Health Board: Greater Glasgow & Clyde Health Board
Hospital: Glasgow Dental Hospital & School
Post Specifics: Dental Senior House Officer

Rotations:
- Posts are either of 12 months duration in one clinical area or 6 months duration in 2 departments. There are currently 12 posts.
- Each post will be appointed for 6 months with a further 6 months extension, subject to satisfactory progress

Web address (if applicable)

Programme Description

How to apply

http://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/disciplines/dentistry/hospital-dental-service

HR Contacts

Name: Marie Grant, HR Assistant
Address: HR Department
           CHCP Corridor
           Council Offices
           Garshake Road
           Dumbarton
           G82 3PU
Tel: 01389 737 538
Email: Marie.grant2@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

Consultant/HDS Tutor

Consultant in Paediatric Dentistry and Postgraduate Tutor for the Hospital Dental Services.
Glasgow and the Surrounding Area.

Glasgow, with a population of around 740,000 is Scotland’s largest city, and one of Europe’s liveliest with a varied and colourful social and cultural life which can cater for every taste. Glasgow is a city of contrasts; the bustle of a major commercial and business centre, the greenery of parks and gardens, and a wealth of art galleries, museums, cinemas and theatres. Newcomers quickly feel at home in this vibrant and friendly city. Glasgow has an extensive road and rail public transport system with one of the largest commuter rail networks outside London and its own underground railway, the ‘subway’, which serves the University and the centre of the city.

The Glasgow Dental Hospital and School.
Glasgow Dental Hospital and School is situated in the centre of Glasgow. It is the main centre for specialist dental advice and treatment within the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde Health Board area. It also fulfils a similar role for surrounding Health Boards and serves a population of up to 3,000,000.

Glasgow Dental Hospital and School comprises the following clinical departments:

- Restorative Dentistry
- Endodontics
- Periodontology
- Fixed & Removable Prosthodontics
- Oral Surgery
- Oral Medicine
- Paediatric Dentistry
- Orthodontics
- Oral & Maxillofacial Radiology

All departments hold regular Clinical Governance and Audit meetings.

Duties

Duties will be laid down by the consultant(s) in each relevant department.

To work under the supervision of senior staff to provide dental care for patients referred to Glasgow Dental Hospital & School.

To attend Consultant referral Clinics as necessary.

To be active in clinical audit, the application of evidence-based clinical practice and clinical governance.

To engage in work place assessments and update your e-portfolio.

Hours of Work

The Dental Hospital & School is open from 9.00am - 5.30pm on weekdays. Some duties at The Royal Hospital for Sick Children
Dental Senior House Officer

may require a later finish, or a Saturday morning to discharge theatre patients.

Job Plan

The precise timetable will vary between the Departments. This will give a maximum of nine clinical contact sessions per week. The personal timetable of the post-holder may be reviewed and modified with the agreement of the relevant parties.

Study and Training

One session per week is allowed for personal study. Each post-holder will be assigned an educational supervisor at commencement of the post, who will provide support and facilitate the training and educational needs of the individual post-holder. The posts provide excellent training for the MFDS and MJDF Examinations. The James Ireland Library has one of the most extensive collections of dental literature in the UK.

Facilities

The total number of chairs within the hospital is approximately 160. It is an undergraduate dental teaching school and has an adjoining Postgraduate Centre. There are strong links with the University of Glasgow and other hospitals in the region and it has an excellent library with on-line literature search facilities. There are 3 Dental Laboratories with state-of-the-art equipment on site. These provide all technical work necessary for patient care of a general and specialist nature. There is a School for Dental Care Professionals on Level 7.

Office Accommodation

Office accommodation for training grade staff is limited. However, there is an SHO Study/coffee room where on-line facilities and printing is available. Lockers for personal belongings are provided. The departmental secretaries within the Directorate provide secretarial support and further computing facilities are available in the library.

Arrangement for visits

Short-listed applicants may request a visit to the Dental Hospital & School, and this will be accommodated wherever possible. Expenses for visits will not be paid.

Conditions of Appointment

Health Questionnaires, PVG Clearance/Disclosure Scotland, References