

# Foundation Training

## Job Description

<b>Grade</b>	Foundation Year 1
<b>Placement</b>	Community Healthcare (with Urology on-call at Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust)
<b>Department</b>	Community Paediatrics, Children and Young People's Mental Health Services, and Urology on-call (LTHT).
<b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b>	<p>Leeds Community Healthcare NHS Trust delivers services in or close to people's homes and work with the whole family. Our 3,000 strong workforce includes nurses, therapists, pharmacists, non-registered and registered clinical staff - all supported by our corporate head office.</p> <p>We often work in partnership with other parts of the NHS including social care providers, the criminal justice system and the charity/voluntary sector. We always aim to create joined up services which give people the care and support they need. We also provide some very specialised services across the Yorkshire and the Humber area.</p> <p>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</p>



	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Foundation training is about gaining generic skills which can be applied across all specialties and throughout an entire career.</p>
<b>Where the placement is based</b>	Leeds Community Healthcare NHS Trust
<b>Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>	Dr Farah Chaudhry – Director of Medical Education  Dr Jonathan Barrett  Dr Rushna Raza



## Main duties of the placement

Day to day management of patients under consultant care.

This is a joint role with on call duties in Surgical Urology with Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust. F1 duties are mainly centered on the wards with occasional attendance in the operating theatres. F1s may be expected to attend out-patients clinics.

F1s are responsible for the clerking of patients on admission and the initial arrangements for the routine management of these patients including:

- history taking, examination and differential diagnosis.

Communicate effectively with other Trust staff, patients and relatives after training disclosure of bad news.

Arrange initial simple investigations and following discussion with senior staff organise more complex investigations.

F1s are responsible for some prescribing under supervision.

Discharge planning

- F1s are required to complete a brief discharge note for the patients' general practitioner at the time of the patients' discharge from service or hospital.

Attendance at mandatory trust and deanery training sessions (including induction). The number of mandatory training days is 5 days.

Maintaining portfolio of evidence of training in line with the foundation training programme.

The cover of colleagues on annual leave



	<p>and short-term sickness.</p> <p>Any other duties commensurate with the grade which may be allocated from time to time.</p> <p>Foundation Doctors should be advised that they will also be required to perform duties in occasional emergencies and unforeseen circumstances at the request of the appropriate consultants in consultation, where practicable, with senior and junior colleagues.</p> <p>Additional commitments arising from such circumstances are exceptional and work of this kind should not be required for prolonged periods or on a regular basis</p>
<b>Typical working pattern in this placement</b>	Three four month rotations
<b>Employer</b>	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.