

**EAST KENT HOSPITALS
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TRUST**

Dermatology ST3 Training Post

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SPECIALTY TRAINING IN DERMATOLOGY IN EAST KENT

This is a new Dermatology Specialty Registrar Training Rotation within East and West Kent. There are 2 posts available at East Kent, where the trainees will spend 3 years at East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust and 1 year at the Medway NHS Foundation Trust.

Whilst in East Kent the trainees will join 7 dynamic Consultants with an expansion to 8 Consultants planned in 2010/11.

Any trainee, who for personal reasons is unable to work full-time, will be eligible to be considered for appointment.

The 4 year training programme in Kent offers comprehensive and high quality general dermatology and subspecialty training and there are strong educational links with the London teaching hospitals allowing further sub-specialty interests to be developed.

Excellent training is available in general dermatology at all sites. In addition specialist training is provided in advanced dermatological and Mohs surgery, cutaneous oncology, paediatric dermatology, vulval dermatoses, contact dermatitis, phototherapy, biologic therapies and dermato-pathology.

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust (EKHUT) was set up on April 1st 1999 and manages three acute district general hospitals (at Margate, Canterbury and Ashford), two supporting hospitals (at Dover and at Folkestone) and many teams of healthcare professionals working in child care centres.

The Chairman of the Trust is Mr Nicholas Wells and the Chief Executive is Mr Stuart Bain. The Medical Director is Dr Neil Martin.

The Trust is one of the largest in the country, employing over 6000 staff with many part-time employees. The Trust serves a population of 712,000 and the budget is in the region of £400m.

The Trust has the vision to be known throughout the world as one of the top ten hospitals in England and the Kent hospital of choice for patients and those close to them.

The EKHUT's mission is to provide safe, patient focused and sustainable health services with and for the people of Kent. The Trust recognises that to achieve this it has a special responsibility for the most vulnerable members of the population that it serves.

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust aims to work with local partners to develop excellent, modern clinical services, reduce waiting times and the length of time patients wait to be seen, within budgets, and make sure that it meets all the financial obligations.

GENERAL INFORMATION

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust serves a population of over 700,000 (approximately 20% over the age of 65). The population is spread across a geographical area of 731 square miles of a largely rural area with main urban population in Ashford (50,000), Folkestone (45,000), Canterbury (37,000), Dover (30,000), Deal (25,000), Margate (47,000), Broadstairs (25,000), Ramsgate (40,600), Whitstable/Herne Bay (57,000), Faversham (18,600) and Sandwich (6,800). Ashford is an expanding business and agricultural centre and has an International Station linking it to the Continent via the Channel Tunnel. It is a designated area for growth. Canterbury is an ecclesiastical and business centre and the University of Kent is based in the city. Margate and the surrounding coastal towns have a high proportion of elderly and disadvantaged people and the population increases in the summer with the influx of visitors. Thanet is an area of regeneration receiving European funding and Manston airport is being developed to serve Kent.

There are many areas of unspoilt countryside and a wide variety of quiet secluded beaches. The countryside is mainly arable farm land, but in the immediate vicinity of Canterbury fruit and hop farming predominate. The Stour valley runs through the area and there are areas of great natural beauty and charm. The Thanet coast is on a list of best wildlife sites in Europe. Places of historic interest include Canterbury Cathedral and Dover, Deal and Walmer castles.

There are excellent schools, both private and state. Regular train services and the M2 and M20 motorways provide easy access to London, and the Continent is within immediate reach through the Channel ports and Channel Tunnel. There are also outstanding sporting facilities, both indoor and outdoor. Sports associated with the coast such as sailing and windsurfing are well served and golfers can enjoy many courses, including championship golf courses.

HOSPITAL SERVICES

EKHUT provides the majority of its services from the following hospitals:

Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother Hospital (QEQM), Margate

The Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother Hospital (QEQM), Margate provides the full range of accident, emergency and elective services. The hospital dates back to the 1930's when the St Peters Road building was constructed. Between 1996 and 1998 many services were relocated and expanded into the main site of the QEQM. Recent developments have included new operating theatres; ITU facilities; children's inpatient and out patient facilities; a cardiac catheter laboratory; out patient department and a cancer unit completed in 2007.

