# Practice Specification for Health Education England - East of England Dental Foundation Training Practices 2018-19

## **ONE Foundation Dentist in practice**

## TWO Foundation Dentists in practice

### **SURGERIES**

Registered with Care Quality Commission and with all CQC markers identified as 'good'

A surgery to be available for at least 28 hours each week during term time and 35 hours for other working weeks. Availability to be spaced evenly throughout the week in normal working hours

Surgery size at least 9 sq metres

Equipment to be suitable for seated close support dentistry

Equipment standard to be good, with high standards of maintenance.

Full range of instrumentation and materials available for wide range of treatment

Practice compliance with 'Essential Quality Requirements' of Health Technical Memorandum 01-05 (HTM 01-05)

Registered with Care Quality Commission and with all CQC markers identified as 'good'

Two surgeries to be available for at least 28 hours each week during term time and 35 hours for other working weeks. Availability to be spaced evenly throughout the week in normal working hours.

Each surgery size at least 9 sq metres, one of the surgeries at least 12 sq metres

Equipment to be suitable for seated close support dentistry

Equipment standard to be good, with high standards of maintenance

Full range of instrumentation and materials available for wide range of treatment

Practice compliance with 'Essential Quality Requirements' of Health Technical Memorandum 01-05 (HTM 01-05)

#### **STAFFING**

Experienced, registered, trained nursing staff involved in education and learning to be available for the Foundation Dentist at all times

Good, capable and efficient reception and management staffing with evidence of involvement in Foundation Dentist education and learning

Sufficient staffing levels throughout the practice to allow for flexibility in cases of illness or holiday

Presence of another dentist, able and prepared to provide supervision of the Foundation Dentist in the practice at times when the Trainer is not present

Experienced, registered, trained nursing staff to be available for the Foundation Dentist(s) at all times. All staff throughout the practice to have evidence of good involvement in Foundation Dentist education and learning

Good, capable and efficient reception and management staffing, with evidence of high levels of involvement in Foundation Dentist education and learning

Sufficient staffing levels throughout the practice to allow for flexibility in cases of illness or holiday

Presence of ES and/or other clinicians with evidence of suitable involvement and experience in Dental Foundation (Vocational) Training and learning, in practice at all times for support of Foundation Dentists

Evidence of regular staff meetings, with records and outcomes for action	Evidence of regular staff meetings, with records and outcomes for action	
Appraisal system in practice / Staff records	Appraisal system in practice / Staff records	
NHS CONTRACT		
Evidence of NHS contract within practice covering all Mandatory Services	Evidence of substantial NHS contract within practice covering all Mandatory Services	
PATIENTS		
Evidence of sufficient patients available for Foundation Dentist at the start of the training year	Evidence of sufficient patients available for two Foundation Dentists at the start of the training year	
Evidence of good supply of new patients for Foundation Dentist	Evidence of good supply of new patients for two Foundation Dentists	
Evidence of varied and wide range of treatment needs for patients	Evidence of varied and wide range of treatment needs for patients.	
EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES		
Practice library of books, journals and CD ROMs	Practice library of books, journals and CD ROMs	
Space to allow uninterrupted tutorial teaching with sufficient educational aids	Space to allow uninterrupted tutorial teaching for three people with sufficient educational aids	
Computer available for educational purposes with facility to load educational software	One or more computers available for educational purposes with facility to load educational software	
Broadband internet connection available in surgery for use by Educational Supervisor and Foundation Dentist	Broadband internet connection available in surgery for use by Educational Supervisor and Foundation Dentists	
CLINICAL RECORDS		
Evidence of good clear clinical records for all patients	Evidence of good clear clinical records for all patients	
Evidence of Medical History recording for current clinical records	Evidence of Medical History recording for current clinical records	
Evidence of good quality radiographs, well stored in easily accessible manner with full documentation	Evidence of good quality radiographs, well stored in easily accessible manner with full documentation	

AUDITS		
Evidence of all audits required by legislation and regulation	Evidence of audits covering many aspects of practice activity	
Evidence of team involvement in use of audits within the practice	Evidence of team involvement in use of audits within the practice	
ENVIRONMENT		
Evidence of a welcoming, safe practice environment	Evidence of a welcoming, safe practice environment	
Evidence of good communication throughout the practice team with an overall practice commitment to learning	Evidence of good communication throughout the practice team with an overall practice commitment to learning	