

DENTAL CORE TRAINING 2023/24

DCT 1a Scotland – Dundee Dental Hospital then Broxden, Perth PDS

1.	Deanery name	NHS Education Scotland
2.	Type of training post	DCT1
3.	Rotational Post information	Rotational September 2023 – March 2024 – Dundee Dental Hospital, Dundee: Orthodontics and Emergency Dentistry with experience in Paediatric Dentistry. March 2024 – August 2024 – Broxden Dental Centre, Perth: Public Dental Service (PDS, also referred to as the Community Dental Service)
4.	Training unit/location/s	This post is based within NHS Tayside. Six months will be based at Dundee Dental Hospital (DDH) and a further six months will be based at Broxden Dental Centre PDS.
5.	Full address of training units where training will take place	Dundee Dental Hospital, Park Place, Dundee, DDH 4HR Broxden Dental Centre, Tweed Place, Perth PH1 1TJ Plus additional PDS clinics within NHS Tayside
6.	Travelling commitment	There will be a requirement to travel within the NHS Tayside board area in order to obtain a range of experience.
7.	Educational Supervisor	Will be confirmed with post-holder
8.	Description of the training post	The post at DDH will run from September 2023 to March 2024. As a DCT1 you will have opportunities to gain experience in a mix of dental accident and emergency care, orthodontics and paediatric dentistry. In this DCT1 post, you will undertake a range of PDS duties from March 2024 to September 2024. These may include dental inspection of schools, domiciliary care, care of patients who have special needs or require special care, and paediatric dentistry. There may also be opportunities to participate in GA lists. You will receive training in inhalation sedation.
9.	Primary Care training element	In this post the DCT1 will work for six months in the PDS. You therefore need to be eligible for an NHS list number.
10.	Educational programme summary and library facilities	There is a Scotland-wide education programme for Dental Core Trainees which is designed to match the DCT curriculum. The programme has four themes running through each year of Dental Core Training. These are: Clinical, Communication, Career Development Skills and Quality Improvement & Patient Safety. Posts begin with a local health board and NES induction, followed by a number of face-to-face study events throughout the year, supported by Turas Learn. These events include all Dental Core Trainees in Scotland, as does the annual trainee conference. All trainees have access to study leave time (in line with terms and conditions of service) and

		budget. This may be used to access MFDS/MFD/MJDF courses and other courses linked to an agreed PDP. DCT posts include time for self-directed learning and trainees are encouraged to use this time for personal study and to complete quality improvement projects.
11.	Employment information	
12.	Employer	NHS Education for Scotland (NES)
13.	Placement Board	Placement 1 - NHS Tayside Placement 2 – NHS Tayside
14.	Contact email for applicant queries relating to the post	https://nesdigital.atlassian.net/servicedesk/customer/portal/30
15.	Link to relevant webpages	http://www.nes.scot.nhs.uk/education-and-training/by-discipline/dentistry/dentists/core-training.aspx