

## West Midlands South Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – Wye Valley NHS Trust, Hereford County Hospital

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| <b>Placement</b>   | FY2 General Practice  |
| <b>The department</b>  | General Practice  |
| <b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b> | You will work alongside GPs in the practice under their close supervision and undertaking most of the work that they do day-to-day, such as seeing patients in surgeries, accompanying the duty doctor on home visits and visits to community hospitals and nursing homes, shadowing the practice and district nurses, dispensers (if the practice dispenses its own medicines), health care assistants, receptionists and other support staff. You may attend educational or management meetings in the surgery and will have personal tutorials as well as ample opportunity to discuss difficult cases. You will have the opportunity to attend weekly FY2 Core Curriculum Teaching. |
| <b>Where the placement is based</b>                          | The GP FY2 posts are distributed amongst rural, Hereford City and market town practices in Herefordshire. In event of a Herefordshire practice being unavailable the GP placement will occur in Worcestershire  |
| <b>Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>                       | ES = you have the same ES for your F2 year.<br>CS = GP  |
| <b>Main duties of the placement</b>                          | This post will give you an unparalleled taste of what work in primary care is like in a county where the standard of General Practice is high.  |
| <b>Typical working pattern in this placement</b>             | During this post you will participate in the medical on call rota working 1 in 4 weekends (day-time working only). This rota is 1 A (50% supplement). You will receive an induction to this element of your post which includes a day shadowing if required.  |
| <b>Employer information</b>                                  | <p>The employer for this placement is Wye Valley NHS Trust, Hereford County Hospital.</p> <p>Wye Valley NHS Trust is a provider of health care across rural Herefordshire bringing together acute and community services.</p> <p>The Trust runs the County Hospital based in the City of Hereford, along with 3 community hospitals in the small nearby towns of Ross-on-Wye, Leominster and Bromyard, we also operate a small 22 bedded unit for patients that are not acutely ill but may need nursing and therapy intervention following their acute illness.</p>  |

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|  | <p>We deliver a standard of care we would want for ourselves, our families and friends.</p> <p>The key principles of Wye Valley NHS Trust are to provide the right care in the right place at the right time... every time.</p> <p>Our vision is to improve the health and wellbeing of the people we serve and our values are important in our everyday work: <b>Compassion, Accountability, Respect, Excellence.</b></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.