

JOB TITLE: ST4-6 in Old Age Psychiatry

DIRECTORATE: Dementia and Later Life Services

REPORTS TO: Consultant Psychiatrist, Dr Mandy Assin, Educational Supervisor

RESPONSIBLE TO: Dr Tim Ojo, Medical Director

LOCATION: Mill View Hospital, Nevill Hospital and Hove Polyclinic, Hove

HOURS OF WORK: Whole Time

ON CALL RESPONSIBILITY: Yes

DBS DISCLOSURE REQUIRED: Yes

SAMPLE TIMETABLE

| | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| A M | Multidisciplinary Meeting – Meridian Ward, Mill View | 9.30 a.m Community Team meeting 11.30 a.m Outpatient Clinic/CMHT Visits | Domicilliary Visits/Admin | 9 a.m Weekly Supervision with Dr Assin 10am Outpatient Clinic – Hove Polyclinic | 9-12am Crisis Resolution Home Treatment Team assessments |
| P M | Specialist Interest/ Research | 2pm Specialist Interest/ Research | 1-2pm Audit meeting at Sussex Education Centre | 2pm Teaching Junior Drs on the wards Monthly Psychodermatology Clinics | 2pm Liaison Visits at Royal Sussex County Hospital |

JOB OUTLINE and OBJECTIVES OF THE POST:

This training post offers opportunities to gain experience in all aspects of Old Age Psychiatry, Psychiatry as a Senior Trainee, including inpatient, outpatient, Crisis Team, liaison psychiatry, on-call duties and multi-disciplinary work. In the Brighton Old Age Psychiatry service we have 4 Consultants, 2 Associate Specialists, an FY2 Dr, two FY1 Drs, a GP Trainee and a CT1-3 Dr and the ST Dr would work as a part of the medical Team. Also, the post holder will be encouraged to take on a teaching role for Junior Doctors and 3rd Year Medical Students from BSMS and a supervisory role for members of the multi-disciplinary team and the post holder will be encouraged to attend conferences, to present cases at the weekly Audit Meetings and to carry out clinical audit. There are also opportunities for experience in brain imaging, neuropsychology, neurology and ECT. The recent St Dr has set up a Psychodermatology Clinic supervised by Dr Assin and Dr Page Liaison Consultant, which has been an exciting new venture! There will be protected time every week allocated to special interest and research. The post holder will be encouraged to attend conferences and Managerial Meetings, to present cases at the weekly Audit Meetings and to carry out clinical audit. Dr Assin is the Divisional Clinical Lead in Brighton and the ST4-6 Dr in post will have the opportunity to gain particular experience in clinical management and leadership

MAIN DUTIES:

The post holder's main duties will include duties on the inpatient wards, outpatient clinics, liaison for older people with psychiatric illness at the local General Hospital and working with the multi-disciplinary team. The definitive Timetable depends on the training needs and specialist interest of the ST Dr in discussion with Dr Assin. The post holder will participate in the On-Call Rota as a Section 12 Approved Doctor