Detailed clerking and examination, request relevant investigations and commence appropriate medication. All done under supervision by surgical registrar. Performing ward round and reviewing emergency admissions with the on call consultant and team. Attending to unwell patients in the ward and discussing appropriate management with the seniors.</p> <p>Daily ward rounds with registrar and consultants to review Non-emergency elective admissions and post-op patients. Helping out in emergency/elective theatres.</p> <p>Learn to diagnose emergency surgical cases and their management. Management of acutely unwell patients. Performing minor ward based procedures and gaining experience. When in theatre they learn suturing techniques, local anesthetic infiltration and holding the Laproscope for the operating surgeon.</p>
<b>Typical working pattern in this placement</b>	Full shift. 1:9 Rota
<b>Employer information</b>	Burton Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

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