

Dental Foundation Training NHS England NW

Educational Supervisor – Practice Profile



Name of Educational Supervisor	James Walker
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Practice Name Practice Address	Devonshire Park Dental Centre	
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Practice Profile: (e.g. how many surgeries, equipment, location/area, staff members, etc)	<p>Devonshire Park Dental Centre is a 4 surgery purpose built practice in Birkenhead, Wirral, 10 minutes from Liverpool city centre by car.</p> <p>We are part of a partnership with another training practice in Cloughton, and at this location have 4 dentists and a dental therapist. We are predominantly NHS and are in a high needs area. There are 2 managers who work as a team across both practices. There are longstanding nursing staff who are experienced working alongside FDs and a head nurse who works with the FD in the first few months. We have a receptionist and currently two trainee nurses at Devonshire Park.</p> <p>The surgeries are large and fully equipped with all required dental equipment including rotary endo and apex locator. The practice is fully computerised with digital radiographs and has a separate split decontamination room. We have been a BDA good practice for more than ten years and have recently gained the Pride in Practice award.</p>
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ES Biography:	I have worked over both our practices for my whole career having been an FD here in 2015 after qualifying from Liverpool
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	<p>University.</p> <p>I became a practice partner in 2018 and assisted as a stand in Educational Supervisor for HEE(NW) last year. Prior to being an ES I was well used to helping out our FD's over the years. I completed my PG certificate in Restorative Dentistry in 2024. I have thoroughly enjoyed supporting the FDs to become independent by the end of the year. I am a busy (predominantly NHS) practitioner but I always make ample time for the FD and am fully supportive to the FD's needs.</p> <p>Outside of work I love cooking and taking my dog out for walks/ runs.</p>
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Outside view of surgery



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