POST DENTAL CORE TRAINING FELLOWSHIP 2021/22

Scotland - Victoria Hospital, Kirkcaldy OMFS

*Post not suitable for Temporary Registrants

| 1. | HEE team/Deanery name | Scotland |
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| 2. | Type of training post | Post DCT Fellowship |
| 3. | Rotational Post information | N/A |
| 4. | Training unit/location/s | Victoria Hospital, Kirkcaldy Queen Margaret Hospital, Dunfermline |
| 5. | Full address of training units where training will take place | Victoria Hospital Hayfield Rd Kirkcaldy KY2 5AH |
| 6. | Travelling commitment | There will be a requirement to travel within the Fife Health Board area in order to gain maximum specialty experience. |
| 7. | Educational Supervisor | |
| 8. | Description of the training post | Fife OMFS is a busy, thriving and dynamic unit with its main base in the Victoria Hospital, Kirkcaldy. It serves a population of approximately 360000. The team is comprised of 3 Consultants, 2 Associate Specialists, 4 Specialty Doctors. It provides a comprehensive regional OMFS service, with the exclusion of head and neck oncology to the Fife Area. The Fife team undertake all facial trauma surgery, skin surgery, dentoalveolar surgery as well as offering a modern 3D planned TMJ arthroplasty service and 3D planned orthognathic service. The successful post-holder will gain experience of acute maxillofacial complaints, managing inpatients, recognising the sick patient, participating in general outpatient clinics as well as specialist arthroplasty and orthognathic clinics assisting in Theatre and develop skills in the management of orofacial sepsis. There will also be hands on experience in dentoalveolar and skin surgery in both local and general anaesthetic settings. The post is extremely well supported and there are many opportunities to learn and develop your skills. There is also potential scope to sit in on Orthodontic clinics. Geographically, Kirkcaldy is situated in the heart of Fife being 24 miles from St Andrews, 30miles from Edinburgh and Dundee and 55miles from Glasgow. |
| 9. | Primary Care training element | N/A |
| 10. | Pattern of working, including any on-call commitment | Covid-19 has introduced flexibility to the rota, however you will not be required to work more than your allocated time. The current working pattern is a rolling rota with an average of 48hrs per week. |

| | | It includes a week of day on-call, a week of theatre, a week of clinics and a float week. Each DCT will have one weekday twilight on-call shift (Mon-Thurs until 0000hrs) or a Friday overnight (until 0800hrs Saturday) shift per week. This will rotate. During the week the following morning will be time off in lieu. There will also be a 1in 6 rolling 1st on-call weekend rota (Saturday 0800-Monday 0800hrs) with Monday off in lieu. |
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| 11. | Educational programme summary and library facilities | There is a Scotland-wide education programme for Post DCT Fellows which incorporates components of the DCT curriculum. These events will involve all the Post DCT Fellows in Scotland and will be held virtually during 2021. The annual trainee conference will give an opportunity for all Dental Core Trainees to submit work to be presented. |
| | | The Post DCT Fellowship posts include time for self-directed learning and trainees are encouraged to use this time for personal study and to complete quality improvement projects or research. 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. |
| | | 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. |
| 12. | Employment information | |
| 13. | NHS Health Board | NHS Fife |
| 14. | Contact email for applicant queries relating to the post | Please contact the Dental Recruitment Team on dental_recruitment@nes.scot.nhs.uk |
| 15. | Link to relevant webpages | https://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/our-work/dental-core-training/ |