

PRACTICE PROFILE

Area		Location	Contact Number
Tissue Viability		South Block, St Marys Hospital	01983 822099 ext. 2154
Directorate	Community	Review of Profile due	January 2025
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Education Lead		Stuart Elliott	
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HEI Representative		Gemma Cherry, OU g.cherry@open.ac.uk	
HEI's using this Learning Environment		Open University	
Learning Environment Mission Statement		The Tissue Viability Service uphold the Trust's Vision, Mission and Values.	
		<div style="background-color: #008000; color: white; padding: 10px;"> <p>Our vision is for high quality, compassionate care that makes a positive difference to our Island community.</p> <p>Our mission is to make sure that our community is at the heart of everything we do. We will work together and with our partners to improve and join up services for its benefit.</p> </div>	

LEARNING ENVIRONMENT PROFILE

General Information	Community based service in reaching into acute services.
Description of Service and Client Group	Specialist wound care advice for all patient groups.

LEARNER INFORMATION

Work Patterns	Monday to Friday 9am – 5pm
Dress Code	https://www.iow.nhs.uk/Downloads/Policies/Dress%20Code%20and%20Uniform%20policy.pdf
Induction/Orientation programme	Trust induction provided by the Clinical Education team and local induction in your clinical area on the first shift Isle of Wight NHS Trust - Student Welcome (iow.nhs.uk)
Staff / rest room facilities	Canteen and coffee shop available on St Mary's Hospital site. There is a kitchen available to use in South Block.
Expectations during placement	Placement objective and expectations to be set on the first day of placement. It is expected that students adhere to their professional bodies and Universities codes of conduct.

LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES

Recommended reading/Websites	Wounds UK and National Wound Care Strategies
Common Abbreviations	As per Trust guidance
Specific learning opportunities	Complex wound care
Specific areas of expertise/clinical skills	Complex wound care
Common Assessments / Interventions/Care pathways	Leg ulcer and skin tear pathways.
Models of practice experience e.g Hub & Spoke, Patient Journeys	Multiple opportunities to spend time with the MDT including nutrition Nurse and Dietetic team, Podiatry, Community Nursing, Vascular Surgeon.

MULTIAGENCY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES / RESOURCES

Multiprofessional learners accessing the environment	A wide range of Students from other professions are always within the Trust, it is up to each student to take the opportunity to network and build the multi-discipline learning group around themselves.
Professionals working in the environment	All our clinicians work within a multi-discipline model. Utilising the skills and support of other disciplines to ensure the optimal outcome with the people of the Isle of Wight.