

Foundation Training Job Description

Grade	Foundation Year 2
Placement	General Practice
Department	Practices approved for F2 training in South Yorkshire offer a full range of primary health care services to their patients in a wide variety of settings.
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	The Department of Health, through its policy of Modernising Medical Careers, has set out the educational content of the two year foundation programme to be pursued by newly qualified doctors in the United Kingdom. A curriculum has been set out describing the key knowledge, skills and attitudes that must be achieved by junior doctors before they progress onto specialist training.
	The Postgraduate Dean has confirmed that these posts have the required education and staffing approval. All of the rotations will run in association with Deanery staff, who will support a structured appraisal and assessment process that will allow successful applicants to make the most use of available opportunities. Ten mandatory educational days are included in the Foundation Programme.
	The GMC emphasise that it is a duty of all doctors to be involved in the education and training of doctors at all levels, including undergraduate level.
	In more recent years emphasis has been placed on the need for doctors to be trained in educational approaches in order to prepare them for their role as an educator in the future.
	Foundation training is about gaining generic skills which can be applied across all specialties and throughout an entire career.
Where the placement is based	Parkgate Medical Practice, Clifton Medical Centre or Stag Medical Practice

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	Health Education England
Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for	The Educational Supervisor of your first post Will maintain
the placement	that role for the duration of your F1 Programme.
	The Clinical Supervision will be confirmed by the Trust prior
	to the commencement of the post
Main duties of the placement	The F2 will be attached to a single practice within South Yorkshire for the duration of the 4-month post and will be expected to integrate fully into the practice team. The F2 will undertake surgeries, clinics, visits and administrative duties as appropriate to his/her level of competency. Debriefing sessions will take place after surgeries, and formal teaching sessions will occur weekly, usually on a 1 to 1 basis with the supervising trainer. There will also be the opportunity to negotiate day release to another health care area in order to pursue a personal medical education objective.
Typical working pattern in this placement	The rotations are 3 x 4 month rotations between various specialties.
	The F2 will not undertake on-call or out of hours work during this placement.
Employer	The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust

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

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