

## DENTAL ST1 POST INFORMATION 2024/25

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1.	<b>Region (Deanery) Name</b>	North West
2.	<b>Title of post Duration of post</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Orthodontic Run Through ST1-ST5</li> <li>• 60 Months</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Main training unit/location</b>	<p><b>Liverpool Dental Hospital</b> The Royal Liverpool Dental Hospital provides a regional service to the inhabitants of Merseyside, covering the full range of dental specialties, including diagnosis, oral surgery, oral medicine, conservation and prosthetic procedures, periodontal and orthodontic treatment. Day bed and laboratory facilities are located within the building.</p> <p>The Liverpool University Dental Hospital is situated next to the Royal Liverpool University Hospital NHS Trust, the centre for medical teaching in the region.</p> <p>There are currently 6 numbered Specialty Registrars on a 3-year training programme in preparation for the Membership in Orthodontics and CCST in orthodontics. There are also 2 Post-CCST posts.</p>
4.	<b>Rotational Post information and Duration (other sites)</b>	<p>This is a shared post between Liverpool Dental Hospital and the Countess of Chester Hospital in ST1-3. In ST4-5 there will also be a clinical commitment at Alder Hey Hospital in which the trainee will need to attend regional cleft clinics. This is a non-resident post at the hospitals in the training scheme.</p> <p>The appointment is for 12 months, in the first instance, renewable subject to satisfactory annual ARCP reports for 5 years. The post will comprise all aspects of orthodontic practice, including attendance at new patient clinics and management and treatment of malocclusions in children and adults.</p> <p>There are no out of hours on-call commitments. There is a commitment to cover casual patients according to a departmental rota.</p>

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	<p>Study leave facilities are available in accordance with the Terms and Conditions of Service subject to the approval of the Educational Supervisor and the Training Programme Director.</p> <p>Administrative duties will include attendance at departmental/regional meetings and undertaking some departmental administration.</p> <p>The junior dentist accepts that he/she will also perform duties in occasional emergencies and unforeseen circumstances at the request of the appropriate Consultant, in consultation where practicable with his/her colleagues both senior and junior. It has been agreed between the profession and the Department that while juniors accept that they will perform such duties, the Secretary of State stresses that additional commitments arising under this sub-section are exceptional and in particular the juniors should not be required to undertake work of this kind for prolonged periods or on a regular basis.</p> <p>The Countess of Chester Hospital is located 2 miles from the city of Chester. It is approximately 21 miles from Liverpool. The Countess of Chester Hospital is a District General Teaching Hospital and it provides a secondary and tertiary consultation service for specialist orthodontic practitioners and general dental practitioners in the area, and other hospital specialists.</p> <p>The Orthodontic Department is located in the main outpatient department and works in close liaison with the Oral and Maxillofacial team, and sharing the same facilities. The clinical facilities consist of six modern dental surgeries, a reception area, offices and staff rest room.</p> <p>There is full secretarial and dental nurse support.</p> <p>In addition to fully equipped Lecture Theatres and Seminar Rooms for teaching purposes, there are a number of computers available during working hours.</p> <p>The department treats predominately complex and multidisciplinary cases but also some more simple training cases. There are well established joint clinics with our Maxillofacial Surgery colleagues at Aintree Hospital and links with Restorative/Paediatric Dentistry colleagues at the Royal Liverpool University Hospital.</p>
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		<p>Alder Hey Children’s NHS Trust is a major teaching hospital of the University of Liverpool. It serves not only the local population of children, and is the tertiary referral centre for Children from Merseyside, Cheshire, parts of Lancashire, Shropshire and North Wales for many sub-specialties of Paediatrics.</p> <p>The Trust provides a range of community services including school nursing, home carers and a child development centre. A Child &amp; Adolescent Mental Health service is also provided with an inpatient unit based at the Trust. The hospital has approximately 270 beds, including day beds for surgery. The Paediatric services and expertise within the hospital are considerable and include Orthodontics, Paediatric Dentistry, Oral &amp; Maxillofacial Surgery, Cleft and Craniofacial Surgery, Paediatric Ophthalmology, Cardiology, Cardiothoracic Surgery, Neonatology, Neurology, neurosurgery, Audiology, Nephrology, Respiratory, Oncology, General Surgery and General Medicine. The Radiology Department provides CBCT, CT and MRI scanning service.</p> <p>The state-of-the art hospital opened in October 2015. It sets a new benchmark within the NHS and has won many prestigious awards. The Dental and maxillofacial department is based in the outpatient building. It has 5 Dental Surgeries, a fully equipped speech Therapy Unit, a large laboratory, together with office accommodation. There is a MDT room based in the department used for cleft and craniofacial multidisciplinary clinics.</p>
5.	<b>Full address of all unit/s where training is based</b>	Liverpool Dental Hospital Countess of Chester Alder Hey
6.	<b>Travel Commitment</b>	Yes
7.	<b>Name of Training Programme Director (TPD)</b>	Mr Ian Edwards
8.	<b>TPD Contact details</b>	Department of Orthodontics Halton Hospital Hospital Way

