

PRACTICE PROFILE



Area	Location	Contact Number	
Coronary Care Unit	St Mary's Hospital IOW	01983 552142	
Clinical Business Unit	Acute Care	Review of Profile due	February 2028
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HEI Representative	Contact the students' Academic Assessor		
HEI's using this Learning Environment	Southampton University, Portsmouth University, Solent University and Open University		
Learning Environment Mission Statement	Working hard to deliver care. Empathy in a calm environment provides a reliable and professional service as a multi-disciplinary team.		

LEARNING ENVIRONMENT PROFILE

General Information	http://www.iow.nhs.uk/Working-With-Us/learning-zone/practice-placement-profiles_2.htm
Description of Service and Client Group	Coronary Care Monitored, and Coronary Unmonitored provide care to acutely ill patients consisting of cardiac, high care respiratory and medical outliers
Description of related services & Client group	Care of the patient with cardiac abnormalities and respiratory difficulties including cardioversion, Implants, pacing, heart failure, arrhythmias, ACS, NIV and BIPAP

LEARNER INFORMATION

Work Pattern (Start, finish times)	0730 - 1530 1200 - 2000 0730 - 2000 1930 - 0800
Dress Code	IOW NHS Trust dress code policy (insert link)
Induction/Orientation programme	Organisational induction by CET followed by local induction within clinical area
Staff / rest room facilities	Bring own food and drink, rest room on the unit with fridge and microwave and/or Canteen available, discount on production of staff ID badge.
Expectations during placement	A willingness to learn and to adhere to Trust Policy and NMC Code of Conduct.

LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES

Recommended reading/Websites	Basic ECG book and an understanding of the anatomy and physiology of the heart.
Common Abbreviations	ACS, ECG, TOE, ECHO, AF, VT, SOB, SVT, CHB, PVC, LVF, CCF, HF, BIPAP, NIV, ACS NSTEMI, STEMI.
Specific learning opportunities	Care of the patient with cardiac abnormalities. Care of the patients with respiratory difficulties
Specific areas of expertise/clinical skills	Cardiology, CNS Heart failure, Cardiac Rehab Team, Respiratory

All relevant policies and procedures relevant to the learning environment can be accessed via the Intranet

Common Assessments / Interventions/Care pathways	Cardiac assessment and interventions including, Cardioversion, Implants, pacing, heart failure, arrhythmias, ACS.
Models of practice experience e.g Hub and Spoke, Care pathways, Patient Journeys	Hub; Care of the patient with cardiac abnormalities and respiratory difficulties including cardioversion, Implants, pacing, heart failure, arrhythmias, ACS, NIV and BIPAP Spoke; Access to OPD assessments including, Echo, exercise tolerance testing, heart failure CNS and Cardiac Rehab Nurses

MULTIAGENCY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES / RESOURCES

Multiprofessional learners accessing the environment	Nursing Students Adult and Paramedic Science
Professionals working in the environment	CCU Nurses and HCSW, Consultant Cardiologist and other Medical staff, CNS HF, Cardiology Technicians
Opportunities to meet EU directives (Nursing)	Adult, Mental Health.