

DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2024/25

NHS ENGLAND WT & E – West Midlands

Birmingham Community Healthcare Foundation Trust

1.	Region (Deanery) Name	NHS England WTE – Midlands
2.	Title of post Type of Training & duration of post	DCT 3 Oral Surgery/Oral Medicine/Sedation 1 year
3.	Training unit/locations	Base Birmingham Dental Hospital Clinics may be held in Dental Outreach Centre (in Boots) Clinics are also held at Birmingham Childrens Hospital
4.	Rotational Post information and Duration	There are 2 posts which rotate at six months with slightly different timetables both posts incorporate 6 months of on call. One post starts mainly in Oral surgery with sessions in sedation – oral surgery and restorative. There is no on call with this rotation. The second post is split between Oral surgery and Oral medicine with non-resident on call commitment at Birmingham Childrens hospital.
5.	Full address of unit/s where training is based	Main Base Birmingham Dental Hospital 5 Millpool Way B5 7EG Birmingham Childrens Hospital Steelhouse Lane Queensway B4 6NH
6.	Travel Commitment	Travel to Birmingham Childrens hospital for handover and on call. May have clinics at Dental Outreach in Birmingham. Good bus link along Bristol or Pershore Roads ~ 15 minutes journey. Taxis can also be provided from main base.
7.	Name of Educational Supervisor, if known	Will be confirmed on appointment – informal enquires to Kate Cullotty contact details below.

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8.	Contact details for Educational Supervisor	Kate.cullotty@nhs.net
9.	Description of training post	<p>With respect to the Dental Core Training Curriculum the training post will provide opportunities to demonstrate evidence to the required generic and service speciality specific competencies.</p> <p>In Oral Surgery a DCT3 in Oral Surgery will be exposed to a wide range of experiences including consultant clinics, dedicated DCT surgical sessions, primary care assessment & treatment clinics and TMD clinics. DCT's will also have the opportunity to assist senior members of staff performing more advanced surgical procedures. Treatment under local anaesthetic, relative analgesia, intravenous sedation and general anaesthetic are all provided within the Oral Surgery department and DCT's will be involved with treatment associated with all of these modalities. The sedation rotation involves a structured programme of training in administration of IV Sedation to support clinical treatment in Oral Surgery.</p> <p>There will be ample opportunity to become involved in clinical audit and DCT's are expected to attend a monthly departmental meeting encompassing teaching and service development discussions.</p> <p>DCT3s in Oral Medicine participate fully in the work of the department. They attend consultant-led clinics, seeing new and review patients, carry out investigations including mucosal biopsies and blood tests and have an important part to play in checking the results of investigations and taking action on any abnormalities identified. They also participate in departmental meetings, audit projects and prepare presentations for journal club meetings.</p> <p>DCTs are encouraged to attend regional and national oral medicine meetings and to present cases and posters.</p> <p>All DCTs also gain experience in managing patients with complex medical histories.</p>

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10.	Suitable for Temporary Registrant?		NO
11.	Primary Care element Performer Number required?	YES	
12.	Pattern of working including any on-call commitment	Weekdays 9-5. 1 in 7 non -resident on call Commitment at Birmingham Childrens Hospital.	
13.	Educational programme summary	DCTs participate in departmental meetings, audit and journal clubs. In addition, they attend seminars, hands on practical courses and are encouraged to attend and present at regional and national Specialist Society meetings.	
Employment Details			
14.	Employer	Birmingham Community Healthcare Foundation Trust	
15.	Contact email for applicant queries referring to post	Kate.cullotty@nhs.net	
16.	Link to relevant webpages	BCHC website https://www.bhamcommunity.nhs.uk	