

Foundation Job Description

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| Foundation School (Delete as appropriate) | | Programme No. (eg. L006 OR T102)*: | | | |
| LNR | | AL009 | | | |
| Year (Delete as appropriate) | Specialty: | | | Subspecialty (If appropriate): | |
| F1 | Geriatric Medicine | | | | |
| Site: | | | Trust: | | |
| Leicester Royal Infirmary | | | University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust | | |
| Main duties: | | | | | |
| <p>This post not only gives you poured clinical experience in general medicine but also allows you to gain an insight into the challenge of geriatric medicine (medicine for the elderly). Unless you intend to be a paediatrician or obstetrician, the majority of your patients, in your chosen clinical career, are likely to be elderly. Learning how to deal with the complexities of illness in the old is, therefore, a sensible investment. We will highlight the importance of multidisciplinary team working by involving you in MDT meetings, so that you gain a working knowledge of the role of occupational therapists, physiotherapists and social workers. The mystery of discharge planning in complex cases will be revealed. We will teach you the imprtance of clear and effective medication with patients, relatives and the MDT, as this is one of the cornerstones of being a good doctor.</p> | | | | | |
| Example Timetable | | | | | |
| For example: W/R (Outpatients), MDT, Meetings, X-Ray Conference etc | | | | | |
| | Mon | Tues | Weds | Thurs | Fri |
| AM | Ward Round | Ward Round | Ward Round | Ward Round | Ward Round |
| Lunchtime | AMU General Medical meeting | | F1 Teaching | Department al case discussion | Postgraduate Clinical Meeting |
| PM | Ward Round | Ward Round | Ward Round | Ward Round | Ward Round |
| Educational Activities: | | | | | |
| See above. | | | | | |
| Other Comments (if appropriate): | | | | | |
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