

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING LTFT FORM 3: Higher Emergency Medicine LTFT Training Pilot

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## \*IMPORTANT INFORMATION\*

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has opened with the correct software prior to completion.

- In order for your application to participate in this pilot to be considered, this form must be submitted back to the EoE LTFT mailbox: [ltft.eoe@hee.nhs.uk](mailto:ltft.eoe@hee.nhs.uk) by **16.00 on Friday 28 April 2017**
- It is essential for you and the approvers of this form to insert their digital ID onto the same form. It is your (the trainee's) responsibility to obtain both approval signatures (your TPD and Medical Staffing/HR) and email a **singular**, fully completed electronic form back to HEE for final approval.
- Hand written, posted or printed/scanned forms will not be accepted as this will deem the electronic approval fields unusable. If you are having problems with the form after reading the available guidance above please contact [ltft.eoe@hee.nhs.uk](mailto:ltft.eoe@hee.nhs.uk)
- All information marked with a red asterisk (\*) is mandatory and must be completed unless otherwise stated. Any applications missing mandatory information will be sent back for re-completion, causing delays.
- As a pilot participant you are not able to choose which days and hours you wish to reduce under this pilot. Working patterns need to be agreed with your employing Trust and you must be available to work across all shifts and days.
- If you are slot sharing you must ensure your slot share partner has submitted a matching form for approval.
- Approval of this form does not guarantee that you will be able to train less than full time. This is dependent on the capacity to accommodate you in the training programme and available resources.
- Please be aware that it isn't always possible to accommodate LTFT trainee's immediately / on you chosen start date.
- If you wish to revert back to full time training before your agreed end date you should discuss this with your TPD, and employing Trust in the first instance. Once agreed by all, you must inform HEE by emailing the LTFT mailbox with confirmation that this can be accommodated and the date you will be reverting back to full time training.

Please see our website for full details

<https://heeoee.hee.nhs.uk/node/4674>

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1. Personal Details			
<b>Surname*</b>		<b>Maiden name*</b> (if previously used in training)	
<b>First name(s)*</b>		<b>GMC number*</b>	
<b>Email address*</b>		<b>Phone number*</b>	
<b>Are you a Tier 2 Visa holder?*</b>	Yes	No	
	If yes, please note a condition of your visa is to be in receipt of an 'appropriate salary'. The minimum appropriate salary is currently <b>£20,500</b> however this will increase (for new visa applicants only) to <b>£25,000 in autumn 2016</b> , rising again to £30,000 in April 2017. It is your responsibility to seek advice from the Home Office and ensure your LTFT hours meet this threshold.		

2. Current Training Details			
<b>I am currently training in Emergency Medicine at level*</b>		<b>Current CCT date*</b>	
<b>Name of current employing Trust*</b>			

3. Proposed LTFT Placement for Pilot			
<b>I would like to train LTFT in Emergency Medicine at level*</b>			
<b>Name of employing Trust(s) where you will be working LTFT*</b>			
<b>Proposed LTFT start date - must be from 02/08/2017 onwards* (dd/mm/yyyy)</b>		<b>Proposed LTFT end date - must end by 01/08/2018* (dd/mm/yyyy)</b>	
<b>Proposed percentage of full time*</b> (Full time = 100% and is equivalent to 10 sessions)	50%	60%	80%

Medical Staffing/HR Approval & Declaration - Med staffing to complete			
<b>Agreed LTFT hours of work / shift pattern for this trainee – to be negotiated and agreed with trainee*</b>			
<b>I confirm approval of this LTFT pilot placement and that this will not affect safe local service provision and workforce stability will be maintained*</b>			
Yes		No	
If no, please provide reasoning:          Training Programme Director to investigate whether alternative Trust would be able to accommodate LTFT training			
<b>Medical staffing/HR name*</b>		<b>Medical staffing/HR email address*</b>	
<b>Medical staffing/HR digital ID*</b>			
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4. Proposed LTFT Pilot Approval			
Training Programme Director Approval & Declaration - TPD to complete and insert digital ID			
Agreed LTFT start date for this LTFT pilot - must be from 02/08/2017 onwards* (dd/mm/yyyy)		Agreed LTFT end date for this LTFT pilot - must end by 01/08/2018* (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Agreed whole time equivalent* (e.g. 0.8 = 80% of full time)	0.5	0.6	0.8
Agreed employing Trust(s) for this LTFT placement (may be necessary to place trainee at a different Trust(s) in order to accommodate LTFT training)			
Type of slot arrangement for this trainee*	Less than full time in a full time slot/post	Slot/post share	
If trainee is slot sharing full name, grade and WTE of slot share partner*	Please ensure the slot share partner has submitted a LTFT pilot form or standard LTFT application- uplift funding for Trusts will be withheld until paperwork from both trainees had been received and approved		
I confirm approval of this LTFT pilot placement and that this will not affect safe local service provision and workforce stability will be maintained			
TPD name*		TPD email address*	
TPD digital ID* <a href="#">Digital ID set up guide - Click Here</a>			

Approvals continued on following page...

5. Applicant Declaration - please ensure all boxes below are checked	
	I have read the HEE <a href="#">Opportunities for Higher EM LTFT Pilot Project Guidance Document</a> *
	I confirm I have sought advice in advance of making this application to assess the financial impact, pension implications and any visa issues (if applicable)*
	I confirm I do not meet the standard <a href="#">Gold Guide</a> eligibility criteria to train less than full time and that participation in this pilot is my only way to access LTFT training*
	In accordance with the new pay arrangements I understand that I will normally be expected to move between posts and rotations on the same basis as a full time trainee in the same specialty*
	I understand personal information is recorded on HEE, EoE databases and shared with those who have responsibility for the organisation, management and delivery of training to help them execute their function in the planning and delivery of training*
	I have discussed this application with my Training Programme Director and HR/Medical Staffing I give HEE, EoE permission to contact them regarding my application if necessary*
	I understand any additional locum work undertaken whilst participating in this pilot should be periodic and not frequent. This should normally be up to a maximum of 8 hours, or one shift per month*
	I confirm that the information given in this application is accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief*
Pilot applicant's digital ID* <a href="#">Digital ID set up guide - Click Here</a>	

Now please email your fully completed LTFT pilot application form to [eoel.tft@hee.nhs.uk](mailto:eoel.tft@hee.nhs.uk) for HEE EoE to assess.

6. HEE Approval (for EoE to complete)		
I approve this trainee's participation in the Higher EM LTFT Pilot	Yes	No
	If no, please state reason	
I confirm this trainee's proposed LTFT training plan	Yes	No
	If no, please state reason	
HEE EoE LTFT Programme Director's digital ID		