

Orthodontic Training Programme Job Description

Post Details

HEE Office:	
Job Title:	ST4 Orthodontics, Brighton/Guy's
Person Specification:	NRO to complete
Hours of work & nature of Contract:	
Main training site: 50:50 Split Post	Week 1 Royal Alexandra Hospital, Brighton Week 2 Guy's Hospital, London
Other training site(s):	

Organisational Arrangements

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Training Details

(Description of post)

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

Duties of post

- Management of a range of complex malocclusions specifically chosen as appropriate to additional specialist training, including those requiring interdisciplinary management.
- Provide teaching and clinical training for undergraduates, postgraduates and career junior hospital staff.
- Participation in diagnostic clinics for the acceptance and review of patients and advising GPs on the treatment of their patients.
- Support and development of skills of Orthodontic Therapists and other Dental Health Care Professionals.
- Involvement in audit and journal club meetings and to foster a commitment to evidence-based practice.
- Involvement in the managerial aspects of running an Orthodontic department.
- There is potential for research leading to publications and other methods for the dissemination of knowledge.

Audit/Research

The Trusts recognise the importance of advancing and disseminating knowledge of the biomedical sciences and the development and application of new and improved methods of treatment and patient care. The trainee will participate in education and training; clinical audit, clinical risk management and the clinical governance activities of the Department and the Trust to ensure full and proper records are completed for this purpose. The StR will be encouraged to take a department lead on research matters.

Description of main training site

University Hospitals Sussex NHS Foundation Trust

We provide care for 1.8 million patients, covering a geographical area of approximately 3,800km². This includes all of Sussex for trauma; Brighton and Hove, Mid and East Sussex for cancer and neurosurgery; and district general acute services for Brighton and Hove, West and Mid Sussex, extending into East Sussex.

We operate across five main hospital sites:

- Princess Royal Hospital in Haywards Heath
- Royal Sussex County Hospital in Brighton
- St Richard's Hospital in Chichester
- Southlands Hospital in Shoreham-by-Sea
- Worthing Hospital in the centre of Worthing

NB: The Brighton campus includes the Royal Sussex County Hospital, The Royal Alexandra Children's Hospital and the Sussex Eye Hospital.

The Department of Orthodontics, Paediatric Dentistry and Restorative Dentistry.

The department of Orthodontics, Paediatric Dentistry and Restorative Dentistry is based within the Royal Alexandra Children's Hospital which is on the Royal Sussex County Hospital site. This facility opened in June 2007, and benefits from 3 fully equipped treatment rooms (one double chair room and 2 single chair rooms), consultant offices, a Specialist Registrars' office, secretarial office and administration facilities. There is also a fully equipped Orthodontic Laboratory in the department.

The department provides a specialist orthodontic service for patients referred from both primary care (GDS, CDS and Specialist Practitioners) and consultant colleagues. A full range of orthodontic care is provided for patients of all ages. The department has a significant caseload of patients with multidisciplinary problems, and joint consultant clinics are held regularly within the department.

- Joint orthognathic clinics are held twice monthly with Consultants in Oral and Maxillo-facial Surgery.
- Joint Orthodontic-Paediatric clinics are held twice a month.
- Joint Orthodontic-Restorative Clinics are held twice a month.
- Multi-disciplinary Cleft Clinics are held monthly in the department as part of the managed clinical network for cleft services in South East England, and all orthodontic elements of cleft care are provided locally.

The hospital Radiology Department provides an excellent, timely service for all extra-oral views. In addition there are two intra-oral digital x-ray machines in the department.

The clinical media centre provides a full range of medical photography for our patients.

We also benefit from a fully equipped laboratory, staffed by a team of experienced technicians. All laboratory work is constructed "in-house" including full orthognathic

technical support.

This post will have office and secretarial/admin support within the department. All clinics are fully supported with a dedicated admin booking and reception team.

The ST4 will be given the opportunity to treat an appropriate spectrum of complex and multidisciplinary cases using a variety of appliances with consultant supervision. They will also have the opportunity to attend new patient /diagnostic clinics, MDT clinics and cleft clinics.

Description of second training site**Guy's and St. Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust**

The Trust consists of St Thomas' Hospital at Waterloo, including the Evelina Children's Hospital, and Guy's Hospital at London Bridge. We are also part of King's Health Partners (KHP), which comprises King's College London, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust, King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust. KHP is one of just five accredited UK Academic Health Sciences Centres (AHSCs). Through our AHSC, we are committed to making research and education integral to the delivery of high quality clinical care. Our hospitals have a long and proud history, dating back almost 900 years, and have been at the forefront of medical progress and innovation since they were founded. We continue to build on these traditions and have a reputation for clinical, teaching and research excellence.

