

Foundation Training Job Description

Grade	F1
Placement	Respiratory Medicine
Department	<p>We have two respiratory wards: Ward 37 (20beds including 8 Respiratory HDU Beds) and Ward 500 at Hull Royal Infirmary (24 beds). Ward 37 includes an 8 bed respiratory high dependency unit where we provide non-invasive ventilation for patients admitted acutely with respiratory failure.</p> <p>We run up to 25 Consultant-led respiratory outpatient clinics per week. Specialist clinics are provided for patients with asthma, chronic cough, cystic fibrosis, home ventilation, interstitial lung disease, lung cancer, pleural disease, pulmonary hypertension, and tuberculosis. These clinics are supported by our team of dedicated specialist nurses.</p> <p>Bronchoscopy lists run four times weekly at CHH. We provide endoscopic ultrasound (EUS) and endobronchial ultrasound (EBUS).</p> <p>The lung cancer MDT meeting runs weekly at CHH.</p> <p>The respiratory team provides 7 day specialist in-reach to the AAU. All the Respiratory Consultants contribute to the acute general medicine rota at HRI.</p> <p>We have a large commitment to teaching undergraduate medical students at Hull York Medical School, and we supervise training of 13 Junior Doctors and 9 Registrars for the Yorkshire Deanery. Our academic Consultants run the clinical trials unit and the basic science research laboratory at CHH.</p> <p>Examples of conditions treated Asthma, bronchiectasis, chronic cough, COPD (chronic bronchitis and emphysema), cystic fibrosis, interstitial lung</p>

	<p>disease, lung cancer, lung infection, occupational lung disease, pleural effusion, pneumonia, pneumothorax, pulmonary fibrosis, pulmonary embolism, pulmonary hypertension, rare (orphan) lung diseases, respiratory failure (acute and chronic), sarcoidosis, sleep apnoea, tuberculosis.</p> <p>Workload In the last year, 3000 new patients were seen in respiratory outpatient clinics, with approximately 10000 follow up consultations. In-patient episodes are in excess of 3,000 per year. Approximately 400 fibre optic bronchoscopies and 300 EBUS procedures are carried out annually and over 3500 patients visit the Lung Function department at Castle Hill Hospital.</p>
<p>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To build upon undergraduate education. • To gain experience and familiarity in dealing with a wide variety of medical conditions. • To develop the skills of history taking, physical examination, appropriate investigation and rational prescribing. • To master several basic medical techniques. • To improve communication skills with patients, relatives and colleagues. • To develop skills in managing time and conflicting priorities. <p>Depending on staffing and numbers of “medical outlier” patients, you may occasionally be asked by your ward Consultant to work on a different ward for a short period. You should be prepared to be flexible.</p> <p>At the end of the four month period the FY1 will have obtained experience in the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diagnosing a wide range of common conditions • Treatment of a wide range of common conditions • Management of a wide range of common conditions
<p>Where the placement is based</p>	<p>Hull Royal Infirmary</p>
<p>Educational and Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement</p>	<p>Will be allocated when you join the training programme.</p>
<p>Main duties of the placement</p>	<p>Ward attachments You will be attached to wards H37 (includes respiratory HDU) at HRI and Ward 500 at HRI. There will be a Duty Consultant of the week for each ward including: Dr Faruqi, Dr Greenstone, Prof Kastelik, Prof Morice, Dr Hart, D Anderson, Dr Prakash,</p>

	<p>Dr Moshfiq, Dr Tariq, Dr Kamdar, Dr Crooks, Dr Naureen, Dr Pinder, Dr Pathmanathan.</p> <p>There will be a Consultant or Registrar-led ward round most mornings. On other days you will have to opportunity to lead your own ward round, followed by a “board round” with your Consultant or Registrar. You should formulate your own management plan for each patient (“senior review” is not acceptable!).</p> <p>Depending on staffing and numbers of “medical outlier” patients, you may occasionally be asked by your ward Consultant to work on a different ward for a short period. You should be prepared to be flexible.</p> <p>Outpatients</p> <p>Patients who attend clinics have a different spectrum of illnesses compared with inpatients and present different management challenges. You are encouraged to attend respiratory outpatient clinics. Your availability may depend on ward staffing. If given sufficient notice we will try to arrange a separate room with your own patient list.</p>
<p>Typical working pattern in this placement</p>	<p>The current arrangements are a 4 week block on AAU with a further 2 weekends covering medical wards.</p> <p>Out of hours work could be in any other specialty and will be reflected in your work schedule with adequate notice</p>
<p>Employer</p>	<p>Hull University Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust</p>

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