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|  | **Region (Deanery) Name** | Yorkshire and Humber | |
|  | **Title of post**  **Type of Training & duration of post** | * DCT3 (Academic) Oral Medicine, Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology * 12 months | |
|  | **Training unit/locations** | Leeds Dental Institute | |
|  | **Rotational Post information**  **and Duration** | * 50:50 split Oral Med : DMR * All work at LDI * No specialty weighting | |
|  | **Full address of unit/s where training is based** | Leeds Dental Institute, Worsley Building, The, Clarendon Way, Leeds LS2 9LU | |
|  | **Travel Commitment** | * N/A | |
|  | **Name of Educational Supervisor, if known** | Rhian Gahan | |
|  | **Contact details for Educational Supervisor** | r.gahan@nhs.net | |
|  | **Description of training post** | This post offers exposure and experience in the additional dental specialties of Oral Medicine and Dental & Maxillofacial Radiology. There will be some flexibility in the rota if you have a particular interest in one specialty. Oral Medicine and Dental & Maxillofacial Radiology sessions are undertaken in Leeds Dental Institute.  Oral Medicine consultant clinics are run either face to face or via telephone consultations. The patients are a mix of new referrals and follow up reviews and there is direct senior support on clinics. Responsibilities of the DCT include history taking and requesting and following up any necessary investigations including blood tests, MRI, USS, biopsies, plain film x-rays and CBCT. You will also have the opportunity to undertake biopsy lists with around 6 patients on each list. By the end of your rotation you will feel more confident managing routine oral medicine conditions and will have gained valuable insight and exposure to uncommon and complex cases. The post also offers an opportunity to be involved in the paediatric-oral medicine MDT monthly clinics.  In Radiology you will develop your skills in reporting plain film radiographs and CBCT scans with consultant support. You will have the opportunity to train in diagnostic sialography and to attend ultrasound lists and gain an understanding of the use of ultrasound in the diagnosis of lumps and bumps in the head and neck. Attendance at monthly salivary gland MDT meetings provide an insight into the management of complex benign salivary gland disease.  As an academic trainee, you will have one day assigned to academic work and completion of a PG Cert in Health Research which will equip you with the necessary knowledge and skills required in research. Opportunities to join an established research group and actively contribute to a research project are available.  Support is provided to engage in all aspects of clinical governance including audits, service evaluations and other projects.  Overall, the hospital environment and teams including consultants, specialty registrars and associate specialists are all very supportive, friendly and approachable and this contributes to an enjoyable and rewarding training experience. | |
|  | **Suitable for Temporary Registrant?** |  | **NO** |
|  | **Primary Care element**  **Performer Number required?** |  | **NO** |
|  | **Pattern of working including any on-call commitment** | * Academic day (Tuesday TBC) * Oral Medicine clinics 3-4 per week * DMR reporting 3-4 sessions per week * Admin 1 session per week | |
|  | **Educational programme**  **summary** | <https://www.yorksandhumberdeanery.nhs.uk/dentistry/study-day-programmes> | |
|  | **Employment Details** |  | |
|  | **Employer** | Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust | |
|  | **Contact email for applicant queries referring to post** | r.gahan@nhs.net | |
|  | **Link to relevant webpages** | <https://www.leedsth.nhs.uk/> | |