

**LONDON KENT, SURREY AND SUSSEX (LKSS) DEANERY  
IN CONJUNCTION WITH KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL AND LONDON  
COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE (CLCH) NHS TRUST**

**JOB DESCRIPTION**

**for**

**SPECIALTY TRAINEE (NHS) IN ENDODONTICS**

**at**

**KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL**

**NHS FOUNDATION TRUST**

**AND**

**LONDON COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE (CLCH) NHS TRUST**

## **1. The Appointment**

This is a full-time substantive position for 3 years for one full time Specialty Trainee (ST) post in Endodontics in the London, Kent, Surrey and Sussex Deanery (LKSS) based at the King's College Hospital and London Community Healthcare (CLCH) NHS Trust.

The post will provide the occupant with the level of knowledge, competence and understanding necessary to fulfil the training requirements of trainees aspiring to become a Specialist in Endodontics.

The successful applicant will undertake formal training leading to a Certificate of Completion of Specialist Training in Endodontics, this being subject to Annual Review of Competency Progression and complying with the recommendations of the SAC in Endodontics over a 3-year period of full-time training.

## **2. Visits to the Hospitals**

General enquiries, about the job or for an informal discussion about this post should be directed to Ms Shivani Rana RANA, [shivanirana@nhs.net](mailto:shivanirana@nhs.net) (King's College Hospital) or Ms Keshari Leelasena [k.leelasena@nhs.net](mailto:k.leelasena@nhs.net) (CLCH).

### **London Kent Surrey and Sussex**

**The LKSS training will be Consultant led and will be provided at the following Hospitals/Clinics:**

Kings College Hospital, London

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup

London Community Healthcare (CLCH) NHS Trust – Parsons Green and Soho Centres for Health & Care

Other placements in hospitals in London Kent Surrey Sussex will be timetabled as appropriate.

### **3. The Dental Hospital of King's College NHS Foundation Trust at King's College Hospital**

King's College Hospital is one of the largest and busiest in London, with a well-established national and international reputation for clinical care, innovation and achievement. Two thirds of the clinical activities of the hospital are in support of the socially and economically diverse communities of the boroughs of Southwark and Lambeth. As both a healthcare provider and a major employer with over 7,000 staff, King's plays an important part in helping reduce local, social and health inequalities. The hospital provides a broad range of secondary services, including specialist emergency medicine (e.g. trauma, cardiac and stroke). It also provides a number of leading-edge tertiary services, such as liver transplantation, neurosciences, haemato-oncology, foetal medicine, cardiology and cardiac surgery, on a regional and national basis.

King's College Hospital has an enviable track record in research and development and service innovation. In partnership with King's College London the Trust has recently been awarded a National Research Centre in Patient Safety and Service Quality. It is also a partner in two National Institute for Health Research biomedical research centres. The first is a Comprehensive centre with King's College London and Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust and the second is a Specialist centre with the South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust and the Institute of Psychiatry. King's College Hospital has also recently strengthened its research and development infrastructure in order better to support clinical researchers across the organisation.

The hospital is principally located on a single site, with approximately 900 beds, but has several important outlying satellite services including dialysis, foetal medicine, cardiac diagnostics, and outpatient outreach clinics in other locations. It works in close collaboration with other health providers in Southeast London, including Primary Care Trusts, to ensure the sustainability and excellence of services across the area. In recent years, there has been substantial investment in both the facilities and resources of the hospital, which has transformed the quality of care that it now delivers.

Further information about King's can be found on its website, [www.kch.nhs.uk](http://www.kch.nhs.uk)

The Trust has an annual income in excess of £570m, the majority of which is derived from Primary Care Trust commissions. However, education and research are also important sources of income, currently contributing around 8% of the total. The Trust is embarking on a strategy to achieve greater diversification of its income, with growth anticipated in tertiary referrals, research and commercial services activities. There is also a developing fund-raising partnership with the King's College Hospital Charity.

The Department of Restorative Dentistry and Traumatology forms part of the Trust's Dental Institute, part of the Division of Ambulatory Care and provides a comprehensive range of clinical services in all the main dental specialties.

The clinical activity takes place primarily on the second floor of the dental institute on a state-of-the-art high-tech multifunctional clinic attended by specialist staff, specialist trainees, postgraduate students and junior staff.

The department trains all of the following groups of students: MClintDent Postgraduate students of endodontics, Specialty Trainees in Restorative Dentistry; Dental Core Trainees, early years foundation trainees and undergraduate students.

Involvement in high quality research is strongly encouraged at King's, as this supports both the delivery of high-quality clinical care, and our role as a partner in a major Academic Health Sciences Centre.

### **Senior staff**

- Ms Shivani Rana - Clinical Lead and Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Mr Aws Alani – Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Mr Mohammadreza Aryafar – Consultant in Endodontics
- Mr Khawer Ayub - Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Ms Gita Auplish – Consultant in Periodontics
- Professor Igor R. Blum – Hon. Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Mr Ed Brady - Consultant in Endodontics
- Ms Despoina Chatzistavrianou – Consultant in Restorative Dentistry, KCH & Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup
- Ms Sela Hussain - Consultant in Restorative Dentistry, Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup
- Mr Jagdip Kalsi – Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Mr Martin Kelleher – Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Mr Alex Mustard – Consultant in Endodontics
- Professor Brian Millar – Hon. Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Ms Bhavya Mohan - Consultant in Periodontics
- Ms Luciana Melo - Consultant in Endodontics
- Mr Ronan O'Leary - Consultant in Restorative Dentistry
- Ms Nectaria Polycarpou – Consultant in Endodontics
- Ms Bhavya Mohan – Consultant in Periodontics
- Ms Dipti Mehta – Consultant in Endodontics
- Ms Sneha Kubal – Consultant in Prosthodontics
- Mr Naren Thanabalan - Consultant in Restorative Dentistry

### **4. London Community Healthcare (CLCH) NHS Trust**

- Mr Bikram Bal- Consultant and Clinical Lead Oral Surgery
- Ms Soureya Seetal – Consultant and Clinical Lead in Periodontics
- Ms Keshari Leelasena – Consultant and Clinical Lead in Endodontics

## 5. Job Description

The ST will attend clinics and manage patients under the supervision of consultants and specialist within the departments.

Additional clinical attachments may also be arranged at other specialist centres within the Region and adjacent Regions if additional training needs are identified.

The ST will be entitled to 30 days study leave per annum. Formal training provided within the training programme will be counted as part of the study leave. Funding for study leave will be in accordance with current Deanery guidelines and funding.

### Indicative Job Plan

Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM	SPA	Treatment	New Patient	New Patient	New Patient and Treatment
PM	Teaching/Research	Review	Treatment	Treatment	New Patient and Treatment
Location	KCH	KCH	Sidcup	KCH	Parsons Green/Soho Square

## 6. Applications

All applications must be made using the HEE National Recruitment.

All appointments will be made subject to satisfactory occupational health and employment checks.

Enquires should be made to: