

Broomfield Hospital

Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust

Who are we?

Broomfield Hospital is part of the Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation trust, a newly merged trust with two other acute hospital sites in Essex. We are now one of the largest trusts in the country.

We have a large family of fun and friendly anaesthetists with a diverse skill set. Trainees are given a safe and supportive work environment to grow and learn.

There are 71 Consultants, 14 SAS doctors, junior doctors at different levels of training, and a helpful and friendly administrative team. Boasting a dynamic and cohesive team, we host regular departmental activities including breakfast clubs and teatime sessions organised by a dedicated wellbeing team, seasonal get-togethers and many more fun activities.

What we do...

The wide range of surgical specialities on offer provide a good case mix to enhance progression towards being an accomplished anaesthetist.

Surgical specialities

- Supra-regional centre for Upper Gastro-intestinal surgery (approx. 100 oesophageal resections per year)
- Supra-regional centre for ENT and maxillo-facial surgeries as well as complex airway reconstruction surgery
- Supra-regional centre for Burns and Plastics
- St Andrew's Centre for plastic surgery and burns is the largest burns centre in Europe with the best outcomes in the last few years.



- The regional hub for aortic vascular surgeries and part of the Vascular Network within Essex
- Trauma and Orthopaedics for paediatric and adult patients.
- Centre for complex non-neonatal, non-day case paediatric surgeries including cleft surgical repairs, Hypospadias repairs etc.

Other Specialities include:

- Colo-rectal (with a large volume of laparoscopic/robotic work)
- Urology including robotic surgery
- Ophthalmology
- Obstetrics and Gynaecology



What we Offer....

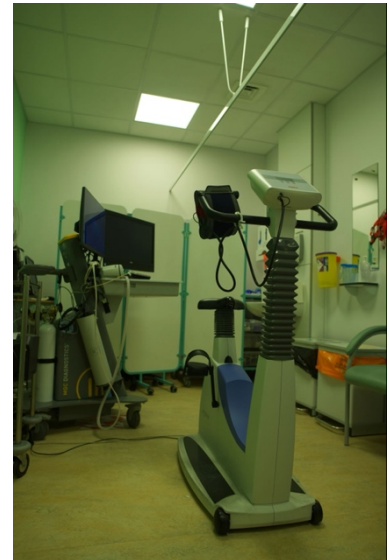
Fellowships currently on offer are:

Perioperative Fellowship

A well-established fellowship with exposure to both preoperative assessment clinics and high-risk surgical list management, with opportunities to progress to run autonomous high-risk clinics, with training on CPEX testing.

Burns & Plastics Fellowship

Exposure to a multidisciplinary high-functioning unit, to manage complex patients with significant burn injuries. Theatre time will be dedicated to plastic and reconstructive surgeries.



Advanced Regional Fellowship

Our team is skilled in performing and teaching new and different techniques tailored to the patients needs.

Advanced Airway Fellowship

The wide range of specialities and a large turnover of high-risk operations provide a large case mix to gain advanced airway management skills.

A tailored hybrid fellowship alongside the Burns & Plastics fellowship to obtain advanced skills in Perioperative anaesthesia, Airway skills or Regional Anaesthesia is offered, subject to discussion with the relevant college tutors and training programme directors.

Audit and Research, Teaching

The fellows will be assigned protected time for individual research and audit projects

There are links with different organisations to aid both teaching and research opportunities

Anglia Ruskin University in Chelmsford for undergraduate and post graduate teaching opportunities, as well as research

University College London

The Barts and London School of Anaesthesia

The fellows are encouraged to lead sessions and courses locally, and alongside affiliated educational institutions

Professionalism and Non-Clinical Skills.

Fellowships at Broomfield Hospital help acquire leadership, managerial and teaching skills in preparation to becoming a holistic, skilled consultant able to effectively contribute towards safe and effective health care.

What about Chelmsford?

Frequently voted as 'one of the best places to live' in the last decade, Chelmsford has the perfect balance between urban living vs heritage and a rural lifestyle. A new and developing town and a popular destination with commuters, Chelmsford boasts of new developments, two high ranking grammar schools and being a safe area to live in. There is easy access to an assortment of parks, footpaths and greenery and a wide variety of leisure activities. Local highlights include Hylands House & park, Chelmsford Cathedral, retail therapy at the high street (including Bond Street) and many eateries – the popular ones and Pubs!



How can I get to Broomfield Hospital?

The Hospital is within 30-40mins from London and Cambridge along the A12 and A120 and access to the M25 is only 15mins away. The greater Anglia service from London Liverpool Street or Stratford is the train link. Buses via routes 42, 375 and 70 provide access in 20min. Eco friendly options are to cycle or use the 'Spin' e-scooters.



Where can I stay?

Short or long-term onsite accommodation can be booked via Swan Housing Association (<https://www.swan.org.uk/finding-a-home/nhs-key-worker-living/broomfield-scheme/>).

