

## West Midlands Central Foundation School

Individual Placement Description – George Eliot Hospital

<b>Placement</b>	FY1 Geriatric Medicine
<b>The department</b>	Care of the Elderly, Stroke and Ortho-geriatrics
<b>The type of work to expect and learning opportunities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multidiscipline meetings (MDM) twice weekly</li> <li>• One hour weekly F1 teaching programme (bleep free – protected time)</li> <li>• Informal bedside teaching from senior doctors</li> <li>• Departmental teaching sessions twice weekly – Grand round &amp; Cardiology</li> </ul>
<b>Where the placement is based</b>	GEH NHS Trust
<b>Supervisor(s) for the placement</b>	Dr Amit Thakkar and Dr James Egbuji
<b>Main duties of the placement</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ward management of acutely ill patients and medically stable patients awaiting discharge.</li> <li>• Daily ward rounds, twice weekly with consultants.</li> </ul>
<b>Typical working pattern in this placement</b>	<p>9 am daily Gen Medicine handover meeting followed by board round. Ward round and work, MDMs as required.</p> <p>On-call commitment as per the rota 1:13 rota which consists of:</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> on Call 0900-2130 Admissions – Working on base ward till 2pm then working in A&amp;E as part of the Medical Admission Team (Monday – Thursday and Friday to Sunday) – Part of crash team whole shift</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> on Call 0900-2130 Medical ward cover – Working on base ward till 5pm and then covering the Medical Wards with medicine team (split days Monday – Thursday and Friday – Sunday) – Part of Crash team whole shift</p> <p>Nights 2100-0930 – Covering the medicine wards with Medical Team (Monday – Thursday and Friday to Sunday) – Part of team whole shift</p>
<b>Employer information</b>	<p>George Eliot Hospital has been an NHS Trust Hospital since 1994. The majority of the Hospital is based in modern purpose built accommodation.</p> <p>There are approximately 286 beds, including eight critical care beds, 12 day case beds and a coronary care unit with 11 beds. There are 14 inpatient wards. The trust has eight operating theatres providing planned and emergency surgical facilities for trauma and orthopaedics, general surgery, urology and gynaecology. They also offer a wide range of day case procedures, for adults and children aged 2 to 16 years old</p> <p>There is an Education Centre (GETEC) with excellent library facilities, Simulation Suite, a Clinical Skills Centre and numerous teaching rooms including a Lecture Theatre.</p>

	There is a very strong commitment to junior staff training
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It is important to note that this description is a typical example of your placement and may be subject to change.

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