

# Foundation Training Job Description

Grade	F2
Placement	Paediatrics
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	Assessing new pt. in the “Children’s Assessment and Treatment unit (CAT unit). There is always senior cover (Consultant or Middle Grade) for advice and to discuss pt. This is an excellent place to complete SLEs. Also, ward rounds with a consultant or middle grade dr - again an opportunity to complete SLEs (esp. mini-CEX). Obtain skills that are mandatory as part of Foundation training - pt. centered, holistic care. As well as the usual skills of cannulation and venepuncture, most trainees get a chance at doing a lumbar puncture and participate in Simulation Sessions. Trainees are allocated to attend 2 full days of clinics every 14 weeks.
Where the placement is based	Leeds Children’s Hospital, LGI
Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement	Dr Ragbir Thethy
Main Duties of the placement	Participating in a 1 in 14 full shift rota, which includes nights and twilights. Usual service requirements of any post: ward work, liaising with colleagues in other specialties and hospitals, seeing acutely sick children and clerking in new pt, composing discharge summaries and requesting investigation. Being responsible for pt in a designated area.
Typical working pattern in this placement	If not on a long day for either CAT or the wards then the usual day consist of consultant led ward round in the morning followed by either completing jobs from the round and re-assessing pt or time in the CAT unit seeing new and assessing pts. If staffing permits, it is possible to attend clinics.
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.