

West Midlands North Foundation School Individual Placement Description – Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust

Placement	FY1 General Psychiatry
The department	
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	You will attend an Induction Course for trainees new to Psychiatry and we hold regular medical and clinical audit meetings, a journal club and case presentation meetings. The Trust has an excellent, well-stocked clinical library at the Redwoods Centre with good IT facilities and 24-hour swipe-card access for registered users.
	FY1 teaching takes place cross-site every week from 2.30pm to 5pm (bleep-free unless on-call).FY1s are also required to attend Simulation Training during their FY1 year
Where the placement is based	Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust
Supervisor(s) for the placement	Dr Radja – Old Age Psychiatry post Dr Lock – RAID post Dr Bassett – In Patient Psychiatry post Dr Choo – In Patient Psychiatry post
Main duties of the placement	There are 4 Psychiatry posts within Shrewsbury & Telford Hospital – posts are based at the Redwoods Centre (on Royal Shrewsbury Hospital site) or within the Trust.
	Posts are coordinated by South Staffordshire & Shropshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust, some rotations will require cross site / community travel.
	Duties to include:- (this list is not exhaustive and can be changed / updating according to service needs)
	<u>Old Age Psychiatry post</u> A Foundation Year 1 trainee in old age psychiatry will see a wide range of psychiatric problems in an inpatient setting at the Redwoods Centre. There is a strong focus on the interaction between physical and psychiatric conditions. You will work under consultant supervision, alongside a GPVTS trainee and a Multidisciplinary team.
	You will attend an Induction Course for trainees new to Psychiatry and we hold regular medical and clinical audit meetings, a journal club and case presentation meetings.

	In Patient Psychiatry Acute inpatient psychiatry on mixed admission ward. Working closely with inpatient Consultant and MDT based on the ward, plus liaison with community mental health teams.
	Opportunities for broader experience in psychiatry: including spending time with general hospital psychiatry liaison team, Crisis resolution and Home Treatment team and community outpatient clinics.
	Opportunities to observe ECT and Mental Health ACT assessments and Tribunals.
	Opportunities for informal with ward Consultant. Weekly supervision of 1 hour with Consultant clinical supervisor.
	<u>RAID post</u> Working with a team of experienced nurses and a Consultant Psychiatrist and Psychologist shadowing assessments on referrals for older people with dementia depression and delirium and assessment of self harm and personality disorders.
	Exposure to the mental health act and capacity act.
Typical working pattern in this placement	Some posts have on-call commitments – will rotas will be issued where necessary on appointment
Employer information	Please note that due to Trust reconfiguration our posts may change hospital site/specialty/on-call frequency during 2017/2018.
	Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust was formed in 2003 and is the main provider of acute medical care for half a million people in Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin and Mid Wales.
	Most services are provided at the Princess Royal Hospital in Telford and the Royal Shrewsbury Hospital in Shrewsbury.

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