**DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2018**

**HEE East of England – Basildon and Southend**

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|  | **HEE team/Deanery name** | Health Education England – East of England |
|  | **Type of training post** | DCT2 |
|  | **Rotational Post information** | Rotational |
|  | **Training unit/location/s** | Basildon Hospital / Southend Hospital |
|  | **Full address of training units where training will take place** | Basildon and Thurrock University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust  Nethermayne  Basildon SS16 5NL  Southend University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust  Prittlewell Chase  Westcliff on Sea SS00RY |
|  | **Travelling commitment** | Post holder will rotate between Basildon and Southend. |
|  | **Educational Supervisor** | N/A |
|  | **Description of the training post** | Essex, with the exception of Harlow, has a centralised Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Service. This covers the district general hospitals in Chelmsford, Colchester, Basildon and Southend. Each Hospital provides outpatient and day case surgery to its catchment population. Chelmsford is the hub and provides not only treatment for its local population but also the in-patient care for the network including trauma surgery, orthognathic surgery and cancer surgery. A comprehensive service is thus provided to the population of approximately 1.4 million occupying a roughly triangular area along the North shore of the Thames Estuary from the M25 to the sea extending northwards to Colchester.  Essex has a varied environment, which blends the industrial, agricultural, holiday and residential to offer a satisfying and stimulating range of cultural and sporting pursuits. Compared to the rest of Britain, Essex rainfall is the lowest, its climate the mildest and opportunities for work and leisure are many and varied.  London, only half an hour by train, is on the doorstep; Europe is a near neighbour and travel generally is made easier through an efficient network of road, rail and air transport. The South Essex Orthodontic service is based in Southend with outreach clinics in Basildon, and in the future at Mid Essex.  The full range of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery is undertaken:  Head and Neck Cancer  Reconstructive Surgery  Orthognathic Surgery  Soft and Hard Tissues Trauma  Salivary Gland Surgery  TMJ  Implantology  Minor Oral Surgery  The DCT 2/3 will participate with appropriate supervision in OPD clinics, Subspecialty clinics and MDT discussions and clinics, minor oral surgical procedures and elective surgery in operating theatre. They will not participate in the on call rota based at MEHT. There will be plenty of opportunities to pursue audit and research projects and attend educational activities relevant to the seniority of the DCT 2/3. |
|  | **Primary Care training element** | N/A |
|  | **Pattern of working, including any on-call commitment** | Posts will be based at the Basildon and Southend hospitals and allow for rotation between these hospitals. There will be no on-call commitment. |
|  | **Educational programme summary and library facilities** | The whole HEE EOE Curriculum of training is followed. Trainees will have ample opportunity to participate in audit and research projects and present at local regional national and international meetings. An active educational programme is offered with mandatory Bleep free teaching on Friday afternoons. Attendance at all regional study days is mandatory and locum cover for on call duties is arranged wherever possible. All the spoke Hospitals and the Hub have a well-equipped library, and each spoke unit has a departmental collection of study material as well. |
|  | **Employment information** | |
|  | **Employer (s)** | TBC. Basildon, Southend or Mid Essex Hospital |
|  | **Contact email for applicant queries relating to the post** | Clinical Contact: Mr Vyomesh Bhatt [vyomesh.bhatt@southend.nhs.uk](mailto:vyomesh.bhatt@southend.nhs.uk)  HR Contact: Matthew Stott [Matthew.Stott@meht.nhs.uk](mailto:Matthew.Stott@meht.nhs.uk) |
|  | **Link to relevant webpages** | [www.meht.nhs.uk](http://www.meht.nhs.uk)  <https://heeoe.hee.nhs.uk/Training_Posts> |