

Foundation Training Job Description

Grade	F2
Placement	Intensive Care Unit
Department	<p>You will work in the ICU / GHDU. The ICU department offers exposure to a wide variety of Surgical and Medical pathologies. The ICU and GHDU all work together closely to offer critical care to patients.</p> <p>The Unit is a 10 bedded General Intensive Care Unit.</p>
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. • To recognise and resuscitate the critically unwell patient.
Where the placement is based	Castle Hill Hospital
Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement	All consultants take part in Clinical Supervision of the trainee.
Main duties of the placement	<p>The post-holder will work 1 in 7 full shift rota and will be involved with care of patients with multiple organ failure on a daily basis. You will also gain experience in regular multidisciplinary decision making between intensivists and most Specialties in the trust. You will admit and arrange discharge of patients in ICU.</p> <p>Post holder will also review patients on th wards who may</p>

	<p>require ICU admission. You will accompany patients who require transfer out of ICU. The post holder will gain experience in Invasive Lines (arterial & CVP), tracheostomies, Fiberoptic bronchoscope, Intubation / Extubation, Ventilators and Harmofiltration and advanced Cardiovascular and Respiratory support.</p> <p>Supervision is provided in daytime by Consultant intensivists and out of hours by Registrars. The post offers unique opportunity to appreciate the breadth of respiratory support techniques and invasive procedures including flexible fibre optic bronchoscopy. The doctor should gain understanding of end of life care pathway. You will have the opportunity to accompany the Outreach Team nurses on the ward rounds. You will also attend all cardiac arrest calls in Castle Hill.</p>
<p>Typical working pattern in this placement</p>	<p>Typical working pattern in this post e.g. ward rounds, clinics, theatre sessions</p>
<p>Employer</p>	<p>Hull and East Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust</p>

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