Kent and Canterbury Hospital (K&C)

The Kent and Canterbury Hospital (K&C) provides a range of important inpatient services, which includes an unselected medical take as well as a new Emergency

Care Centre. The hospital is located on the outskirts of the Cathedral City of Canterbury. The main hospital building was constructed in 1937, but has been developed considerably since then. The hospital stands on 11.5 hectares adjacent to the Kent County cricket ground. New investments have included a day surgery suite, an endoscopy suite and a state of the art child ambulatory day centre. It hosts the base for the renal services for Kent which are being expanded and developed in conjunction with vascular surgery and interventional radiology within purpose built accommodation. A birthing unit provides low risk deliveries on this site. The Kent Cancer Centre is a dual site centre at Maidstone and Canterbury. Radiotherapy for East Kent is provided at Canterbury.

William Harvey Hospital (WHH), Ashford

The William Harvey Hospital (WHH), Ashford provides a full range of accident, emergency and elective services. This hospital is located on the outskirts of Ashford close to the Ashford International Station and adjacent to the M20. The hospital was commissioned in 1977 and the site has been developed and substantially upgraded over the years and more recently been re-organised into medical and surgical floors. Recent developments have included the development of a NICU (neonatal intensive care unit); robotic pharmacy facilities and women's health and stroke units. The site accommodates the single head and neck unit which will soon include maxillo-facial services. It has a cardiac catheter laboratory which undertakes therapeutic interventions.

EKHT also provides a smaller range of services from two community hospitals sites.

The Royal Victoria Hospital (RVHF)

The Royal Victoria Hospital Folkestone (RVHF) provides an important supporting role. The hospital building is Victorian, but has been upgraded over the years to provide a minor injuries unit, a Walk-in Centre, a thriving outpatients department, the Derry Unit which offers specialist genito-urinary outpatient procedures. Many of these services are provided in partnership with the Eastern & Coastal Primary Care Trust.

Recent plans have been agreed to concentrate services to the west of the site and sell off the remaining properties.

Buckland Hospital (BHD)

The Buckland Hospital, Dover (BHD) also provides an essential supporting role. The hospital was built at the turn of the last century in Coombe Valley, Dover. It has a minor injuries unit; out patient facilities; birthing unit and children's ambulatory unit.

Further details about the services available from the different hospitals and departments can be found at www.ekhufft.nhs.uk

Dermatology Services

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust operates on a hub and spoke model of care. At the hub centre – Kent and Canterbury Hospital there is a dedicated dermatology department with specialist facilities including 2 operating theatres for specialised dermatology surgery, phototherapy units and outpatient suites. In all the peripheral hospitals there are outpatient facilities, which include examination and biopsy rooms. In all centres there is dedicated computer access.

In all of the above centres training will be provided in outpatient clinics and with in-patients in dermatology beds at WHH, K&C and QEQM. Acute training will also comprise seeing emergency referrals in outpatients, on the wards and in the accident and emergency departments

Location

Dermatology clinics are presently held at the William Harvey Hospital (Ashford), Kent and Canterbury Hospital (Canterbury), Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother Hospital (Margate), Queen Victoria Hospital (Herne Bay), Victoria Hospital (Deal) and Royal Victoria Hospital (Folkestone).

Dermatology Consultants**Special Interests**

Dr Kurt Ayerst	Skin Cancer and MDT lead
Dr Susannah Baron	Paediatric Dermatology
Dr Andrew Birnie	Advanced/ Mohs Surgery
Dr Ashley Cooper	Advanced/ Mohs Surgery
Dr Claire Fuller (8 PAs)	Paediatric/ Biologics and Vulval
Dr Mark Hudson-Peacock	Phototherapy
Dr Catriona Irvine	Advanced/ Mohs Surgery

F2 in Dermatology**Non-Career Grade Staff**

Dr Kathy Sands (Associate Specialist)	Biologics
Dr Tine Reckling (Associate Specialist)	Patch Testing
Dr Lilian Lambie (Clinical Assistant)	
Dr John Rine (Clinical Assistant)	Surgery
Dr Helen Glynn (Clinical Assistant)	
Dr Asha Rajeev (Specialty Doctor in Dermatology)	
Dr Sandra Vykutilova (Specialty Doctor in Dermatology)	

The outpatient departments at each hospital have facilities for consultation, dressings, basic patch testing and minor surgery. There are well-equipped day surgery facilities in the Celia Blakey Centre at the WHH and in the day surgery unit at QVMH, Herne Bay and QEQM Margate. Phototherapy (NUVB) is available at Canterbury, Ashford and QEQM and PUVA is available in Canterbury. There is a well-equipped office with modern computers linked to the Patient Administration System and excellent library facilities within the Postgraduate Centre.

