

2022 DFT National Recruitment

Deanery/ HEE Local Office	Dental Directorate Thames Valley & Wessex	Deanery/ HEE Local Office website address	http://www.oxforddeanery.nhs.uk/dental_school_home/dental_foundation_training.aspx	
Scheme Information	Name of Scheme/Area	Name of TPD	Site and usual day for Educational Programme (Day Release)	Start date
	Portsmouth Scheme	James Kingham	Education Centre Queen Alexandra Hospital Cosham Portsmouth PO6 3LY Thursdays	01/09/2022
Geographical spread (towns usually included) Please note - training practices for 2022 have not yet been appointed.	<p style="color: red; text-align: center;">***There might be an hour and a half commute to the practice and study day events***</p> <p style="text-align: center;">South & East Hampshire - Portsmouth, Southampton, Gosport, Southsea, Havant, New Forest, Isle of Wight, Alton</p>			

<p>Any information given on our website is for guidance only.</p>	
<p>Local Allocation Process followed in 2021 (This may be subject to alteration for 2022).</p>	<p>On 4th July after the upgrade deadline has passed, the Dental Team will invite you to our local allocation process. New Trainees will be emailed presentations from the local practices and asked to rank them in the order of preference.</p> <p>Allocation of trainers is dependent upon the preference made by the FDs and priority is given to those FDs with the highest scores received during the national recruitment process. FDs are notified of their allocated trainer by email and must accept their placement within 48 hours. Failure to respond means the place will be offered to another applicant on the course.</p>
<p>Overview</p>	<p>Foundation training in Portsmouth represents an exciting opportunity for newly qualified dentists.</p> <p>The Training Programme Director - James Kingham is a General Dental Practitioner in Hampshire in a 6 surgery NHS practice. He has been training newly qualified dentists at the practice for 10 years. James qualified from Bristol in 1996, has a Certificate in Medical Education and is enthusiastic about his role in postgraduate education.</p> <p>He runs the Portsmouth scheme linking Foundation Dentists, their trainers and the study days. He provides individual support and mentoring and problem solving for all Foundation Dentists on the scheme.</p> <p>The Training Practices - All training practices and trainers have been carefully selected and represent the highest professional standards. Portsmouth trainers have all undergone additional postgraduate education, and many currently have or are studying for postgraduate certificates in education.</p> <p>Study Days - The Thursday day release course is held at the new Portsmouth Queen Alexandra Hospital and is a comprehensive 30 day study programme covering the Foundation Training Curriculum. We utilise many acclaimed</p>

educators and include hands on clinical skills days covering crown and bridgework, endodontics and oral surgery together with two residential courses, including a national conference for dentists.

Portsmouth Dental Academy – The scheme has links with the academy which provides an outreach centre for Kings College undergraduate dental students as well as training dental care professionals.

Portsmouth and the surrounding area

Portsmouth is a city on the move with its modern university, new shopping centre and waterside restaurants. The amazing 170m high Spinnaker Tower situated on the waterfront of Gunwharf Quays offers spectacular 23 mile views over Portsmouth's busy harbour, with attractive views of the Isle of Wight, just a few miles from the mainland.

The surrounding areas of Southampton, Isle of Wight, the New Forest and rolling hills of the Meon Valley represent some of England's finest countryside. Outdoor activities such as sailing, yachting, surfing, windsurfing, kite surfing, horse riding, mountain biking and hill walking are all on your doorstep. For a quieter day head to one of a multitude of blue flag beaches.

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.