

NTN Grid - Programme Information

Paediatric Clinical Pharmacology 2019

Please find below programme information for the above sub-specialty for training programmes starting in September 2019.

Page 2 contains a list of all submitted programmes of training; the job descriptions for each post follow on.

Each subspecialty grid programme covers the [RCPCH curriculum](#) as specified on the RCPCH.

Please note: Programme submissions can be withdrawn or amended at any point until an offer of employment has been made to an applicant.

Application Process

Applications for the NTN Grid open from 12 noon Friday 7 September 2018 and close at 12 noon Friday 28 September 2018. Applications can only be accessed during this period from the College website.

For more information on the grid process and to access the Grid Applicants Guide please visit: <http://www.rcpch.ac.uk/ntngrid>

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Programme Description 2019

Maximum Number of National Training Grid Appointments that may be made in 2019 for Paediatric Clinical Pharmacology	1
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East Midlands (North)	Derbyshire Children's Hospital	1	2-3	2

East Midlands (North)

Hospital / Centre	Placement Name	Duration (Months)	Educational Supervisor (name and e-mail) These will be published unless you ask otherwise	Compulsory (C) or Optional (O)	Availability Guaranteed (Y/N)
Derbyshire Children's Hospital	Paediatric Clinical Pharmacology	24-36	Lizzie Starkey Elizabeth.starkey@nhs.net	C	Y

Sub-specialty:	Clinical Pharmacology
Base Unit:	Derbyshire Children's Hospital
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Outline of Programme

This is a unique training post in an emerging new sub-speciality. The individual will work as a paediatric registrar in Derbyshire Children's Hospital covering acute paediatrics and neonates, gaining experience in both inpatient and outpatient care. 50% of time will be protected for training in different aspects of clinical pharmacology and therapeutics

Departmental Information

- Demographics
Derby currently has two paediatric clinical pharmacologists (Dr Lizzie Starkey and Dr John McIntyre, Consultant Paediatricians) along with continued work with Professor Choonara (Emeritus). The department has strong links with paediatric clinical pharmacology centres in Europe and North America.
- Team
As above
- Supervisor(s)
Dr Lizzie Starkey (CSAC training advisor)

Clinical Training Responsibilities

General Paediatric and neonates in a busy but friendly unit. 50% of time will be protected for training in different aspects of clinical pharmacology and therapeutics.

Workload / Rota Arrangements / Example Timetable

Trainees work a 1 in 6-night system where 2 paediatric registrars are on call overnight. Trainees cover neonatal or general paediatric wards in long days 1 in 11. Weekend days are usually covered by resident consultants.

Non Clinical Training Responsibilities (expectations of research / audit / teaching)

This will include research in several of the areas that the department is currently involved in (clinical trials, drug toxicity and pharmacovigilance, medication errors, ethical aspects and safety of clinical trials). There are monthly research seminars in paediatric clinical pharmacology with links to colleagues in Liverpool and Newcastle for some aspects of the training program. The department is involved in the CLRN Research Network and several national and international clinical trials.

Further training opportunities

The trainee will get opportunities during their clinical pharmacology time to get experience in various other settings such as Industry/ clinical trial units. .

Any further information

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