Dermatology Model of Patient Care for East Kent

With the full support of the Trust and the PCTs, we have developed a model of care based on a central hub with spokes in the community; with consultants working between primary and secondary care, supported by specialist nurses, non-consultant career grades (NCCG), GPs with specialist interest, clinical assistants and specialty registrars.

Activities in the Spokes take place in community locations and non-centre hospitals. There will be an expansion of specialist nurse numbers across the Trust to run nurse led clinics in the community (also at the hub, for specialist clinics). We will be developing NCCGs and interested GPs to set up community based clinics taking referrals from GPs directly, or selected from hospital referrals by the consultants. The consultants visit each spoke hospital for clinics and cross-specialty referrals and also the community spokes occasionally. Narrow band ultra-violet light treatments and chronic follow up visits also take place at the spokes.

The hub:

At the central dedicated dermatology department in Canterbury, there is a concentration of the specialist and sub-specialty services including dermatological surgery (also Mohs surgery), skin cancer clinics, allergy clinics, paediatrics clinics, genital dermatoses clinic, management of serious dermatoses, biologic clinics, multidisciplinary clinics (with oncology, plastic surgery, rheumatology etc). The centralisation of sub-specialist services at hub is efficient and economical so that the patient pathway is smoother and shorter.

We plan to set up a Day Treatment Service open between 8 am and 6 pm, which we hope will reduce in-patient admissions. An Acute Flare Unit is planned to allow direct access for patients suffering a sudden deterioration in chronic skin disease such as eczema or psoriasis, so that the patient does not have to go through their GP. We plan to incorporate in-patient beds with the Day Treatment and Acute Flare Unit to economise on staff.

Teaching in clinics for GPs, nurses, health visitors, pharmacists run on a daily basis and the model will offer excellent Specialty Registrar training in dermatology. Audit of patient care to assess efficiency of service will be undertaken by all members of the multidisciplinary team (GPs, consultants, trainees and nurses).

Service developments and plans are discussed and taken forward by the Dermatology Project Board, which is chaired by the Clinical Lead as well as the dermatology consultants there are PCT, managerial, patient and nursing representatives on this board, which meets every two months.

SUPPORT STAFF for the post

There is secretarial support for Specialist Registrars. Specialty Registrars will be provided with office space. All practitioners have IT support in the form of computer terminal and hospital email address.

There is a dermatology F2 on a 4 month rotation at K & C, and the care of in-patients is shared with the General Medical teams. At QEQM there is a shared Dermatology F2.

DUTIES OF THE POST

The general responsibilities of the post will be those expected of a trainee at Specialty Registrar grade as an employee of the Trust. These include provision of a first class clinical service, conducting clinical practice in accordance with the highest ethical standards, support for other clinical specialties and contribution to teaching.

More specifically the duties will require:

- 1 Diagnosis and treatment of patients of the Trusts, health centres or clinics or on other premises as required.
- 2 Assessment and management of ward referrals across the Trusts
- 3 Involvement with audit at clinical meetings within the Trusts.

Regular attendance is expected by the East Kent Dermatologists at the meetings of the Kings College Hospitals Dermatology Clinical Cases Meeting, the dermatology section of the Royal Society of Medicine and at the Pan Thames Teaching programme.

PROVISIONAL PROPOSED WORK PROGRAMME

For provisional timetables please see attached Appendix A & B. The trainees will have 6 outpatient sessions per week, which will include general dermatology clinics and surgical lists with subspecialty clinics in different attachments.

