

Foundation Training Job Description



Grade	FY2
Placement	Adult Cardiac Surgery
Department	Adult Cardiac Surgery
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Preoperative assessment and diagnosis of patients coming in for adult cardiac surgery 2. Postoperative management of cardiac surgical patients 3. To watch and assist adult cardiac surgical operations including coronary artery, valve and aortic surgery 4. Management of immediate postoperative care and care of the acutely unwell patients in cardiac surgical intensive care 5. Attending outpatient clinic and learning about history taking, cardiac examination, preoperative investigations (including chest X-ray, ECG, echocardiogram, coronary angiogram, CT scans of chest and aorta, MR scans, etc), indications of surgery, discussion of surgical operations with the patient, outcomes of surgery, surgical risk and consent process. 6. Adult cardiac surgical FY2 doctors cross-cover cardiology so there are ample opportunities to learn about cardiology diagnosis and management of common cardiological conditions including ischaemic heart disease, valve disease, heart failure and cardiac rhythm abnormalities including common arrhythmias. FY2 doctors will get to spend time on cardiology wards, CCU and cath labs. 7. There are several 8 AM MDTs for coronary and valve diseases on Monday, Wed, Thursdays and 1 PM MDTs everyday except

	Thursdays on acute coronary and valve referrals, including endocarditis
Where the placement is based	Leeds General Infirmary, Jubilee Wing
Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement	Pankaj Kaul
Main duties of the placement	13% days will be the “clinic days” which will be spent in OP clinic, theatre or SICU. These are entirely dedicated to learning. 77% of the days will be spent in cardiac surgical or cardiology wards and HOBBS bay. These have dual learning and service components
Typical working pattern in this placement	Standard Shift: 8 AM to 4 PM (33%) On-call shift: 8AM to 8 PM (33%) Night: 8PM to 8 AM (8%) “Clinic Day”: 13% Twilight: 3 PM to 11 PM (4%) AL: 9%
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.