

Orthodontic Training Programme Job Description

Post Details

HEE Office:	North West
Job Title:	StR 4-5 in Orthodontics
Person Specification:	https://www.copdend.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/2022-Person-Specification-Orthodontics-ST4.pdf
Hours of work & nature of Contract:	Full time (Fixed term)
Main training site:	Alder Hey Hospital
Other training site(s):	Arrowe Park Hospital, Liverpool Dental Hospital

Organisational Arrangements

Training Programme Director (TPD):	Mr Ian Edwards
TPD contact details:	Department of Orthodontics Halton Hospital Hospital Way Runcorn WA7 2DA

Training Details

(Description of post)

This full-time training programme, of two years duration, provides higher specialty training in preparation for the Intercollegiate Specialty Fellowship Examination (ISFE) and FDS(Orth) of the Royal Surgical Colleges leading to eligibility to be appointed to a Consultant.

The training programme offers comprehensive training particularly in Multi-disciplinary Orthodontic treatment. This post is available to commence on 1st October 2022 and is part of the Mersey Orthodontic Speciality Training Programme in the North Western Deanery. The Training Programme is based at Alder Hey Children’s Hospital, Liverpool , with clinical commitments also at Arrowe Park Hospital on the Wirral and Liverpool Dental Hospital. The post comprises of all aspects of orthodontic practice including attendance at new patient clinics and treating cases of severe malocclusion including those requiring multidisciplinary orthognathic treatment, dento-alveolar surgery, joint restorative care; and orthodontic care of cleft lip and palate patients. There will be participation in postgraduate and undergraduate teaching and attendance at MDT Clinics with Oral and Maxillo-facial Surgery, Plastic Surgery and Restorative Dentistry colleagues. Facilities are available for research.

The post will be allocated an ST4,5 NTN in Orthodontics.

Duties and Responsibilities of postholder

This is a non-resident post at the hospitals in the training scheme.

The appointment is for 12 months in the first instance, renewable subject to satisfactory reports to a total of 2 years. The post will comprise all aspects of orthodontic practice, including attendance at new patient clinics, management and treatment of malocclusion in children and adults.

There are no out of hours on-call commitments. There is a commitment to cover casual patients according to a departmental rota.

Study leave facilities are available in accordance with the Terms and Conditions of Service subject to the approval of the Educational Supervisor and the Training Programme Director. Administrative duties will include attendance at departmental/regional meetings and undertaking some departmental administration.

The junior dentist accepts that he/she will also perform duties in occasional emergencies and unforeseen circumstances at the request of the appropriate Consultant, in consultation where practicable with his/her colleagues both senior and junior. It has been agreed between the profession and the Department that while juniors accept that they will perform such duties, the Secretary of State stresses that additional commitments arising under this sub-section are exceptional and in particular the juniors should not be required to undertake work of this kind for prolonged periods or on a regular basis.

Description of main training site

Alder Hey Children's NHS Trust is a major teaching hospital of the University of Liverpool. It serves not only the local population of children and is the tertiary referral centre for Children from Merseyside, Cheshire, parts of Lancashire, Shropshire and North Wales for many sub-specialties of Paediatrics.

The Trust provides a range of community services including school nursing, home carers and a child development centre. A Child & Adolescent Mental Health service is also provided with an inpatient unit based at the Trust. The hospital has approximately 270 beds, including day beds for surgery. The Paediatric services and expertise within the hospital are considerable and include Orthodontics, Paediatric Dentistry, Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, Cleft and Craniofacial Surgery, Paediatric Ophthalmology, Cardiology, Cardiothoracic Surgery, Neonatology, Neurology, neurosurgery, Audiology, Nephrology, Respiratory, Oncology, General Surgery and General Medicine. The Radiology Department provides CBCT, CT and MRI scanning service.

The state-of-the art hospital opened in October 2015. It sets a new benchmark within the NHS and has won many prestigious awards. The Dental and maxillofacial department is based in the outpatient building. It has 5 Dental Surgeries, a fully equipped speech Therapy Unit, a large

laboratory, together with office accommodation. There is a MDT room based in the department used for cleft and craniofacial multidisciplinary clinics.

Description of second training site

Arrowe Park Hospital is part Wirral Teaching Hospital NHS Trust. It is approximately 6 miles from Liverpool city centre. Arrowe Prk Hospital is a District General Teaching Hospital and it provides a secondary and tertiary consultation service for specialist orthodontic practitioners and general dental practitioners in the area, and other hospital specialists.

The Orthodontic Department works in close liaison and shares premises with the Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery team. It is situated in the outpatient's section of the main hospital building.