ON CALL ARRANGEMENTS

The trainees will receive all telephone calls from primary and secondary care between 9am and 5pm, and there will be an 'on call' rota where calls are taken between 7am and 7pm on a 1 in 7 rota, with appropriate consultant cover. The trainees will receive telephone calls from primary and secondary care and will triage the patients into appropriate emergency clinics, general clinics or review on the wards. The trainees will cover the care of dermatology in-patients, see any acute dermatological problems in general in-patients, including on intensive-care and on the paediatric wards. They will also review dermatological emergencies in the Accident and Emergency department and see acute dermatological emergencies referred from Primary care. The trainee will take direct referrals/ give telephone advice and may have to come in from home to assess and manage the dermatological emergencies.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

There are excellent library facilities, including internet facilities, on all three of the main sites. There is extensive local CME and the Trust supports reasonable costs for formal study leave.

Each of the three main hospital sites has a well-equipped multidisciplinary Education Centre, including a library and each runs full programmes of educational meetings. The Trust is designated as an Associate University Provider NHS Trust for undergraduate education. Pre-registration house officers are recruited to the Trust from London medical schools on matching schemes.

Very good links have been established with the associated disciplines of paediatrics, maxillofacial surgery and radiotherapy/oncology. This has enabled prompt referral and management of relevant cases. Specialist dermatological surgery is performed by Drs Cooper, Birnie & Irvine with 3 Mohs micrographic surgical lists per week. Specialist Paediatric clinics are run by Drs Baron and Fuller and there is a monthly paediatric surgical list. Dr Fuller runs a monthly Biologic Clinic with specialist nurse support and a monthly Vulval Dermatoses clinic. There are regular multi-disciplinary clinics with the GU and Gynae-oncology Consultants.

There is an excellent dermatopathology service at WHH with two dedicated dermatopathologists Dr Brigid Maguire and Dr Susan Szakacs, and regular histopathology teaching is incorporated in the timetable.

Educational Opportunities:

- Weekly Multidisciplinary meeting for skin cancer
- Weekly teaching ward round
- Weekly Grand Round in General medicine (held at three main hospitals WHH, QEOM and K&C)
- Monthly tutorial
- Monthly local clinical meeting with difficult cases and discussion of histopathology
- Weekly journal club with consultant colleagues
- Fortnightly histopathology meetings and attachment to histopathology for sub specialist training
- Monthly attendance at the national Royal Society of Medicine Dermatology Section meetings

- Monthly attendance at the King's College Hospital London Special Clinic (clinical, pathology and invited speaker)
- Monthly attendance at St Johns Dermatological Department meeting (clinical, pathology and invited speaker)
- EKHT runs a comprehensive range of courses on safety, management, audit and clinical governance
- 2 monthly clinical meetings rotating between Medway and East Kent comprising of clinical cases and histopathology discussion

- The trainees will have an academic link with London Teaching Hospitals by attending the Pan Thames education afternoons held on the 2nd and 4th Thursday afternoon each month.

- The dermatology department in EKHT has built up strong links with a number of other specialties: histopathology, oncology, maxillo-facial surgery, ophthalmology, paediatrics and genito-urinary medicine within the hospital and the trainees will have the opportunity to attend these clinics during their training.

- Our planned 4 year training programme will be closely following the dermatology curriculum and this will be delivered through a variety of learning experiences.

Educational Supervision:

- Dr Baron and Dr Cooper will be educational supervisors to the new trainees.
- The majority of the Consultants have completed a Teaching Certificate
- There will be regular planned meetings with the Educational Supervisors 4 times each year. The initial meeting of each year will be to plan the educational objectives for the year and subsequent meetings will be to review progress and discuss performance and assessments.
- There will be 8 hours of protected time each week for research and audit
- The Consultants have diverse but complementary sub-specialist interests

- There is a dedicated Registrars' office within the main department offering desks and personal computers with internet access.
- Excellent post-graduate medical education facilities at all three main hospital sites (K&C, WHH and QEQM hospitals)
- Wide range of medical journals at the K&C postgraduate centre with a number of dermatology journals
- Close links with King's College Hospital and St John's institute of Dermatology at St Thomas' Hospital – trainees will be able to join these institutes for educational meetings and less common sub-specialty training in contact dermatitis and phototherapy (as happens at Brighton Medical School)
- The trainees will be encouraged to develop sub-specialty interests or gain more specialist experience by attending Teaching hospital clinics on Thursday mornings prior to the academic sessions in London
- Research will be encouraged and there will be opportunities to take part in multi-centre clinical trials and to develop local and regional academic projects. Links are in place with the University of Kent and East Kent University NHS Trust has an active Research and Development department
- The Trust is fully committed to a clinical governance policy. All doctors are expected to comply with the Trust Clinical Governance Programme, audit their own clinical outcomes, report clinical incidents, and alert the trust to risk and work to foster good team relationships.

