

West Midlands South Foundation School

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

Placement	FY2 Respiratory Medicine
The department	The department comprises of 3 respiratory consultants with responsibility for around 25 patients with respiratory conditions, plus supporting the Department of Medicine.
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	You will be working in a team of 3 consultants in Respiratory medicine, a registrar and F1s. Experience can be obtained in Respiratory clinics, Lung function testing, pleural aspiration, insertion of chest drains and sleep studies. The department of medicine offers many learning opportunities - weekly case presentations, x-ray teaching; this is in addition to your generic F2 teaching.
Where the placement is based	Hereford County Hospital
Supervisor(s) for the placement	ES = you will have the same ES throughout your F2 year CS = Consultant Respiratory Medicine
Main duties of the placement	With Registrar support you will provide doctor cover for inpatients under the Respiratory team and accompany the consultant/registrar to review inpatient referrals. You will participate in the acute medical on call with middle grade support.
Typical working pattern in this placement	Rota = 1 A (50% supplement)
Employer information	<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> <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</p>

	<p>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: Compassion, Accountability, Respect, Excellence.</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.