



CORE SURGICAL TRAINING NATIONAL RECRUITMENT BULLETIN FOR APPLICANTS



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Welcome to CSNRO April bulletin for Core Surgery Recruitment in 2014

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2014 Recruitment Summary

We would like to thank you all for applying to the 2014 Core Surgical Training round 1. CST recruitment is now complete for another year.

The CSNRO will not be running a national round 2. Any remaining posts may be recruited to locally. Under HEE guidelines, LETBs would only be able to recruit to the remaining posts as service posts. However, for devolved nations that do not fall under HEE jurisdiction (Northern Ireland, Wales & Scotland), the remaining posts can be re-advertised and recruited to as LATs or CT posts. Applicants interested in applying for these posts should contact the LETBs/deaneries directly for further information.

Please refer to the following link to check which posts are still available:
<http://www.surgeryrecruitment.nhs.uk/the-process/programme-information>

Final Fill Rate

| LETB/Deanery | Places | Accepted Pre Clearing | Accepted Clearing | Total Accepted | Posts Remaining | Final Fill rate |
|----------------------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| East Midlands North | 22 | 21 | 1 | 22 | 0 | 100% |
| East Midlands South* | 18 | 16 | 0 | 16 | 2 | 89% |
| HE East of England | 49 | 49 | 0 | 49 | 0 | 100% |
| HE Kent, Surrey and Sussex | 38 | 38 | 0 | 38 | 0 | 100% |
| London Recruitment | 77 | 77 | 0 | 77 | 0 | 100% |
| HE North East | 25 | 25 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 100% |
| HE NW – Mersey | 27 | 26 | 0 | 26 | 1 | 96% |
| HE NW - North West | 50 | 49 | 0 | 49 | 1 | 98% |
| Northern Ireland | 40 | 18 | 0 | 18 | 22 | 45% |
| Scotland* | 48 | 35 | 1 | 36 | 12 | 75% |
| HE SW – Peninsula | 19 | 19 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 100% |
| HE SW – Severn | 25 | 25 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 100% |
| HE Thames Valley | 18 | 18 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 100% |
| Wales | 36 | 28 | 0 | 28 | 8 | 78% |
| HE Wessex | 23 | 23 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 100% |
| HE West Midlands** | 56 | 47 | 0 | 47 | 9 | 84% |
| HE Yorkshire & the Humber | 54 | 48 | 3 | 51 | 3 | 94% |
| Totals | 625 | 562 | 5 | 567 | 58 | 91% |

* Added additional post in clearing



Accepted Applicants

Congratulations to all applicants who have accepted an offer. All applicant eligibility documentation has been forwarded to the LETBs/deaneries.

The LETB/deanery will contact applicants directly for the necessary pre-employment checks approximately 12 weeks prior to the start date of the post. If you have any queries, we suggest you contact the LETB/Deanery directly.

Recruitment Feedback

As part of our quality assurance process, the CSNRO would like to collect feedback from participants about their experience of the 2014 Core Surgery National Recruitment process. To help us gain as much insight as possible, a survey has been set up via this link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/CSNRO2014>

We would appreciate if all applicants who applied to CST complete this survey as responses from this survey will help to shape future recruitment processes. A big thank you to those who have already completed the survey, it is very much appreciated. If you have not completed the survey the deadline is midnight, Monday 5th May 2014.

The 2014 recruitment summary for CST is also available via the link below:
<http://www.surgeryrecruitment.nhs.uk/useful-information/2014-cst-statistics>

Trainee Representative 2015

Those applicants who have been through the recruitment process this year may be interested in joining the Core Surgery Project Steering Group as a Trainee Representative.

The Trainee Representative will need to attend a number of meetings in London to review and help develop the recruitment process.

If you would like to be involved please submit a supporting statement expressing why you think you would be suitable (maximum of 50 words) to csnro@kss.hee.nhs.uk by 30 April 2014 and must be available to attend the project wash-up meeting in London on 27 May 2014.

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