# Orthodontic Training Programme Job Description

# **Post Details**

| HEE Office:                         | London HEE                          |
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| Job Title:                          | ST4 Trainee in Orthodontics         |
| Person Specification:               | NRO to complete                     |
| Hours of work & nature of Contract: | 2 years                             |
| Main training site:                 | St Georges Hospital (6 sessions)    |
| Other training site(s):             | Kings College Hospital (4 sessions) |

# **Organisational Arrangements**

| Training Programme Director (TPD):   | Sofia Ahmad  |
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#### **Training Details**

#### **Education and Training**

This post is suitable for those who wish to further develop their practice in orthodontics and undertake training to consultant level. The post offers a broad experience of all aspects of orthodontics and provides an exciting opportunity to develop and enhance the services provided to the local community. Duties include both clinic and MDT meetings, with involvement in teaching and mentoring more junior staff.

The post holder is expected to treat a range of patients in accordance with departmental guidelines. The post holder will be encouraged to develop their clinical skills and progress in the post, taking on increasingly complex patients and caseload. Whilst service delivery is important, contributions to the wider Trust in fields such as audit, outcomes, research management and teaching will be encouraged.

#### **Duties and Responsibilities of postholder**

Training will involve development of diagnosis and management of a range of complex malocclusions including cases requiring multi-disciplinary input. The Post holder will be expected to work independently and gain skills in management, critical appraisal and research/Audit appropriate for consultant practice. They will be encouraged to teach and take a wider role within the orthodontic department and develop their personal and professional skills. Each Post CCST will have a personal caseload but also have a responsibility for the running of the orthodontic department. Study and examination leave allowance are as stated in the Terms and Conditions of Service. As part of the curriculum, assessments will be used to assess key competencies with work-based assessments (WBA) throughout the two-year period.



#### **Main Training Site:**

#### 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 excellence, 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 a number of 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 South East 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.

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."

King's College Hospital offers a family friendly working approach for all staff to ensure a good work-life balance. It is an environment where family life is promoted and this will be a feature of your annual appraisal. The Trust provides childcare advice and nursery facilities in conjunction with a supportive mentoring and career planning programme. Applications for job sharing are welcome.



#### **Department Description**

#### Introduction

The Orthodontic Department forms part of the King's College London School of Dentistry and as such is split over 2 sites: Denmark Hill and London Bridge. The orthodontic service provision forms part of the Trust's Clinical Service in dentistry. In an average year, approximately 2,700 new patients are referred to the department and 15,000 patients attend the department, on an outpatient basis, for treatment. Currently, only those patients who warrant hospital orthodontic care (rated as having an Index of Orthodontic Treatment Need grade 4 or grade 5) are accepted for treatment within the department. Many patients require input from other specialists as part of their care, namely Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Restorative and Paediatric Dentistry.

The department is situated on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of King's College Dental Hospital. It comprises 18 dental chairs in an open clinic and 1 fully equipped enclosed side surgery, for the delivery of dental care. 5 dental chairs on the main clinic are used for undergraduate teaching and learning.

#### **Clinical Organisation**

#### **Orthodontic Staff**

Miss H Tippett 5 PAs
Mr G Mack 8 PAs
Mrs S Patel 7 Pas
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Mrs M Shahid Noorani Clinical Lead 5 PAs KCH and 2 PAs QMH

Miss E O'Higgins 2 PAs Mr S Grewal 6 PAs

Miss R Stephens 7 PAs KCH

Miss G Brown 2 PAs KCH 4 PAs QMH

Mr J Seehra 2 PAs

Miss A Keshtgar 3 PAs KCH and 4 PAs St Georges

Mr M Mousavi Specialist Orthodontist 2 PAs
Mrs R Connor Specialist Orthodontist 2 PAs
Miss C Burnett Orthodontic Therapist 8 PAs
Miss H Motahari Orthodontic Therapist 10 Pas
Miss A Phian Orthodontic Therapist 10 PAs



#### **Specialist Trainees**

Post-CCST 1.8 WTE (4 part time post-CCST)

