

Practice Learning Environment Profile

Learning Environment (Care Group):	Pharmacy	Division:	C
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General Information

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Date of audit	June 2013	University rep	Gail Fleming (KSS – pre-reg pharmacists and pre-reg pharmacy technicians)
Previous audit	July 2012	UHS priorities:	Delivering for taxpayers, Excellence in healthcare, Trusted on quality
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Useful links

UHS Education website	UHS website	Getting here	Trust policies
Appearance /dress code	Library resources	SLiP learner charter	Parking

Induction information

Trust induction	<p>Pre-reg pharmacist & technician – full Trust induction and local induction</p> <p>Undergrads – Local student induction (as pharmacy SOP)</p> <p>Please ensure completion of any relevant items in your assessment of practice document linked to induction/orientation.</p>
Expectations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Professional behaviour ▪ Willing to learn ▪ Punctuality ▪ Represent university and UHS ▪ Adherence to appearance policy (above) ▪ Wear ID badge at all times ▪ Theatre induction ▪ Expected to do all types of shifts (not undergraduates – Mon – Friday only) ▪ Ensure contacted clinical area for details of assigned mentor prior to placement ▪ Mortuary induction workbook (pre-reg pharmacists if attending)

Profile

Ward / area	Service & client group	Location
Main Dispensary SGH	Validating of and then dispensing / labelling prescriptions for inpatients, outpatients and discharge medicines for wards and departments in the hospital.	SGH, Level C, Centre block
Dispensary RSH	Validating of and then dispensing of prescriptions for inpatients, outpatients and discharge medicines for wards and departments in the hospital and many outside units e.g. Western, Moorgreen, psychiatric hostels.	RSH, Level A
Oncology Pharmacy	Observing and participating in the preparation of and administration of intravenous chemotherapy.	SGH, Level C, East wing
Technical Services Unit	Aseptic preparation of intravenous additives, parenteral nutrition for inpatients and some outpatients. Extemporaneous preparation of medicines on request.	SGH, Level C, Centre block
Medicines Information	Provision of advice and evaluated responses to requests regarding medicines and their use for both hospital and CCG staff.	SGH, Level C, Centre block
Clinical Trials	Evaluation of trials procedures and advising on the pharmaceutical aspects and dispensing of prescriptions for clinical trials.	SGH, Level B, West wing
Clinical Pharmacy	Working on the wards ensuring all prescriptions are validated and correct for the patient. Advising healthcare staff on medicines usage and concerns.	SGH, Level B, West wing
Medicines Management (Patient's Own Drugs)	Ward based pharmacy technician service that performs medicines reconciliation, supply and ensures smooth discharge processes of medicines.	SGH, Level B, West wing
Pharmacy Logistics	Pharmacy Technician led service that ensures medicines are ordered and supplied to the wards through top-up service.	SGH, Level B, West wing
UPL pharmacy	Issuing of medicines to patients and over the counter purchases of medicines.	SGH, Level C, Centre block

Learner information

Work pattern (shifts, start and finish times)	Variable in section but between 8am and 7pm. Weekends on rota.
IT and resources	Laptops available for loan during working hours from the pharmacy training team.
Staff room / rest room facilities	In main pharmacy SGH and RSH.
Common conditions and assessments	All RSH – speciality psychiatry Oncology pharmacy – cancer care
Common procedures and expertise	SOP's will be given out to read as part of learning
Common prescribed medications	
Glossary of terms	
Abbreviations and short terms	
Specific learning opportunities and multiprofessional working opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pre-reg Pharmacists - Weekly training sessions held by KSS deanery or for HIOW students at Southampton ▪ Pre-registration pharmacy technicians – day release for underpinning knowledge qualification ▪ On the wards – medics, nurses, AHP's ▪ Through placements – mental health teams, community pharmacy
Recommended reading prior to placement	General Pharmaceutical Council: Standards of Professional Conduct