

JOB DESCRIPTION

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| Title: | Specialty Registrar in Paediatric Dentistry |
| Directorate: | RNTNEH |
| Board/corporate function: | Specialist Hospitals |
| Responsible to: | Clinical Lead |
| Accountable to: | Clinical Director |
| Hours: | 10 PA (40 hours per work) |
| Location: | Paediatric Dentistry |

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (UCLH), situated in the West End of London, is one of the largest NHS trusts in the United Kingdom and provides first class acute and specialist services both locally and to patients from throughout the UK and abroad.

The new state-of-the-art University College Hospital which opened in 2005, is the focal point of the Trust alongside six cutting-edge specialist hospitals. UCLH was one of the first trusts to gain foundation status.

The Trust has an international reputation and a tradition of innovation. Our excellence in research and development was recognised in December 2006 when it was announced that, in partnership with University College London (UCL), we would be one of the country's five comprehensive biomedical research centres.

The Trust is closely associated with University College London (UCL), a multi-faculty university. The Royal Free & University College Medical School (RFUCMS), which is one of the highest rated medical schools in the country, forms the largest element of the Faculty of Biomedical Sciences (FBS), which was formed on 1st August 2006. FBS comprises the former Faculty of Clinical Sciences, four postgraduate Institutes (Ophthalmology, Neurology, Child Health, Eastman Dental) and the Wolfson Institute for Biomedical Research. This structural change further enhances the exceptionally strong base of research and teaching in Biomedicine at UCL.

Alongside our relationship with the world leading UCL and Royal Free medical school, we enjoy close links with London South Bank and City universities offering the very best in training and education.

CLINICAL BOARD

The Specialist Hospital Board (SCHB) incorporates 6 Specialist Hospitals which include The Elizabeth Garrett Anderson and Obstetric Hospital (EGA), The Heart Hospital, The Hospital for Tropical Diseases (HTD), The National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery (NHNN), The Royal London Homeopathic Hospital and The Royal National Throat, Nose, Ear and Eastman Dental Hospital (RNTNEH) lead by the Medical Director.

The SCHB works closely with the Acute Hospitals Board which incorporates the specialties of Critical Care and Theatres, Outpatient and Imaging, Pathology, Emergency Services, Medicine and Therapies, Surgery, led by their own Medical Director.

DIVISION/DIRECTORATE/DEPT/WARD*

The Eastman Dental Hospital aims to build on its own reputation for high quality patient care and clinical service as well as maintaining high quality education in line with the UCLH Trust objectives. The Directorate will develop into a 'pioneering pathfinder' healthcare institution with clinical quality, education and research at its core underpinned by innovation in all these areas. The aim is to foster and encourage, in line with the global Trust objectives, access to purpose designed specialist services which are integrated closely with those in the community to minimize travelling for patients, at the same time as developing other specialist services such that patients and families can benefit from changes driven as a result of audit, research and investment in the health service.

The Eastman Dental Institute (EDI) is a postgraduate dental school forming part of University College London (UCL), and works closely in the furtherance of its mission with the Eastman Dental Hospital (EDH). EDI's main activities are research and postgraduate education in the field of oral healthcare sciences. The Eastman Dental Institute and the Eastman Dental Hospital are jointly referred to as the Eastman.

The RNTNE Hospital is situated in a new purpose built site on Huntley Street opened in 2019 and interfaces very closely with the main Trust site and the other Specialist Hospitals. A number of joint clinics are undertaken in liaison with the other Directorates to optimise patient care. The Clinical Departments in the Eastman are grouped under 3 Divisions which are Growth and Development, Restorative and Diagnostic Medical & Surgical Sciences. The Divisions are comprised of the following Departments:

- **Growth and Development** - Orthodontics, Craniofacial, Orthognathics and Paediatric Dentistry
- **Restorative Dentistry** - Prosthodontics, Endodontics, Periodontology, Implantology and DCP training
- **Diagnostic Medical & Surgical Sciences** - Oral surgery, Oral medicine, Facial Pain and Special Care Dentistry

The clinical departments cover all aspects of dentistry and medically related fields. In addition to the traditional subjects novel academic units supporting clinical advancements and new areas of training include Biomedical Informatics, Continuing Professional Development and Information Technology.

The Eastman also offers various training programmes several of which are recognised as contributing to specialization. The Hospital also incorporates the Burkhart School of Dental Hygiene and Dental Therapy, the School of Dental Nursing and a Dental Technician Training School, and is dedicated to high quality training for all members of the dental team.

The post holder will be based within the Paediatric Dental Department and will liaise with a wide range of teams both clinical and non clinical under the guidance of the Consultants in the department.

WORK AND INTERESTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PAEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

The Department forms part of the Division of Growth and Development. The range of specialty services provided by the department includes:

- Preventive advice and therapy
- Paediatric restorative dentistry
- Pharmacological behaviour management techniques including inhalation sedation, intravenous sedation and general anaesthesia
- Care of medically compromised children and children with disability/learning difficulty
- Management of children with oro-dental trauma
- Management of children with complex dental anomalies
- Management of paediatric oral pathology

SOURCE OF PATIENT REFERRALS

The Department provides advice and treatment for a wide range of patients up to the age of 16 years, referred by general dental practitioners; community dental officers; general medical practitioners; dental specialists, including those in other departments within the Eastman; and a variety of paediatric medical specialties from UCLH and Great Ormond Street Hospital.

SPECIALIST SERVICES PROVIDED WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT

Specialist services in paediatric dentistry are provided at The RNTNE Hospital site under local anaesthesia, inhalation sedation and intravenous sedation as appropriate.