Specialty Registrar 7 part time StRs Postgraduate Trainees (KCL) 6 part time PG's

#### Interdisciplinary Clinics held with following:

#### **Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Consultants**

Mr J Osher

Dr K Fan

Ms F Ryba

Mr B Robertson

Mr N Via

Mr A Ujam

Mr S Mistry

#### **Restorative Consultants**

Prof I Blum (Clinical Lead)

Mr A Alani

Miss D Chatzistaviranou

Mr A MAglad

#### **Consultant Paediatric Dentists**

Miss M Ahluwalia

Dr S Sood

Miss M Patel

#### **Oral Surgery Consultants**

Miss C Bryant

#### **Teaching and Training**

King's College Hospital, as a major teaching hospital, works in partnership with the KCL School of Dentistry to provide the highest possible quality of dental education. The quality of King's graduates supports the performance of the Trust. The mutual interest of the Trust and School in quality dental education is supported by the SIFT contract.

The trainee will be expected to participate in undergraduate teaching. These activities would include the planning and review of teaching, and the assessment of students which could, where properly structured, be undertaken simultaneously with service delivery commitments.

There is a DCP School based at King's College Hospital. The trainee will be expected to participate in the training of orthodontic nurses and therapists.



### **Second Training Site:**

St Georges'

#### ST GEORGE'S UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

St. George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust is one of the largest healthcare units in the United Kingdom accommodating around 1170 beds and treating around 89,000 inpatient and day cases, and over 448,000 outpatients annually. The Trust employs over 6,000 staff incorporating 1,100 Medical & Dental Staff. It provides general acute services together with specialty services including neurosciences, cardiothoracic, and specialist children's services.

St. George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust is the main teaching hospital in the western sector of the South Thames, and as such has developed links with most district general hospitals throughout South Thames West, and supports a significant training programme for junior doctors who rotate through the Trust.

The Trust is on three sites, St George's Hospital, the base for acute general medicine and surgical services, Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton (QMR), and St John's Therapy Centre, Battersea, where therapy services and services for care of elderly patients are now based. The Trust serves a resident population of about 300,000 and serves two local Primary Care Trusts, Wandsworth and Sutton & Merton which have a total population of approximately 600,000 between them.

As well as acute hospital services, we provide a wide variety of specialist and community hospital based care and a full range of community services to children, adults, older people and people with learning disabilities. These services are provided from Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton, 11 health centres and clinics, schools and nurseries, patients' homes and Wandsworth Prison.

Further information about St Georges can be found at www.stgeorges.nhs.uk

#### St George's University of London

St. George's, University of London, is the only remaining independently governed medical school in the country. A College of the University of London, we have been providing medical and healthcare training for over 250 years.

Our Mission is "to promote by excellence in teaching, clinical practice and research, the prevention, treatment and understanding of disease." 5,500 students study at St George's, divided between two faculties, Medicine & Biomedical Sciences, and Health & Social Care Sciences (a joint venture with Kingston University). Our courses range from medicine, biomedical sciences, nursing, midwifery, physiotherapy, to therapeutic and diagnostic radiography as well as postgraduate courses.

St George's prides itself on providing the highest standard of learning through the latest in teaching and learning resources, exceptional research, innovative course development, enterprise and innovation, and strategic partnerships. We were the first to introduce a 4-year MBBS Graduate Entry Programme (GEP) open to graduates from all disciplines.

In research, we are equally as innovative and driven by high standards of excellence to advance healthcare, ranked 4th in the UK for global impact in the 2014 Research Excellence Framework. In addition to a broad clinical trials portfolio, academic research is focussed on a number of themes organized within three recently created Research Institutes: Cardiovascular



and cell science (including the Neurosciences Centre), Infection and Immunity and Population health.

St. George's success has been aided by our strategic partnerships with other institutions. Our life-long partnership with St. George's Hospital, together with our joint Faculty of Health, Social Care and education has created a unique learning and research environment. Supporting research and educational programs which takes advantage of the co-location of high quality clinical and academic expertise on a single site is an explicit joint strategic priority for the university and trust, and has already proved highly successful. More information about the Education and Research at St George's University of London can be found at <a href="https://www.sgul.ac.uk">www.sgul.ac.uk</a>.

