

## West Midlands North Foundation School

### Individual Placement Description – New Cross Hospital

<b>Placement</b>	FY1 Obstetrics & Gynaecology
<b>The department</b>	<p>The gynaecology provides care for all aspects of gynaecological conditions, which includes elective and emergency provision. As the Trust has a Cancer Centre, we provide gynae-oncology services for patients from Wolverhampton, Dudley and Kidderminster.</p> <p>The total number of patients admitted through the directorate is approximately 4,500 emergency, elective and day cases per annum. Outpatient attendance's amount to approximately 17,000 per year, of which 7,000 are new referrals.</p>
<b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b>	<p>Educational opportunities F1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Once a week three hours of combined teaching for all trainees, Tuesday afternoon.</li> <li>• Once a week, two hours of departmental teaching for all junior doctors.</li> <li>• Obstetrics teaching for all junior doctors on Wednesday evenings.</li> <li>• Informal teaching during rounds from several doctors.</li> <li>• All Foundation trainees have dedicated simulation sessions. All episodes are consultant-led and will take place in the newly built Wolverhampton Sim Ward. This new development allows learning to take place in a truly immersive environment</li> </ul>
<b>Where the placement is based</b>	The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust
<b>Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>	Mr M Saeed
<b>Main duties of the placement</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ward rounds with consultant and registrar seeing gynaecology and obstetrics patients.</li> <li>• Putting in Venflons and taking bloods.</li> <li>• Seeing emergencies, performing speculum examinations and taking swabs under supervision.</li> <li>• Attending theatres and assisting consultants. In outpatient antenatal/gynaecology clinics, attending in supervisory capacity.</li> <li>• In four month placement, 1;4 weekend on call covering gynaecology and obstetrics as first on-call.</li> </ul>
<b>Typical working pattern in this placement</b>	The working pattern will depend on the rota commitment. This may include out of hours. Clarification of this can be sought directly from the Trust.
<b>Employer information</b>	<p>The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust is one of the leading acute and community trusts in the region.</p> <p>Employing more than 6,700 staff we provide a comprehensive range of community, acute and specialist services for the people of Wolverhampton, the wider Black Country, South Staffordshire, North Worcestershire and Shropshire.</p> <p>Nationally recognised for providing excellence in healthcare and one of only 7 Trusts in the UK chosen to be a showcase hospital for infection prevention we</p>

	<p>are justifiably proud of our achievements to date.</p> <p>Patient safety and quality of care are at the top of our agenda. We have achieved NHSLA level 3 for all our services.</p>
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It is important to note that this description is a typical example of your placement and may be subject to change.