The whole department has nine surgeries, staffroom, reception area, secretarial room and Minor Oral Surgery Procedures room.

The orthodontic department has three fully equipped surgeries serviced by qualified dental nurses. There is a shared staff room for the consultant and orthodontic trainees with computing facilities for image archiving, orthognathic planning, and the standard office suites.

The department provides a consultation and treatment service for the local community as well as training of junior staff. Within the department there are well established joint clinics with Maxillofacial Surgery, Restorative Dentistry and Paediatric Dentistry.

Description of third training site *(if applicable)*

The Liverpool University Dental Hospital (LUDH) provides a secondary and tertiary regional service to the inhabitants of Merseyside, covering the full range of dental specialties, including diagnosis, oral surgery, oral medicine, conservation and prosthetic procedures, periodontal and orthodontic treatment. Day bed and laboratory facilities are located within the building.

The Liverpool University Dental Hospital is situated next to the Royal Liverpool University Hospital NHS Trust, the centre for medical teaching in the region.

There are currently 3 numbered Specialty Registrars on a 3-year (ST1-3) training programme in preparation for the Membership in Orthodontics and CCST in orthodontics. There are also 2 Post-CCST (ST4,5) posts in addition to this post.

Staff involved in training:

Name	Job Title	Site	Role
Mr I Edwards	Consultant Orthodontist	Halton Hospital	Training Programme Director
Mrs S Dominguez-Gonzalez	Consultant Orthodontist	Alder Hey Hospital	Trainer
Mr N Stanford	Consultant Orthodontist	Alder Hey Hospital	Trainer
Mr S Rudge	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Dr J Harrison	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Miss R Little	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Miss J Howell	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Mr R Gibson	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Mr T Morris	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Dr N Flannigan	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Mrs H Stevenson	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
Mr G Barry	Consultant Orthodontist	Arrowe Park Hospital	Trainer
Ms M Seshu	Consultant Orthodontist	Arrowe Park Hospital	Trainer
Mr B Lewis	Consultant Orthodontist	Wrexham Hospital	Seminar Facilitator
Miss S Gale	Consultant Orthodontist	Wrexham Hospital	Seminar Facilitator
Mr S Chadwick	Consultant Orthodontist	Countess of Chester	Seminar Facilitator
Mr H Mazey	Consultant Orthodontist	Warrington Hospital	Seminar Facilitator
Miss J Hickman	Consultant Orthodontist	Glan Clywd Hospital	Seminar Facilitator

Indicative timetable (details are subject to change)

Week 1

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
AM	Personal Treatment Alder Hey	Research/Study/Audit Arrowe Park Hospital	Personal Treatment Arrowe Park Hospital	NP (0.25) Personal Treatment (0.25) Alder Hey	Journal Club MDT Orthognathic Liverpool Dental Hospital/ Arrowe Park Hospital
PM	Personal Treatment Alder Hey	Personal Treatment Arrowe Park Hospital	NP Clinic (0.25) MDT Restorative/Paediatric Dentistry Clinic (0.25) Arrowe Park Hospital	Personal Treatment Alder Hey	Seminar Teaching (0.25) Personal Study Liverpool Dental Hospital

Week 2 (if applicable)

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
AM	Personal Treatment Alder Hey	Research/Study/Audit Arrowe Park Hospital	Personal Treatment Arrowe Park Hospital	NP (0.25) Personal Treatment (0.25) Alder Hey	Journal Club Personal Study Liverpool Dental Hospital
PM	Personal Treatment Alder Hey	Personal Treatment Arrowe Park Hospital	NP Clinic Arrowe Park Hospital	Personal Treatment Alder Hey	Personal Treatment Alder Hey

Terms and Conditions

General

The post is covered by the Terms and Conditions of Service of Hospital Medical and Dental Staff.

The appointee would be required to live within a reasonable distance from the base hospital. The agreement of the Authority to removal should be sought prior to entering into any removal arrangements, expenses will be reimbursed and grants paid only when the Authority is satisfied:

- that the practitioner is an eligible practitioner in accordance with
- the regulations;
- that the removal of the practitioner's home is required;
- that the arrangements proposed are reasonable.

Please see below link to 2016 Junior Doctors and Dentists Terms and Conditions of Service

<https://www.nhsemployers.org/search?search=terms+and+conditions+for+dentists+in+training>

Link correct as of 02/12/22

Study Leave

Study leave is permitted for a maximum of 30 days per annum, and each trainee is currently allocated a study leave budget of £805 per training year. Pro rata if Less Than Full Time training

<https://www.nwpgmd.nhs.uk/dental-study-leave>



Annual Leave

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Other information

N/A