RESEARCH

There is 8 hours protected research/ study time per week. Trainees are encouraged to develop research ideas and research is encouraged and supported by an active Research & Development Department. Current research interests include hypnotherapy in adults and children with atopic eczema, fungal disease and skin cancer. The department is recruiting patients for the UKDCTN multi-centre trial STOPGAP.

In addition the Trust is strengthening links between education, research and clinical care in close association with the Kent Institute for Medical and Health Sciences at the University of Kent at Canterbury.

AUDIT

The department's audit lead Dr Fuller chairs the BAD audit sub-committee. The trainees will be encouraged to develop audit projects with consultant support for presentation at regular audit meetings within the department and hospital.

Less than Full-time training

Any Trainee who for personal reasons is unable to work full-time will be eligible to be considered for this post.

Annual leave

The annual leave entitlement is as per national agreements and applications are subject to approval by the Clinical Director. A minimum of 8 weeks' notice of leave arrangements is requested so that adequate cover arrangements can be made.

Study leave

Study leave is available according to national agreements. All clinical staff are required to give 8 weeks' notice.

Removal Expenses

Where a practitioner intends to claim reimbursement of removal or associated expenses, it is important that he/she first obtains a copy of the Trust's policy on removal expenses and should discuss the proposals with the Personnel department prior to taking up duty.

FURTHER INFORMATION/ VISITING ARRANGEMENTS

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Useful websites:

East Kent Hospitals NHS University Foundation Trust

www.ekhft.nhs.uk

New curriculum for specialty registrar's

www.jrcptb.org.uk

Dermatology as a career information

www.bad.org.uk/education/career

Appendix A: Timetable for Trainee Rotation 1

Year 1

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0900 – 1300 Minor Operations (SB) K&C		1400 – 1700 Administration
Tuesday	0900 – 1300 Research K&C	2 nd Journal Club	1400 – 1700 Emergency Clinic/ General Clinic (MHP, AC) K&C
Wednesday	0900 – 1300 General Clinic (CF) QEQM		1400 – 1700 General Clinic (CF) QEQM
Thursday	0900 – 1300 Research / audit ?Specialist clinic in London	4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	0830 Ward Round 0900-1230 Rapid Access Skin Cancer Clinic (KA,CI	Grand Round 1230-1400 Skin Cancer MDT meeting	1400 – 1700 Ward Referrals/ General Clinic (MHP) K&C

Year 2

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0900 – 1300 Patch Test Clinic (TR) K&C	1230-1330 Ward Referrals	1400 – 1700 Administration K&C
Tuesday	0900 – 1300 Rapid Access Skin Cancer Clinic (SB, AC, MHP) K&C	2 nd Journal Club	1330 – 1700 Paediatric Clinic 1 st ,3 rd ,4 th ,5 th (SB,CF) Vulval Clinic 2 nd (CF)
Wednesday	0900 – 1300 Community Clinic (KA) Folkestone		1400 – 1700 Community Clinic (KA) Folkestone
Thursday	0900 - 1300 Research / audit ?Specialist clinic in London	4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	0830 Ward Round 0900-1230 Patch Test Clinic (TR) K&C	Grand Round 1230-1400 Skin Cancer MDT meeting	1400 – 1700 Research K&C

Year 3

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0830 -0900 Ward round 0900 – 1230 Biologics clinic (CF) K&C		1400 – 1700 Minor operations (MHP) K&C
Tuesday	0900 – 1300 Administration K&C	2 nd - Journal club	1330 – 1700 Photobiology clinic / General clinic (MHP) K&C
Wednesday	0900 -1230 Mohs' List / Surgery (AC / CI) K&C	1230 -1330 Ward referrals	1400 – 1700 Research K&C
Thursday	0900 – 1300 ? Specialist Clinic in London / Research K&C	4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	0900 – 1300 General clinic (SB) WHH	Grand Round 1230-1400 Skin Cancer MDT	1400 -1700 General Clinic / Paediatric dermatology clinic (SB) WHH

