

Foundation Training Job Description

Grade	F1
Placement	Paediatrics
Department	The Post holder will have the unique experience of exposure to Medical Paediatrics and Paediatric Surgery as they rotate through 6 - 8 weeks of each unit (6-8 weeks in Paediatric Medicine and 6-8 weeks in Paediatric Surgery)
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	 To build upon undergraduate education. To gain experience and familiarity in dealing with a wide variety of medical and surgical conditions. To develop the skills of history taking, physical examination, appropriate investigation and rational prescribing. To master several basic medical techniques. To improve communication skills with patients, relatives and colleagues. To develop skills in managing time and conflicting priorities. At the end of the four month period the FY1 will have obtained experience in the following: Diagnosing a wide range of common paediatric and paediatric surgical conditions Treatment of a wide range of common conditions Management of a wide range of common conditions Trainees will be given audit topics to prepare at the start of their work in the department
Where the placement is based	Hull Royal Infirmary
Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement	All Consultant Paediatricians take part in the clinical supervision of trainees.

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Main duties of the placement	Post holder will have the unique opportunity of being first on- call to review all paediatric emergencies.
	You will be involved with pre-assessment of all elective paediatric (surgical) admissions. The post holder will gain experience in Paediatric Intravenous Cannulation, Intravenous fluid management, drug prescriptions in Paediatrics and Immediate discharge letters.
	The post holder will have opportunity to attend theatre operating sessions. You will gain experience in Critical Care Management of paediatric patients.
	There is regular weekly teaching in General Paediatrics and in Paediatric Surgery.
Typical working pattern in this placement	Ward rounds, clinics, theatre sessions Participate in a full shift rota with paediatric trainees. Attending paediatric clinics and theatre.
Employer	Hull and East Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust

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



