

West Midlands North Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust

Placement	FY1 General Psychiatry
The department	Psychiatry
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	The Foundation Doctor is attached to Dr Udeze, Consultant Psychiatrist for inpatient older adult services. The Foundation Doctor is based at the Harplands Hospital and will attend Organic and Functional wards; these wards providing services for older adults with complex dementing conditions and functional psychiatric illness. The Foundation Doctor will attend weekly ward rounds and be responsible for reviewing patients throughout the week. This will include attending to both mental health and physical health needs. The Foundation Doctor will receive 1 hour of supervision from the Consultant per week and have the opportunity to attend weekly academic meetings at the Harplands Hospital. The Foundation Doctor will supervise and provide bedside teaching to undergraduate medical students. There is no on-call attached to this post.
Where the placement is based	Harplands Hospital
Supervisor(s) for the placement	Dr B Udeze, Dr S Sridharan & Dr S Jaffer
Main duties of the placement	The Foundation Doctor will be responsible for clerking new admissions and preparing discharge summaries in addition to liaising with primary care and other agencies regarding discharge. The Foundation Doctor will review patients throughout the week so as to update at weekly ward rounds. The Foundation Doctor has additional responsibilities regarding the physical health of inpatients.
Typical working pattern in this placement	Monday-Friday, 9.00am-5.00pm
Employer information	University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust

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