**DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2018**

**HEE East of England – The Princess Alexandra Hospital NHS Trust**

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|  | **HEE team/Deanery name** | Health Education England – East of England |
|  | **Type of training post** | DCT1 |
|  | **Rotational Post information** | N/A |
|  | **Training unit/location/s** | The Princess Alexandra Hospital |
|  | **Full address of training units where training will take place** | The Princess Alexandra Hospital  Hamstel Road  Harlow  CM20 1QX |
|  | **Travelling commitment** | For Friday morning teaching at the Royal London Hospital |
|  | **Educational Supervisor** | N/A |
|  | **Description of the training post** | The Princess Alexandra Hospital Trust is the main acute provider unit within the West Essex area. The Princess Alexandra Hospital is the main hospital site and is centrally positioned in Harlow and is where the OMFS outpatient department, inpatient and day case activity is located. The unit also provides local outpatient clinics at the Herts and Essex Hospital, Bishop’s Stortford.  The senior staff of the department comprises 4 OMFS Consultants who are supported by one associate specialist and two Specialty Doctors with a visiting Specialist Registrar.  The department in Harlow is located in a newly refurbished building and provides facilities for oral consultations including minor operative procedures. There is a laboratory within the department and digital radiographic room linked to the hospital PACS system. The junior staff have their own office with internet access and excellent clerical and secretarial support.  All elective activity (in-patient and day centre) is provided in dedicated theatre facilities in Harlow. In-patients are supported on a newly opened Elective Admission Unit for the majority of these short stay elective patients. PAH also has ITU / emergency treatment facilities available to support this group of patients.  Harlow, which houses the main hospital, is a well-planned new town. Started in the 1940s, it has a population of approximately 75,000 and has excellent sport and leisure facilities. Accommodation is available on-site which is modern and purpose built.  Road and rail communications are excellent and with Harlow situated on the M11, the country’s major motorway networks are within easy reach. The centre of London and Cambridge can each be reached within 40 minutes. Mainline rail services have frequent trains to London from Harlow and Hertford with underground services to Epping. Stansted airport is also nearby.  **Special Features of the Hospital/Unit**  The unit undertakes a broad range of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery procedures with full clinical support.  Excellent opportunities for ‘hands-on’ training in Dento-Alveolar surgery.  Weekly dedicated half day teaching.  Friendly, supportive, working environment within an expanding department. |
|  | **Primary Care training element** | N/A |
|  | **Pattern of working, including any on-call commitment** | The DCT1 posts do not involve overnight or weekend on-call. There will be limited on-call into the early evening. |
|  | **Educational programme summary and library facilities** | There is an excellent on-site library with good IT support. The department has strong clinical and educational links with the Royal London Hospital and a weekly teaching session is run with the juniors at the London. |
|  | **Employment information** | |
|  | **Employer (s)** | The Princess Alexandra Hospital NHS Trust |
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|  | **Link to relevant webpages** | [www.pah.nhs.uk](http://www.pah.nhs.uk)  <https://heeoe.hee.nhs.uk/Training_Posts> |