

West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – South Warwickshire General Hospital

Placement	FY1 Acute Internal Medicine
The department	
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily ward round followed by ward jobs (TTO's, bloods, patient reviews, procedures, liaison with other specialties). • FY1 teaching for 1 hour Mon & Tues. • Daily 10' tutorials on interesting cases • Departmental teaching on Wednesday - registrar/consultant led. • Informal bedside teaching from senior doctors. • Ambulatory Emergency Care reviewing acutely ill patients managed in ambulatory setting. • Opportunity for medical student teaching. • Opportunity to develop competencies in various procedures. • Monthly X-ray teaching. • Grand Round (Friday lunchtime)
Where the placement is based	South Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust
Supervisor(s) for the placement	Dr Amy Daniel
Main duties of the placement	<p>Work as part of the acute medicine team taking responsibility for patient care, expediting investigations and management. Ensure the smooth running of the ward, working alongside the on call team if possible.</p> <p>Take part in peer-led teaching</p> <p>Quality Improvement projects available</p>
Typical working pattern in this placement	Regular hours 08:00-16:00. 8:00 am daily consultant led ward round followed by ward jobs. On-call commitment: work approx. 1:4 weekend on-call (Fri-Sun) and 1:4 week day on-call (Mon-Thurs)
Employer information	<p>Warwick Hospital serves the health needs for a mixed urban/rural population of approximately 270,000 in South Warwickshire and the surrounding areas.</p> <p>A wide range of day case, inpatient, outpatient and maternity services are provided. We provide experience of working in a medium sized, friendly District General Hospital with a good reputation for undergraduate and postgraduate teaching and training.</p> <p>Foundation Year 1 teaching is provided on site in our Postgraduate Education Centre (typically 2 one hour sessions each week).</p>

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