

## Practice Learning Environment Profile

Learning Environment (Care Group):	<b>Audiology</b>	Division:	<b>C</b>
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### General Information

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Date of audit	07/04/2014	Contact details	
Previous audit	April 2012	UHS priorities:	Delivering for taxpayers, Excellence in healthcare, Trusted on quality
Profile updated	07/04/2014		

### Useful links

<a href="#">UHS Education website</a>	<a href="#">UHS website</a>	<a href="#">Getting here</a>	<a href="#">Trust policies</a>
<a href="#">Appearance /dress code</a>	<a href="#">Library resources</a>	<a href="#">SLiP learner charter</a>	<a href="#">Parking</a>

### Induction information

Trust induction	Your induction may take one of the following formats: Trust induction, divisional induction or placement induction. Please ensure completion of any relevant items in your assessment of practice document linked to induction/orientation.
Orientation / useful documents	<i>(embed useful documents here)</i>
Expectations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Professional behaviour</li> <li>▪ Willing to learn</li> <li>▪ Punctuality</li> <li>▪ Represent university and UHS</li> <li>▪ Adherence to appearance policy (above)</li> <li>▪ Wear ID badge at all times</li> <li>▪ Expected to do all shifts</li> <li>▪ Ensure contacted clinical area for details of assigned mentor prior to placement</li> </ul>

### Profile

Ward / area	Service & client group	Location
Audiology and Hearing Therapy Dept	Audiology and Hearing Therapy	RSH Hospital Level A
Audiology Dept	Audiology	Lymington Hospital
Audiology Dept	Audiology	Hythe Medical Centre

### Learner information

Work pattern (shifts, start and finish times)	Department currently opens 8:30am-5pm
IT and resources	Computer work stations available. Library facilities at SGH on level A, South Academic Block
Staff room / rest room facilities	Small kitchen for making tea/coffee and warming food, Healthy Bite cafeteria on Level A, League of Friends on level B
Common conditions and assessments	Hearing loss, tinnitus
Common procedures and expertise	Our main work is with elderly patients with age-related hearing difficulties. You will have the opportunity to participate in adult hearing assessments and hearing aid work. You may have the opportunity to observe paediatric, vestibular and hearing therapy work.
Common prescribed medications	N/A
Glossary of terms	Glossary of terms available
Abbreviations and short terms	Glossary of terms available
Specific learning opportunities and multiprofessional working opportunities	Various opportunities from ½ day observations to several months clinical placements
Recommended reading prior to placement	HEI course material and required reading as appropriate