

DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2026/27

NHS Scotland

Glasgow Dental Hospital Paediatric Dentistry

1.	Region (Deanery) Name	Scotland	
2.	Title of post Type of Training & duration of post	Glasgow Dental Hospital Paediatric Dentistry September 2026-August 2027	
3.	Training unit/locations	Department of Paediatric Dentistry, Glasgow Dental Hospital and School with sessions at the Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow (RHCG)	
4.	Rotational Post information and Duration	Not Rotational – 12 months	
5.	Full address of unit/s where training is based	Glasgow Dental Hospital and School, 378 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow. G2 3JZ Royal Hospital for Children, 1345 Govan Rd, Glasgow. G51 4TF	
6.	Travel Commitment	There will be a requirement to travel within the Greater Glasgow and Clyde Health Board area in order to obtain a range of experience.	
7.	Name of Educational Supervisor, if known	Will be confirmed with post-holder	
8.	Contact details for Educational Supervisor	Will be confirmed with post-holder	
9.	Description of training post	This placement is ideally suited to anyone interested in Paediatric Dentistry. The Paediatric Department within Glasgow Dental Hospital and School may offer clinical experience in the following: new patient assessment; treatment sessions, including inhalation sedation; dental accident and emergency; dental trauma management; and multidisciplinary clinics. Clinical time will also be spent within RHCG where DCTs may gain experience in new patient assessment and treatment of medically complex children and the in- / out-patient care of children requiring priority dental care, including those with oncology, haematology and cardiac diagnoses.	
10.	Suitable for Temporary Registrant?	YES	NO
11.	Primary Care element Performer Number required?	YES	NO
12.	Pattern of working including any on-call commitment	No on call commitment Monday - Friday	
13.	Educational programme summary	There is a Scotland-wide education programme for Dental Core Trainees which is designed to match the DCT curriculum. The	

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		<p>programme has four themes running through each year of Dental Core Training. These are: Clinical, Communication, Career Development Skills and Quality Improvement & 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. 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. 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. All DCTs, who have not worked in an Oral & 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 made available to DCTs prior to the Maxfacts course.</p>
	Employment Details	
14.	Employer	NHS Education for Scotland
15.	Contact email for applicant queries referring to post	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recruitment Query - HR Trainee Services - Jira Service Management
16.	Link to relevant webpages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/our-work/dental-core-training/