

Job Description

CT1-3 in General Adult Inpatient Psychiatry

Clinical Supervisor: Dr Verner.

Locality: City & Hackney Centre for Mental Health

Main Base: Conolly Ward.

Team / Service: Conolly Ward.

Address / Contact details: Conolly Ward, City & Hackney Centre
for Mental Health, Homerton Row, London, E9 6SR.

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Introduction & Summary

This job description is for a core training post in general adult inpatients, working on Conolly Ward, a female inpatient general adult psychiatry ward, at City & Hackney.

The post holder will spend 6 months in this post, under the Clinical Supervision of Dr Verner; however, the weekly supervision will be given by Dr. L. Mearns, Consultant Psychiatrist, South Hackney C.M.H.T..

The post-holder will gain experience in general inpatients but also specifically, female inpatient care. They will learn and develop skills in mental state examinations, clerking patients, the physical health of patients with severe acute and chronic mental illness, risk assessment, developing management and discharge plans, working within an MDT, report writing, liaising with other professionals within mental health services as well as outside organisations.

Other opportunities are for teaching and training medical students and supporting the FY1 and FY2 trainees.

The team (including staffing) / service description

The team members come from multiple disciplines with individual expertise. The team consists of: Consultant, Higher trainee, Core trainee, GPVTS, Matron, Ward Manager, Nursing staff, Life Skills recovery workers, OTs, Pharmacist, Psychologist, Art therapist, Dance therapist.

Role of the Core Trainee (1-3) / Main Duties and Responsibilities

The post-holder will provide a clinical psychiatric service, including clerking and assessing new patients, managing physical and mental health conditions, ordering appropriate physical investigations, attending and participating in management and ward rounds.

The Core Trainee will provide medical care to inpatients on the 18-bed ward.

CT1-3 Timetable

This is an example with special interest and non fixed sessions negotiable on commencing post.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM	Management Round	Ward Round/Ward work	Ward Round/Ward work	Ward Round/Ward work	Ward Round/Ward work
PM	Ward Work	MRCPsych teaching	Academic afternoon	Ward work Supervision with Clinical Supervisor	Ward work

Clinical Supervisor Timetable

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM	Management Round	Ward round	Ward round	Ward round	Ward round.
PM	Supervision gpvts	Ward work/Clinical meetings	Academic afternoon	Ward work/Clinical meetings	Supervision ST4-6. Clinical meetings

Timetable **must** include a slot for clinical supervision for both trainee and trainer