**East Anglia Foundation School**

**Individual Placement Description**

**Peterborough and Stamford Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust**

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| **Placement** | F2 Intensive Care Medicine and Anaesthetics |
| **The department** | The work undertaken by the Department includes all surgical specialities, with the exception of thoracic surgery, cardiac surgery and neurosurgery. The total workload of the Department comprises approximately 20,000 operations per annum. There are approximately 2,500 emergency procedures carried out each year and 4,500 obstetric deliveries. A 24 hour epidural service is provided with around 28% of all deliveries requiring the service.  As well as the 18 theatres at Peterborough City hospital, the Department also services the operating theatre at Stamford Hospital.  In addition there is a Pain Management Service covering both acute and chronic pain. |
| **The type of work to expect and learning opportunities** | All F2 doctors in hospital posts will general be ward based during the ‘normal’ working day and expected to deliver the daily medical care of all the patients on their ward irrespective of specialty.  The overall educational objectives of the F2 year are to provide the trainee with the knowledge, skills and attitudes to be able to:   * Take a history and examine a patient * Identify and synthesise problems * Prescribe safely * Keep an accurate and relevant medical record * Manage time and clinical priorities effectively * Communicate effectively with patients, relatives and colleagues * Use evidence, guidelines and audit to benefit patient care * Act in a professional manner at all times * Cope with ethical and legal issues which occur during the management of patients with general medical problems * Educate patients effectively * Become life-long learners and teachers |
| **Where the placement is based** | Peterborough City Hospital: Intensive Care Unit/ Theatres/ Stamford Hospital Theatre |
| **Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement**  **Educational supervisor** | Dr Mazalkov  Dr. Appadu |
| **Main duties of the placement** | Half of the training is spent in the theatres (Anaesthetics) as purely supernumerary. The other half is mixture of training and service provision on busy Intensive Care Unit |
| **Typical working pattern in this placement** | Rota sample:  Week 1   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Mond | Th - 08:00-16:15 | | Tues | Th - 08:00-16:15 | | Weds | Pain/V.a. - 09:00-16:15 | | Thurs | Th - 08:00-16:15 | | Fri | ITU - 08:00-17:30 |   Week 2   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Mond | ITU 08:00-17:30 | | Tues | ITU 08:00-17:30 | | Weds | ITU 08:00-17:30 | | Thurs | ITU 08:00-17:30 | | Fri | Day -off |   N.B.   1. Pain/V.a. - acute and chronic pain and vascular access, also would include ECT 2. ITU - Intensive Care Unit 3. Th - theatres   Overall working time is 79.5 hours over the 2 weeks block  *On call requirements:* none |
| **Employer information** | The employer for this post is Peterborough & Stamford Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.  The post will be based mainly in Peterborough City Hospital and, occasionally, Stamford Hospital  A new acute hospital development, Peterborough City Hospital comprises an Emergency Care Centre, Woman & Child Unit, a diagnostic and treatment centre, inpatient (611 beds), cancer services and an educational and training centre. The Trust provides acute hospital care for a population of approximately 350,000. |

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