

Foundation Training Job Description

Grade	F1
Placement	Old Age psychiatry – inpatient dementia unit
Department	Ward G1 is an 16 bedded dementia assessment and treatment ward. The patients usually have very severe Behavioural & Psychiatric Symptoms of Dementia (BPSDs). The ward has a very high and complex level of clinical activity.
The type of work to expect and learning opportunities	<p>Responsibilities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Day to day care of all patients (admissions clerking & assessments, clinical review of physical health concerns, legible notes in medical records, prescribing, requesting investigations and actioning results). • Attending the twice weekly multidisciplinary team meeting. • Input into discharge planning – arranging discharge medications and writing discharge letters. • Being compliant with mandatory training requirements. • Attendance at FY1 teaching and ‘away days’. • Attendance at weekly trust teaching on Wednesday morning. • Attendance at weekly balint group. • Learning on the job – informal teaching from peers. • Participation in delivering teaching to other MDT members.
Where the placement is based	G1 Ward, Grenoside Grange Hospital Saltbox Lane Grenoside, Sheffield S35 8QS

Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement	Dr Claire Pocklington
Main duties of the placement	The FY1 doctor attached to Old Age Psychiatry will be based on the inpatient dementia ward (G1). They will work as part of a multidisciplinary team, providing most of the medical input. Main duties include clerking in new admissions, which includes assessment of their physical health status, assessing and managing physical health concerns of existing patients, attending the weekly multidisciplinary team meetings, completing discharge paperwork. They will share responsibility for patients with the FY2 doctor.
Typical working pattern in this placement	The standard working week for the FY1 is 09:00 to 17:00 Monday to Friday. The role has no on-call responsibilities.
Employer	Sheffield Health and Social Care NHS Foundation Trust

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