## Individual Placement (Job) Description

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### The type of work to expect and learning opportunities
- General ward care duties
- Care of pre-op and post-op patients
- Opportunities to work in theatre
- Regular FY2 teaching sessions

### Where the placement is based
- G6, QAH

### Clinical Supervisor(s) for the placement
- To be notified at start of placement

### Main duties of the placement
1. Clerking pre-op patients
2. Managing patients pre-op and post-op
3. Assist in theatre
4. Review sick surgical patients
5. Accept and review surgical referrals from GP/ other departments
6. Cover breast, urology, plastics as well as general surgery on nights, twilights and weekends

### Typical working pattern in this placement
- Typical working pattern in this post e.g. ward rounds, clinics, theatre sessions
- Daily
  - 0730: Ward round and ward jobs
  - 0900: Theatre (a.m) till 12:30
  - 13:00: Transplant ward round
  - 13:30: Theatre (p.m.) till 5p.m.

  In between theatre, I clerk and manage renal patients in for elective surgery i.e. ensure that they have their dialysis or blood test up to date.

  Mon: 0830 Meeting- discuss TCI elective surgery
  **On call requirements:** 1 in 2 on call, 1 in 8 weekend

### Employer information
- The Queen Alexandra Hospital site has gone through a major redevelopment to create a modern and 'fit for purpose' hospital, which was completed in 2009. The majority of the Trust's acute services are now provided at Queen Alexandra following the opening phase of the new state-of-the-art facilities. We provide a full range of acute secondary services to a population of over half a million people. Additional specialist services are provided to a wider catchment area extending as far as Dorset and Sussex.

- The "Emergency Department" at Queen Alexandra Hospital is one of the busiest in the UK treating in excess of 100,000
patients each year.

The 'Medical Assessment Unit' (MAU) and 'Surgical Assessment Unit' (SAU) provide rapid diagnostic assessment for patients admitted as emergencies. These can then be directed to the clinical areas most appropriate for their condition.

The Trust is also home to the Wessex Renal and Transplant Unit and it holds prestigious Cancer Beacon Status for the Head and Neck Cancer Services.

Hosting the largest Ministry of Defence Hospital Unit (MDHU) in the country, the Trust enjoys strong military connections and is proud of this association. This means that as a Trust, we have wider responsibilities than those of standard NHS organisations. Military staff now account for 3% of the total workforce and the Trust has responsibility to ensure the staff have exposure to the appropriate clinical experience required during their times of deployment throughout the world.

It is important to note that this description is a typical example of your placement and may be subject to change.