DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2023/24

Scotland - Possilpark PDS then Glasgow Dental Hospital (Oral Surgery)

1.	Deanery name	Scotland
2.	Type of training post	DCT1
3.	Rotational Post information	Rotational September 2023 – March 2024 - Possilpark Health Centre, Glasgow: Public Dental Service (PDS, also referred to as the Community Dental Service) March 2024 – August 2024 – Glasgow Dental Hospital and School (GDH): Oral Surgery Department
4.	Training unit/location/s	This post is based within Greater Glasgow and Clyde Health board. Six months will be based in Possilpark Health Centre, Glasgow, PDS then six months at the Glasgow Dental Hospital, Glasgow.
5.	Full address of training units where training will take place	NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde Possilpark Health & Care Centre, 99 Saracen Street, Glasgow G22 5AP Glasgow Dental Hospital and School 378 Sauchiehall Street Glasgow G2 3JZ
6.	Travelling commitment	There will be a requirement to travel within the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde 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	From September 2023 to March 2024 you will have the opportunity to work in a variety of locations in PDS with a range of clinical supervisors. You will be involved in/have experience of the delivery of a range of treatment for vulnerable PDS patient groups, including children and adults with special care needs and unscheduled care. In anxiety management you will receive training in Inhalation Sedation and may be able to participate in GA sessions. There may also be opportunities for experience in Primary Care Public Health activity, such as NDIP. There will be a requirement to travel within the NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde health board area to different PDS clinics. The second part of the post from March 2024 to August 2024 will be based in the Oral Surgery department at Glasgow Dental Hospital and School. The Oral Surgery department at Glasgow Dental Hospital and School offers a broad range of clinical activities and experience in the following; consultant clinics, minor Oral surgery sessions, supervision and clinical teaching of BDS students, management of emergency patients and experience in either sedation sessions or theatre lists at non base hospital sites. There is a regular Oral Surgery journal club, at which DCTs are expected to present, to benefit from appraisal by senior staff.
9.	Primary Care training element	In this post you 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 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 & Patient Safety. Posts begin with a local health board and NES induction, followed by a number of 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 trainee conference. 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. 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.
11.	Employment information	
12.	Employer	NHS Education for Scotland (NES)
13.	Placement Board	Placement 1 – Greater Glasgow and Clyde
		Placement 2 – Greater Glasgow and Clyde
14.	Applicant queries relating to the post	https://nesdigital.atlassian.net/servicedesk/customer/portal/30
15.	Link to relevant webpages	http://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/education-and-training/by-
		discipline/dentistry/dentists/core-training.aspx