

## West Midlands North Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust

<b>Placement</b>	FY2 Medicine: Geriatric Medicine
<b>The department</b>	RWT
<b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b>	<p><b>Educational Opportunities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Weekly care of the elderly meeting/teaching with entire team/presentations of selected topics</li> <li>- Weekly FY2 teaching programme</li> <li>- Weekly Medical Grand Round</li> <li>- Ad Hoc bedside teaching as it arises, particularly valuable during acute admissions placement</li> <li>- Dedicated simulation sessions. These will take place in the newly developed Wolverhampton Sim Ward and are consultant-led</li> <li>- Teaching 3rd to 5th Year Medical Students</li> </ul> <p><b>Gain experience in the following additional procedures</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- ABG/venepuncture</li> <li>- Catheterisation</li> <li>- Lumbar Puncture</li> <li>- Knee aspirations</li> <li>- Ascitic taps</li> </ul>
<b>Where the placement is based</b>	Royal Wolverhampton
<b>Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>	D D'Costa, D Leung, S Hutchinson, L King A Oke F Nehikhare
<b>Main duties of the placement</b>	<p>Main duties of the placement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daily review of acute medical patients, diagnosing/planning treatment</li> <li>- Covering acute medical on call admissions</li> <li>- Reviewing medical problems on general medical wards when on ward cover</li> <li>- Writing prescriptions/discharges</li> <li>- Daily MDT huddles and complex discharge planning</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</b>	The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust is one of the leading acute and

<b>information</b>	community trusts in the region. 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. 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 are justifiably proud of our achievements to date. Patient safety and quality of care are at the top of our agenda. We have achieved NHSLA level 3 for all our services.
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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.