

Foundation Training Job Description

Grade	FY1
Placement	Orthopaedics
Department	Trauma and Orthopaedics wards L34,L35, L09, L22 Childrens Orthopaedics ward L41 Spine Surgery wards L24,L25
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	<p>The FY1 will be ward based. The majority of our inpatients are elderly with fragility fractures. They often have a fascinating range of medical co-morbidities.</p> <p>We do also have a number of young adults with traumatic injuries or musculoskeletal infections requiring inpatient care and surgery.</p> <p>Learning opportunities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Daily trauma ward rounds. -Orthogeriatric ward rounds and MDT meetings -Weekly Orthopaedic and Orthogeriatric tutorials. -Care of the frail elderly patient -Pre and post-operative medical management of injured patients -Medical ethics, communication skills (meeting with relatives and breaking bad news). -Opportunity to assist in surgery
Where the placement is based	LGI
Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement	Mr. Nigel Gummerson, Mr. Peter Loughenbury, Mr. Owen Wall, Mr. Mark Philipson, Mr Campbell Maceachern, Mr Adam Lomax
Main duties of the placement	The FY1 will often be the first point of contact for medical management of our Orthopaedic inpatients. The duties of the FY1 include documenting ward rounds, early escalation of concerns to senior colleagues, acting on results of investigations or informing seniors, acting as the patient's advocate, liaising with other specialties.
Typical working pattern in this placement	0745 handover meeting followed by ward round and daily duties on ward. 1:10 full shift.
Employer	Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust

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