

## West Midlands North Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust

<b>Placement</b>	FY2 Otolaryngology
<b>The department</b>	RWT
<b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b>	<p><b>Educational Opportunities</b>  ENT teaching programme weekly  - Induction and practical training using simulators and models  - Excellent hands on experience  - Dedicated simulation sessions. These will take place in the newly developed Wolverhampton Sim Ward and are consultant –led</p> <p><b>Gain experience in</b>  - management of common ENT emergencies e.g. nasal fractures, foreign bodies, haematomas, lacerations, tonsillitis/quinsies, otitis external and medi, sudden deafness, peribrbital cellulitis, stridor, facial nerve palsies  - Post operative management of Tracheostomies, major ear operations (e.g. mastoidectomies), major nasal operations (e.g. FESS), major head and neck cases(e.g. laryngectomies)</p> <p><b>Gain experience in the following additional procedures</b>  - Use of microscope in removal of aural foreign bodies and aural toilet  - Use of nasendoscope for assessment of upper aerodigestive tract  - Remove nasal and ear foreign bodies  - Manage epistaxis - cautery and nasal packing  - Drainage of quinsies  - Drainage of pinna haematomas  - Simple suturing of lacerations  - Change tracheostomy tubes  - Grommet insertion - if applicable  - Tonsillectomies - if applicable</p>
<b>Where the placement is based</b>	Royal Wolverhampton
<b>Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>	Mr J Mathews Mr L Liew
<b>Main duties of the placement</b>	Main duties of the placement - Ward duties - Daily ward rounds with SpR and /or consultant - Assist in theatres - Manage common out-patient ENT emergencies - On-call commitments

<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>	The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust is one of the leading acute and 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.

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