We are part of King's Health Partners Academic Health Sciences Centre (AHSC), a pioneering collaboration between one of the world's leading research-led universities and three of London's most successful NHS Foundation Trusts. Our AHSC is one of only five in the UK and consists of King's College London and Guy's and St Thomas', King's College Hospital and South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trusts. For further information about Kings' Health Partners, Kings College London and our research please see the following links: <http://www.guysandstthomas.nhs.uk/research/research.aspx> and www.biomedicalresearchcentre.org

The Guy's Dental Hospital is the largest dental hospital in the UK. It forms part of the 'King's College London Faculty of Dentistry, Oral and Craniofacial Sciences at Guy's and St Thomas' Hospitals', the largest Dental Institute in Europe. The 2017 QS rankings rated the overall Dental Institute 1st in the UK, 1st in Europe and 1st in the world (2020). We seek to strengthen our position as an outstanding Academic Health Sciences Centre (AHSC) delivering clinical care, research, teaching and training. Further details of the Faculty of Dentistry, Oral and Craniofacial Sciences may be found on its website:

<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/dentistry/index.aspx>

The Dental Hospital is forward-looking and dynamic with many state of the art facilities in which to undertake clinical care and pursue research. The immediate goal is to maintain our position as one of the world's leading centres for dental healthcare, education and research.

The Department of Orthodontics

Since 2014 Orthodontic services are delivered from both the newly developed Dental Centre (Children's Dentistry & Orthodontics) at St Thomas' and the new Postgraduate Centre at Guy's. Cleft Lip and Palate Services are located at St Thomas' hospital in a purpose designed area.

Provision of orthodontic treatment is, apart from cleft services, located at Guy's Hospital. The main aim of the department is provision of a specialist service in orthodontics: We are the largest provider of level IIIa and IIIb treatments in the area. Services are delivered by consultants, Orthodontic therapists, Post CCT trainees and postgraduate students (national and international). A specialist service is provided for a wide range of patients, including children with learning difficulties or physical disability and inherited anomalies of the jaws and dentition. Referrals are accepted from general dental practitioners, general medical practitioners, Paediatricians and other medical and dental specialists.

We are committed to implementing paperless patient records, including 3D study models. We have used virtual models for over three years and have nearly completely abandoned the use of plaster models. The department offers temporary anchorage devices, lingual fixed appliances as well as aligner treatment where indicated.

GSTT are also hosting the academic department, which is engaged in education and clinical training of postgraduate dental students as well as the pursuit of research and scholarship.

Staff involved in training:

Name	Job Title	Site	Role
Miss Nicola Johnson	Consultant	Brighton	Clinical Supervisor
Miss Carmel Slipper	Consultant	Brighton	Educational Supervisor
Miss Radha Sunnak	Consultant	Brighton	Clinical Supervisor
Martyn Cobourne	Professor/Consultant	KCL	Clinical Supervisor
Jadbinder Seerha	Senior Lecturer/Consultant	KCL	Clinical Supervisor
Maisa Seppala	Senior Lecturer/Consultant	KCL	Clinical Supervisor
Dirk Bister	Professor/Consultant/ Clinical Lead	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Sophia Shah	Consultant	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Fraser McDonald	Professor/Consultant	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Natasha Wright	Consultant	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Lorraine Barretto	Consultant	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Stephen O'Connor	Consultant	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Sofia Ahmed	Consultant	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Golfam Khoshkhounejad	Consultant	GSTT/South Thames Cleft team	Clinical Supervisor
Farooq Ahmed	Consultant	GSTT	Clinical Supervisor
Miss Sarah Good	Consultant	South Thames Cleft team	Clinical Supervisor
Mr Alex Cash	Consultant	South Thames Cleft team	Clinical Supervisor

Indicative timetable (details are subject to change)

Week 1 Royal Alexandra Children's Hospital, Brighton

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
AM	Personal Treatment clinic Miss Johnson	Orthognathic MDT 1:2 Personal Treatment Clinic 1:2 Miss Slipper	Personal Treatment clinic 1:2 Miss Sunnak Cleft MDT 1:4 Orthodontic/Paediatric MDT 1:4	New Patient Clinic Miss Slipper 3:4 Orthodontic/Restorative MDT 1:4	Admin
PM	Personal Treatment clinic Miss Johnson	Personal Treatment clinic Miss Slipper	Personal Treatment Clinic 1:2 Admin 1:4 Governance 1:4	Personal Treatment clinic Miss Slipper	Orthodontic/Restorative/Paediatric Dentistry MDT 1:4 Admin 3:4

Week 2 Guy's Hospital

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
AM	Personal treatment	Personal Treatment 1:2 Cleft 1:2	Personal Treatment	Personal treatment / Perio /Ortho MDT 1:4	New Patient Clinic
PM	Admin	Personal Treatment 1:2 Cleft 1:2	Personal Treatment clinic Admin 1:4	Orthodontic/ Paed MDT 1:2 Admin 1:2	Postgraduate Supervision

Terms and Conditions

General

UH Sussex NHS Foundation Trust will be the lead employer for this post and will hold the post holders contract of employment.

Study Leave

Annual Leave

Annual leave must be taken proportionally between the two sites. All leave needs to be approved in line with the departmental and Trust leave policy.

Other information

Terms and Conditions of Service

The appointment is made subject to Terms and Conditions of Service 2016 for Hospital Medical and Dental Staff. All appointments are subject to Pre-Employment checks including verification of references, GMC Fitness to Practice updates, disclosure and barring service checks, work health assessments and immigration status checks.

General Conditions of Service

Medical Indemnity

As you will only be indemnified for duties undertaken on behalf of the Trust, it is advisable to be a member of a medical defence union.

Notice Period

The notice period for this post is three months, given by either party.