

Advanced Pain Training Post Information for Potential Applicants

Training Centre:	King's College Hospital
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Training post pairing/ rotation details:	TBC
Anaesthetic on-call commitment/ details:	1:8 full shift senior registrar on call
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Information on Training Centre and Post:	King's serves the local population in Southwark and receive tertiary referral from all over South East London and Kent. King's is a major trauma centre so will gain experience in the management of pain following complex polytrauma. The pain department receives 1200 referrals per year. We perform procedures under x-ray and ultrasound in day surgery. King's College Hospital is a large teaching hospital teaching so you will have opportunity to teach medical students.
Access to MDTs:	We run joint clinics with other specialties including neurology, urology and haematology. You will be able to attend the neurosurgical spinal MDT and Palliative Care MDT.
Pain Management Programmes:	We have a reciprocal agreement with St Thomas' Hospital such that you will have the opportunity to attend their PMP
Cancer pain experience: e.g. local hospice	Unique to King's is our link to St Christopher's hospice. You will have the opportunity to visit the hospice every week where you will gain experience of managing cancer pain and performing interventions such as neurolytic blocks and intrathecal drug delivery systems.
Paediatric pain experience:	We have a reciprocal agreement with St Thomas' Hospital such that you will have the opportunity to attend their paediatric pain clinic.
Neuromodulation experience:	We have a reciprocal agreement with St Thomas' Hospital such that you will have the opportunity to attend their neuromodulation service.
Research opportunity:	We have a professor of anaesthesia within the department who can facilitate research experience.
Quality Improvement:	We have an ongoing QI programme. We are currently working towards our ACSA accreditation.

Management & Leadership Opportunities:	We have a senior trainee management and leadership programme run by the post graduate medical education department.
Education & Training Opportunities:	We will support you attending relevant courses.
Trainee Testimonials/ Feedback:	Feedback from trainees is positive and most have gone on to secure a consultant post.