

2022 DFT National Recruitment

Deanery/ HEE Local Office	South West	Deanery/ HEE Local Office website address	https://dental.southwest.hee.nhs.uk/	
Scheme Information	Name of Scheme/Area	Name of TPD	Site and usual day for Educational Programme (Day Release)	Start date
	Bristol & South Cotswolds	Phil Loughnane	Park House, Newbrick Road, Stoke Gifford, Bristol BS34 8YU	1.9.22
Geographical spread (towns usually included) Please note -training practices for 2022 have not yet been appointed. Any information given on our website is for guidance only.	Cheltenham to Central Bristol and stretching west as far as Portishead.			
Local Allocation Process followed in 2022 (This may be subject to alteration for 2022).	National Recruitment			
Overview	The Bristol FD Scheme has a fantastic group of experienced Educational Supervisors who are all committed to ensuring your smooth transition to working in practice. With the support of such high-quality teams, well-			

equipped practices and caring Educational Supervisors, you will quickly be practising the kind of dentistry you were trained to provide for your patients.

As TPD, I try to assemble a range of speakers who will respect your undergraduate teaching but also call on you to challenge it. The ethos of the scheme is to value your experience and contribution in a postgraduate environment ensuring you feel part of a bigger family – the Bristol Scheme. Be prepared to learn from your colleagues as confidential, honest discussion between peers in the supportive atmosphere of a study day is a powerful tool for helping you resolve problems you may be facing.

The year starts with a two-day induction covering the nuts and bolts of surviving the transition to practice and the essential elements for successful completion of the year. Close proximity to Bristol Dental Hospital allows some excellent hands-on study days. The Bristol scheme is the only scheme in the SW to take part in a practical IV Sedation & Oral Surgery Day. Most FDs on the Bristol Scheme undertake MFDS Part I during their FD year and you should find the study day programme helps you prepare for this. The South West FD Project allows FDs the opportunity to complete a community engagement project and full training and support is provided.

The Bristol Scheme is one of the most compact schemes geographically, which means you will have colleagues on hand to socialise with and a great city to explore.

Bristol Educational Supervisors have an infectious enthusiasm for dentistry and will happily invest their time in you to help you achieve your potential in practice.

Foundation dentists are paid according to the nationally agreed salary in each of the three UK countries involved in this nationally coordinated recruitment process:

- For England and Wales the exact figure appears in the Statements of Financial Entitlement published periodically by the Departments of Health for England and Wales. For Northern Ireland this is published in the Statement of Dental Remuneration (SDR).
- Please note that the figure published and applicable at the date of application may not be the same as that in force at the time of starting in post.