#### **Orthodontic Consultant Establishment**

The Consultant team at St Georges Healthcare NHS Trust comprises of three posts. There are Orthodontic trainees (both StR and FTTA) from Guy's and King's hospital as well as DCT trainees.

There are consultant led joint clinics with Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Restorative dentistry and with the Paediatric Dental team.

**Main Duties/Key Results Areas:** Focusing, where possible, on outcomes qualitative as well as quantitative.

The following responsibilities are common to all posts in the Trust and should be included at some point in the job description.

To have responsibility for the Health, Safety and Welfare of self and others and to comply at all times with the requirement of the Health and Safety Regulations.

To ensure confidentiality at all times, only releasing confidential information obtained during the course of employment to those acting in an official capacity in accordance with the provisions of the Data Protection Act and its amendments.

To work in accordance with the Trust's Equal Opportunities policy to eliminate unlawful discrimination in relation to employment and service delivery.

To promote at all times equal opportunities for staff and patients in accordance with St George's Healthcare policies to ensure that no person receives less favourable treatment than another on the grounds of: age; disability; marriage and civil partnership; pregnancy and maternity; race (ethnicity); religion or belief; sex (gender); gender reassignment or sexual orientation.

To ensure skills are up-to-date and relevant to the role, to follow relevant Trust policies and professional codes and to maintain registration where this is a requirement of the role.

To undertake such duties as may be required from time to time as are consistent with the responsibilities of the grade and the needs of the service.

This job description is not an exhaustive document but is a reflection of the current position. Details and emphasis may change in line with service needs after consultation with the postholder.

St George's Healthcare NHS Trust is an Equal Opportunities employer and operates a No Smoking Policy.



# Staff Involved in Training

| Name                      | Job Title                 | Site                    | Role                                 |  |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| КСН                       |                           |                         |                                      |  |
| Mrs M Shahid Noorani      | Consultant/ Clinical Lead | KCH                     | Clinical supervisor/ Clinical Lead   |  |
| Miss H Tippett            | Consultant                | KCH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Mr G Mack                 | Consultant                | KCH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Mrs S Patel               | Consultant                | KCH                     | Educational & Clinical<br>Supervisor |  |
| Mr S Patel Consultant     |                           | KCH                     | Educational & Clinical Supervisor    |  |
| Miss L O'Higgins          | Consultant                | KCH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Mr S Grewal               | Consultant                | KCH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Miss G Brown              | Consultant                |                         | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Mr J Seehra               | Consultant                | KCH Clinical Supervisor |                                      |  |
| St Georges:               |                           |                         |                                      |  |
| Miss Davenport Jones      | Consultant/ Clinical Lead | SGH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Miss Radia                | Consultant                | SGH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Miss Keshtgar             | Consultant                |                         | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Miss Comerford Consultant |                           | SGH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |
| Mr MacDonald Consultant   |                           | SGH                     | Clinical Supervisor                  |  |

#### Indicative timetable

(The Timetable is subject to change within the SAC guidelines)

|    | Mon       | Tue       | Wed       | Thu               | Fri            |
|----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|----------------|
| AM |           | SGH       | SGH       | KCH               | SGH            |
|    | KCH       | NP and    | NP Clinic | Admin             | Treatment      |
|    | Treatment | Treatment |           |                   |                |
|    |           | alternate |           |                   |                |
|    |           | weeks     |           |                   |                |
| PM |           | SGH       | SGH       | KCH               | SGH            |
|    | KCH       | Treatment | Treatment | Ortho/Paeds/Oral  | Admin          |
|    | Treatment |           |           | Surgery clinics ¾ | Craniofacial ¼ |
|    |           |           |           | NP 1/4            | OG 1/8         |
|    |           |           |           |                   |                |

**Annual and Study Leave**Annual and study leave will be pro-rata shared across both Trusts. Application for both will be as per departmental policy at each site.





