Advanced Training/Fellowship (delete as appropriate)
(Specify Module)
Job Description
Full time/LTFT (delete as appropriate)
Start Date: February/August
Tenure: 6/12 (delete as appropriate) months

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Summary of Post:

Advanced level training

General, urological and gynaecological surgery : As a part of general modules:

To be capable of undertaking the perioperative anaesthetic care for a wide variety of complex abdominal surgical cases independently: The case mix would include:

1.Intra-abdominal surgery both laparoscopic and open including complex-lower GI surgery.
2.Urology including laparoscopic and open Nephrectomy.
3.Complex gynaecology including Uro-gynanecology and Gynae-oncology.
4.Peri-operative care medicine including Enhanced recovery Programme.

There are twelve units that form the broad Advanced Level general duties 'block'. It is anticipated that most trainees will wish to spend twelve months completing the minimum learning outcomes in several of the units of training identified within this broad 'block'. The College recognises that some trainees may wish to combine six months of one of the other identified Advanced Level units [e.g. obstetrics or plastics and burns], with six months completing some units from within general duties. Any such combinations are encouraged to allow trainees as much flexibility as possible, whilst taking account of the needs of the NHS. Trainees opting for twelve months of Advanced Level general duties are expected to choose a selection of the units available, as it will be impossible to have gained all the advanced learning outcomes in an indicative twelve month period. Trainees will however, be expected to complete a minimum of two of the units and it is anticipated that the vast majority will complete more than this as many have overlapping competencies [e.g. airway management and ENT, maxillo-facial and dental; orthopaedics and regional anaesthesia; general urological and gynaecological surgery and hepatobiliary]. Elderly patients form an increasing part of anaesthetic caseload across all specialist areas, and emphasis on their care and attendant problems should feature in many subunits of general duties.
The exact number of units completed satisfactorily may depend on a number of factors including: the availability of advanced units in a particular School; the competing needs of individual trainees [this must be dealt with at a School level by the TPD in conjunction with local trainers, College Tutors and the RA]; the trainees clinical abilities [those with excellent abilities in all areas of practice may be able to achieve the learning outcomes in more units than other trainees]. The exact combination, and number, of units each trainee decides to include in their chosen year should be made following discussions with the TPD, RA, College Tutors and Educational Supervisors.

Training objectives

Learning outcomes:

Gain mastery in the delivery of safe and effective perioperative anaesthetic care to patients undergoing complex intra-abdominal surgical procedures including those where pleural breach is anticipated

Gain mastery in the management of major abdominal surgical and in doing so demonstrating the necessary multi-disciplinary leadership, communication and team-working

skills necessary to ensure the care delivered benefits both the patient and the organisation
□□Gain maturity in understanding the importance of utilising the time allocated to clinical sessions effectively, optimising throughput whilst not compromising patient safety
□□Gains the necessary maturity to guide the choice of audit cycles/quality improvement projects in developing practice
□□Becomes familiar with recent developments in perioperative anaesthetic care to this area of practice, to evaluate these developments and to advise colleagues of useful changes in practice

Core clinical learning outcomes*:*

□□***To be capable of undertaking the perioperative anaesthetic care for a wide variety of complex abdominal surgical cases independently; this implies an ability to:***
□ Provide perioperative anaesthetic care to a wide-range of surgical cases performed [including those where pleural breach may occur], demonstrating a fundamental understanding of the problems encountered
□ Show the decision making and organizational skills required of an anaesthetist to manage busy operating sessions that involve patients having major abdominal surgery and ensuring that the care delivered is safe and timely, benefiting both the patient and the organisation
□ Assist colleagues in decisions about the suitability of surgery in difficult situations
□ Provide teaching to less experienced colleagues of all grades

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Person Specification

REQUIREMENTS	**ESSENTIAL**	**DESIRABLE**
Qualifications	FRCA MBBS or equivalent	
Clinical Experience	Completion of Intermediate and higher modules of training	
Clinical Audit and Research	Evidence of active participation in Audits and QIP projects. Understanding of basic principles of research	Training in QIP Training in research skills and GCP Presentations at regional national and international

		conferences.
Teaching Experience	Evidence of experience in teaching Enthusiasm in engaging with organisation of Departmental and Deanery teaching programmes.	Higher qualification in medical education.
Management and Administrative Experience	Takes the initiative in: Demonstrating the efficient use of resources and encouraging others to do the same Identifying and reporting any significant deficiency of resources Contributing to discussions and planning for service and facilities development Understands the central role of the patient and the public in determining directions and priorities in service development Plans their work efficiently so that they can accomplish the targets they have set themselves and meet institutional objectives Commits to the objectives of their team, of their hospital and to the national planning of healthcare	
Other Attributes		

Full Details of the post
Hospital details Department of anaesthesia Sub specialty details Teaching and Training General information about the trust and area

Employment Information
Advanced Training/Fellowship programme Teaching:To attend deanery Post-fellowship teaching On call arrangements Leave

Application and Visiting Information – Contact person for visit – Name and contact details