

**DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2024/25**  
**NHS ENGLAND WT & E – SCOTLAND**

**Scotland - Edinburgh Dental Institute – Oral Surgery then Paediatric Dentistry**

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>	Edinburgh Dental Institute: Oral Surgery Department and Department of Paediatric Dentistry
4.	<b>Rotational Post information and Duration</b>	Rotational September 2024 - March 2025 - EDI: Oral Surgery March 2025 - September 2025 - Edinburgh Dental Institute (PDS): Paediatric Dentistry
5.	<b>Full address of unit/s where training is based</b>	Edinburgh Dental Institute Level 3, Lauriston Building Lauriston Place Edinburgh EH3 9HA
6.	<b>Travel Commitment</b>	There will be a requirement to travel within the NHS Lothian Health 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 post is based in Edinburgh Dental Institute. It involves six months based in the Oral Surgery Department from September 2024 – March 2025 and six months based in Paediatric Dental Service from March 2025 to September 2025. The post gives the opportunity for assessment and treatment of new patients allowing the post holder to gain wide, well supported, experience. Oral Surgery gives the opportunity to perform a variety of surgical procedures, including extractions, biopsies, and treatment of more complex conditions under LA, sedation, and GA. In Paediatric dentistry, there will be the opportunity to treat a wide variety of patients, including dental trauma, using local anaesthesia, inhalational sedation, and general anaesthetic. The Integrated Paediatric Dental Service runs clinics over several sites and some sessions will be away from EDI.

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10.	<b>Suitable for Temporary Registrant?</b>		<b>NO</b>
11.	<b>Primary Care element Performer/List Number required?</b>		<b>NO</b>
12.	<b>Pattern of working including any on-call commitment</b>		
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>	
<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>	
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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