

**DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2024/25**  
**NHS ENGLAND WT & E – SCOTLAND**  
**Scotland - St John's Hospital - OMFS**

1.	<b>Region (Deanery) Name</b>	Scotland	
2.	<b>Title of post Type of Training &amp; duration of post</b>	DCT2	
3.	<b>Training unit/locations</b>	St John's Hospital, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Department	
4.	<b>Rotational Post information and Duration</b>		
5.	<b>Full address of unit/s where training is based</b>	St John's Hospital Howden Road West, Howden, Livingston EH54 6PP	
6.	<b>Travel Commitment</b>	There will be a requirement to travel within the NHS Lothian Board area in order to obtain a range of experience.	
7.	<b>Name of Educational Supervisor, if known</b>	To be confirmed	
8.	<b>Contact details for Educational Supervisor</b>	To be confirmed	
9.	<b>Description of training post</b>	This is a busy Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery unit with a dedicated ward. Post holders will gain experience in the management of oncology, trauma and facial deformity in outpatient clinics and operating lists. The post also offers experience of dento-alveolar surgery under general anaesthesia, local anaesthesia, inhalational and intravenous sedation. A medical FY1 doctor supports patient ward care.	
10.	<b>Suitable for Temporary Registrant?</b>		<b>NO</b>
11.	<b>Primary Care element</b>		<b>NO</b>

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	<b>Performer/List Number required?</b>	
12.	<b>Pattern of working including any on-call commitment</b>	48 hours/week with a banding supplement for the on call commitment. Standard day 08:30am-5:30pm
13.	<b>Educational programme summary</b>	<p>There is a Scotland-wide education programme for Dental Core Trainees which is designed to match the DCT curriculum. The programme has four themes running through each year of Dental Core Training. These are: Clinical, Communication, Career Development Skills and Quality Improvement &amp; Patient Safety. Posts begin with a local health board and NES induction, followed by face-to-face study events throughout the year, supported by Turas Learn. These events include all Dental Core Trainees in Scotland, as does the annual DCT conference.</p> <p>All trainees have access to study leave time (in line with terms and conditions of service) and budget. This is predominantly to fund attendance of DCTs at the compulsory NES Educational events, however funding may be available to contribute to the cost of other courses linked to an agreed PDP.</p> <p>DCT posts include time for self-directed learning and trainees are encouraged to use this time for personal study and to complete quality improvement projects.</p> <p>All DCTs, who have not worked in an Oral &amp; Maxillofacial Surgery (OMFS) unit in Scotland previously, attend an additional two-day induction course known as Maxfacts. This course is designed to cover the essential skills for an OMFS DCT post and is delivered by OMFS consultants and senior trainees. The teaching is backed up by on-line resources which will be made available to DCTs prior to the Maxfacts course</p>
	<b>Employment Details</b>	
14.	<b>Employer</b>	NHS Education for Scotland (NES)
	<b>Placement Board</b>	NHS
15.	<b>Contact email for applicant queries referring to post</b>	<a href="https://nesdigital.atlassian.net/servicedesk/customer/portal/30/group/121/create/591">https://nesdigital.atlassian.net/servicedesk/customer/portal/30/group/121/create/591</a>

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16.	<b>Link to relevant webpages</b>	<a href="https://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/our-work/dental-core-training/">https://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/our-work/dental-core-training/</a>
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