The day-case general anaesthetic facility is located within the main UCLH site on Euston Road. Paediatric dentistry has 9 day-case operating sessions per week for comprehensive dental care and minor oral surgery under general anaesthesia. This includes 2 sessions per week for children with medical disabilities.

Multidisciplinary clinics held within the department include:

- Hypodontia clinic held with our orthodontic and restorative colleagues
- Paediatric Oral Medicine clinic
- Joint Orthodontics and Paediatric Dental clinic.

A weekly dental anomalies clinic is held within the department with a special interest in the diagnosis and management of inherited dental anomalies. The department is a major referral centre for oro-dental trauma, with care being planned and delivered on specialist trauma clinics.

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

1. The Consultation Clinics at The Eastman Dental Hospital provide the trainee with a diverse group of patients presenting with a wide range of clinical problems. The trainee will gain experience in the assessment and treatment planning of new patients with complex medical problems; behaviour management problems; dento-alveolar trauma; dental anomalies and oral pathology.
2. The Eastman has 9 GA sessions per week for comprehensive dental care and minor oral surgery. One of the consultants in paediatric dentistry is on the Oral Surgery Specialist list providing experience in the management of more complex surgical cases.
3. The trainee would be expected to participate in multidisciplinary clinics such as the Hypodontia Clinic, Orthodontic & Paediatric Dental clinics, the Paediatric Oral Medicine clinic and the Dental Anomalies clinic.
4. The trainee would be expected to participate in Trauma clinics.
5. UCLH has general paediatric services and is a major centre for adolescent oncology. The paediatric dental department has close links with Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH).
6. The trainee would be expected to undertake audit projects, research, submission of manuscripts for publication and quality improvement projects within their training period. Adequate time is built into the timetable for these activities.
7. The trainee would be expected to participate in monthly departmental teaching meetings and the monthly departmental Clinical Governance meetings.

The department is supported by a full complement of dental nurses, a play specialist, dental therapists, reception staff and secretaries.

STAFF OF THE DEPARTMENT

Consultant and Clinical Lead

Mrs Amanda O'Donnell

Academic Lead

Professor Paul Ashley Consultant in Paediatric Dentistry (f/t)

Academic staff

Dr Susan Parekh Lecturer and Consultant in Paediatric Dentistry (f/t)

Consultants in Paediatric Dentistry

Ms Adele Johnson (f/t)
Mrs Prabhleen Anand (p/t)
Mrs Isabelle Holroyd (p/t)
Miss Ursula Devalia (p/t)
Ms Alexandra Lynne (f/t)
Miss Suzanne Dunkley (p/t)

Specialty Dentists in Paediatric Dentistry

Mrs Haydee Hussein (f/t)
Ms Tanya Malkiel (p/t)

Junior Hospital Staff

K Horisk (pre CCST)
D Drysdale (pre CCST)
A Ahmad (pre CCST ACF)
DCT1 (f/t)
DCT2 (f/t)

Postgraduates (UCL)

10 postgraduates undertaking the three year DDent in Paediatric Dentistry.

Other professionals

K Paxton - Play Specialist

General Manager

Mr S Holder
Ms M Campisova – Assistant General Manager

Admin and Clerical Staff:

Secretarial support is provided to all staff and the department is supported by a service delivery manager and a team of reception staff.

All staff have access to IT facilities.

The Paediatric Dentistry Department is supported by the Trust's Electronic Patient Record EPIC

Year 1: Provisional Timetable for post CCST Eastman

| Day | Time | Activity | Consultant Cover |
|------------------|-----------|---|--|
| Monday | am | Consultant Clinic | Miss S.Dunkley/Prof P Ashley/Dr Parekh |
| | pm | Outpatient treatment session | Dr P Ashley/Dr S Parekh |
| Tuesday | am | Audit | |
| | pm | Outpatient treatment session- IS | Ms U. Devalia/Ms A O'Donnell |
| Wednesday | am | All day GA special needs list 3:4 | Ms A. Johnson/ Ms A O'Donnell |
| | pm | All day GA fully comprehensive list 1:4 | |
| Thursday | am | Orthodontic/paediatric clinic 1:2 Research 1:2 | Prof P Ashley/Mr J. Noar (Consultant orthodontist) |
| | pm | Outpatient treatment session 1:2 Admin 1:2 | Mrs Holroyd |
| Friday | am | Outpatient treatment session 1:2 IV sedation/surgical list 1:2 | Mrs I Holroyd Mrs P Anand |
| | pm | Admin 1:2 Staff meeting and Clinical Governance meeting 1:4 Departmental teaching 1:4 | |

Year 2 Provisional Timetable for post CCST Eastman

| Day | Time | Activity | Consultant Cover |
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| Monday | am | Consultant Clinic 1:2 All day GA fully comprehensive list 1:2 | Miss S.Dunkley /Dr P Ashley/Dr S Parekh |
| | pm | Outpatient treatment session 1:2 All day GA fully comprehensive list 1:2 | |
| Tuesday | am | Consultant Clinic | Ms U Devalia/ Miss O'Donnell |
| | pm | Audit | |
| Wednesday | am | Hypodontia MDT clinic 1:2 Anomalies clinic 1:2 | Mrs P Anand Dr S Parekh |
| | pm | Clinical supervision of DDent students | Dr S Parekh |
| Thursday | am | Paediatric/oral medicine clinic 1:2 Research 1:2 | Ms A Johnson & Mr T Hodgson (Oral medicine) |
| | pm | Outpatient treatment session 1:2 Admin 1:2 | Mrs I Holroyd |
| Friday | am | Outpatient treatment session- IS 1:2 IV sedation/surgical list 1:2 | Miss I Holroyd Mrs P Anand |
| | pm | Admin 1:2 Staff meeting and Clinical Governance meeting 1:4 Departmental teaching 1:4 | |

