

West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – University Hospitals Coventry and Warwick

Placement	FY2 General Psychiatry
The department	General Psychiatry
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	The trainee will gain experience in communication skills, controlling difficult interviews, communicating with relatives, team-working and working in a multidisciplinary context. The trainee will learn to manage psychiatric emergencies in a variety of settings, and learn the management of common psychiatric conditions including depressive disorders and acute anxiety. Lunchtime meetings are held weekly in both the community and education centre. Dedicated two hour weekly FY2 teaching at UHCW
Where the placement is based	Coventry & Warwickshire Mental Health Trust
Supervisor(s) for the placement	Dr A Malik Dr Smeyatsky
Main duties of the placement	The trainee will be attached to a consultant team working in psychiatry and will participate in the work of the team looking after in-patients, day patients and outpatients. In addition the trainee will contribute to the management of urgent and emergency cases through the crisis team and the assessment of referrals from the general hospital.
Typical working pattern in this placement	The trainee will contribute to the first on-call out of hours cover for adult and old age psychiatry
Employer information	

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