DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2022/23

Scotland - Dumfries & Galloway Royal Infirmary (OMFS) then Dumfries PDS

1.	Deanery name	Scotland
2.	Type of training post	DCT1
3.	Rotational Post information	Rotational
		September 2022 – March 2023 – Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (OMFS) and Orthodontics Unit
		March 2023 – August 2023 – Dumfries Dental Centre, Dumfries: Public Dental Service (PDS, also referred to as the Community Dental Service).
4.	Training unit/location/s	This post is based with NHS Dumfries and Galloway health board. Six months will be at Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary (DGRI). DGRI is a relatively new hospital opened in 2017. The following six months is at Dumfries Dental Centre in the PDS. Built in 2006 Dumfries Dental Centre is a modern dental facility providing Public Dental Services, Dental Student Outreach training and the University of the Highlands and Islands Dental Therapist Training
5.	Full address of training units where training will take place	Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary, 2 Garroch Roundabout, Dumfries, DG2 8PS
	whore training will take place	NHS Dumfries Dental Centre, Bankend Road, Dumfries, DG1 4AP
6.	Travelling commitment	During the PDS part of the placement, there will be a requirement to travel within the NHS Dumfries and Galloway Board area in order to obtain a range of experience.
7.	Educational Supervisor	Will be confirmed with post-holder
8.	Description of the training post	The first part of the post will be based in DGRI from September 2022 through to March 2023. There is supervised training both in theatre and outpatients, the latter in both OMFS and Orthodontics. General outpatient clinics see referrals from dental and medical practitioners, as well as the community and hospital services. There are combined clinics in head and neck cancer and access to further multidisciplinary clinics. These reflect the multidisciplinary working practice within the region. Involvement is encouraged in the management of these patients. There is good exposure to minor oral surgery and orthodontics, with support. Orthodontics is taught at the level of a "dentist with an interest".
		The DCT1 will undertake a range of PDS duties from March 2023 to August 2023. Predominantly this will involve the provision of comprehensive dental care for registered paediatric and adult patients with additional needs and assessment and treatment of referred patients

		including management of dental anxiety. The DCT1 will also attend Special Care theatre lists every 2 weeks and will receive training and experience with inhalation sedation for both children and adults. The post will also include regular domiciliary dental visits and there will be opportunities to attend prison dental clinics, dental inspections of schoolchildren and both Outreach dental student and therapy student teaching clinics.
9.	Primary Care training element	In this post the DCT will work for six months in the PDS. You therefore need to be eligible for an NHS list number.
10.	Educational programme summary and library facilities	There is a Scotland-wide education programme for DCT1s which is designed to match the DCT curriculum. The programme will include an induction followed by a number of study events throughout the year, supported by Turas Learn. These events will be delivered with a mix of face to face and online sessions, which will include all DCT1s training in Scotland, as does the annual trainee conference which includes the DCT2s and DCT3s. In addition, there will be an education programme for DCT1s during their time in the Public Dental Service which has been designed to support this role. All trainees have access to study leave time (in line with terms and conditions of service) and budget. This may be used to access MFDS/MFD/MJDF courses and other courses linked to an agreed PDP. DCT1 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 and Maxillofacial Surgery (OMFS) unit in Scotland previously, attend an additional two-day induction course: 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.
11.	Employment information	
12.	Employer	NHS Education for Scotland (NES)
13.	Placement Board	Placement 1 - NHS Dumfries and Galloway Placement 2 – NHS Dumfries and Galloway
14.	Contact email for applicant	Please contact the Dental Recruitment Team on
	queries relating to the post	Dental.Recruitment@nes.scot.nhs.uk
15.	Link to relevant webpages	http://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/education-and-training/by-discipline/dentistry/dentists/core-training.aspx