Year 4

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0900-1300 Clinic (LS) MMH		Research / audit
Tuesday	0900 – 10 00 Emergency clinic / ward referrals MMH Research / audit	1st – MDT 3 rd – MDT 5 th - MDT	Admin
Wednesday	Skin surgery list (LS) MMH		Paediatric dermatology clinic (SS) MMH
Thursday	Skin surgery list (SS) MMH	2 nd and 4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	General clinic /Biologics clinic (LS) MMH	Grand Round	1 st – alternate months Rheumatology / dermatology clinic (LS) MMH Remainder - General clinic / 2 week cancer clinic (SS) MMH

Appendix B: Timetable for Trainee Rotation 2

Year 1

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0830 -0900 Ward round 0900 – 1230 Biologics clinic (CF) K&C		1400 – 1700 Minor operations (MHP) K&C
Tuesday	0900 – 1300 Administration K&C	2 nd - Journal club	1330 – 1700 Photobiology clinic / General clinic (MHP) K&C
Wednesday	0900 -1230 Mohs' List / Surgery (AC / CI) K&C	1230 -1330 Ward referrals	1400 – 1700 Research K&C
Thursday	0900 – 1300 ? Specialist Clinic in London / Research K&C	4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	0900 – 1300 General clinic (SB) WHH	Grand Round 1230-1400 Skin Cancer MDT	1400 -1700 General Clinic / Paediatric dermatology clinic (SB) WHH

Year 2

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0900 – 1300 Minor Operations (SB) K&C		1400 – 1700 Administration
Tuesday	0900 – 1300 Research K&C	2 nd Journal Club	1400 – 1700 Emergency Clinic/ General Clinic (MHP, AC) K&C
Wednesday	0900 – 1300 General Clinic (CF) QEQM		1400 – 1700 General Clinic (CF) QEQM
Thursday	0900 – 1300 Research / audit ?Specialist clinic in London	4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	0830 Ward Round 0900-1230 Rapid Access Skin Cancer Clinic (KA,CI) K&C	Grand Round 1230-1400 Skin Cancer MDT meeting	1400 – 1700 Ward Referrals/ General Clinic (MHP) K&C

Year 3

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0900-1300 Clinic (LS) MMH		Research / audit
Tuesday	0900 – 10 00 Emergency clinic / ward referrals MMH Research / audit	1st – MDT 3 rd – MDT 5 th - MDT	Admin
Wednesday	Skin surgery list (LS) MMH		Paediatric dermatology clinic (SS) MMH
Thursday	Skin surgery list (SS) MMH	2 nd and 4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	General clinic /Biologics clinic (LS) MMH	Grand Round	1 st – alternate months Rheumatology / dermatology clinic (LS) MMH Remainder - General clinic / 2 week cancer clinic (SS) MMH

Year 4

	AM	LUNCH	PM
Monday	0900 – 1300 Patch Test Clinic (TR) K&C	1230-1330 Ward Referrals	1400 – 1700 Administration K&C
Tuesday	0900 – 1300 Rapid Access Skin Cancer Clinic (SB, AC, MHP) K&C	2 nd Journal Club	1330 – 1700 Paediatric Clinic 1 st ,3 rd ,4 th ,5 th (SB,CF) Vulval Clinic 2 nd (CF)
Wednesday	0900 – 1300 Community Clinic (KA) Folkestone		1400 – 1700 Community Clinic (KA) Folkestone
Thursday	0900 - 1300 Research / audit ?Specialist clinic in London	4 th - Journal club	Academic afternoon 1 st – St. John's Society Meeting 2 nd - Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway) / King's College Dermatology meeting / Pan-Thames SpR teaching 3 rd – RSM 4 th – Joint clinic & histopathology (Medway / Kent & Canterbury) / Pan- Thames SpR teaching
Friday	0830 Ward Round 0900-1230 Patch Test Clinic (TR) K&C	Grand Round 1230-1400 Skin Cancer MDT meeting	1400 – 1700 Research K&C

Hospitals in East Kent:

K&C = Kent and Canterbury

WHH= William Harvey Hospital, Ashford

QEQM= Queen Elizabeth Queen Mother, Margate

Folkestone community hospital

Hospitals in West Kent:

MMH= Medway Maritime Hospital