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9.	<b>Description of training post including Educational Supervisor if known</b>	<p>This is a full-time run-through (ST1-5) training programme of five years' duration. ST1-3 will be focussed on gaining competencies towards achieving the Royal College of Surgeons Fellowship in Orthodontics. ST4-5 will concentrate on Multi-disciplinary Orthodontic treatment providing higher specialty training in preparation for the Advanced Intercollegiate Specialty Fellowship Examination (ISFE) in Orthodontics leading to eligibility to be appointed as a Consultant. The training Programme satisfies the requirements of the Specialist Advisory Committee (SAC) / General Dental Council (GDC). The participation in research element of the ST1-3 programme will be in accordance with GDC's approved curriculum. The post holder may enrol at Edge Hill University to study for the degree of Masters in Research (M Res) or Liverpool University to complete an M Phil. The training programme offers comprehensive training in theoretical, clinical and laboratory aspects of orthodontics with experience in removable, functional and fixed appliance treatment.</p> <p>This post is available to commence on 1st October 2025 and is part of the Mersey Orthodontic Speciality Training Programme in the North Western Deanery. The Training Programme is based at Liverpool Dental Hospital with clinical commitments also at the Countess of Chester Hospital and Alder Hey in ST4-5. The post will be allocated an NTN in Orthodontics.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Name</th> <th>Job Title</th> <th>Site</th> <th>Role</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Mr I Edwards</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Halton Hospital</td> <td>Training Programme Director</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr S Chadwick</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Countess of Chester</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr N Stanford</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Countess of Chester</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dr O Carty</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Countess of Chester</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ms M Seshu</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Liverpool Dental Hospital</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr G Barry</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Liverpool Dental Hospital</td> <td>Seminar Facilitator</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Miss R Little</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Liverpool Dental Hospital</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Miss J Howell</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Liverpool Dental Hospital</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr R Gibson</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Liverpool Dental Hospital</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dr J Harrison</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Liverpool Dental Hospital</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr S Rudge</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Liverpool Dental Hospital</td> <td>Trainer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mr B Lewis</td> <td>Consultant Orthodontist</td> <td>Wrexham Hospital</td> <td>Seminar Facilitator</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Name	Job Title	Site	Role	Mr I Edwards	Consultant Orthodontist	Halton Hospital	Training Programme Director	Mr S Chadwick	Consultant Orthodontist	Countess of Chester	Trainer	Mr N Stanford	Consultant Orthodontist	Countess of Chester	Trainer	Dr O Carty	Consultant Orthodontist	Countess of Chester	Trainer	Ms M Seshu	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer	Mr G Barry	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Seminar Facilitator	Miss R Little	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer	Miss J Howell	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer	Mr R Gibson	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer	Dr J Harrison	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer	Mr S Rudge	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer	Mr B Lewis	Consultant Orthodontist	Wrexham Hospital	Seminar Facilitator
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		Mr H Mazey	Consultant Orthodontist	Warrington Hospital	Seminar Facilitator
		Mrs H Stevenson	Consultant Orthodontist	Liverpool Dental Hospital	Trainer
		Dr J Vesey	Consultant Orthodontist	Alder Hey Hospital	Trainer
10.	<b>Suitable for Temporary Registrant?</b>			No	
11.	<b>Primary Care element Performer Number required?</b>			No	
12.	<b>Pattern of working (including any on-call commitment if applicable)</b>	No on-call commitment			
13.	<b>Educational programme Summary</b>	Study leave is permitted for a maximum of 30 days per annum.			

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	<b>Optional (complete if applicable):</b>	
	Research component of curriculum	Subject to the route taken by the applicant according to the GDC approved curriculum
	Certificate awarded	GDC specialist list
	Time commitment	5 years. If the applicant wishes Less Than Full Time training an application would need to be made as per the deanery policy.
	Fees	Subject to the route taken by the applicant according to the GDC approved curriculum
	<b>Employment Details</b>	
14.	<b>Employer</b>	Lead Employer: Mersey and West Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust, <a href="https://leademployer.merseywestlancs.nhs.uk/">https://leademployer.merseywestlancs.nhs.uk/</a> <a href="https://leademployer.merseywestlancs.nhs.uk/contact-us">https://leademployer.merseywestlancs.nhs.uk/contact-us</a>
15.	<b>Contact email for applicant queries referring to post</b>	<a href="mailto:iedwards@nhs.net">iedwards@nhs.net</a>

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16.	<b>Link to relevant webpages</b>	Link to Trust/employers website / regional website <a href="https://dental.hee.nhs.uk/dental-trainee-recruitment/dental-specialty-training">https://dental.hee.nhs.uk/dental-trainee-recruitment/dental-specialty-training</a>																																																				
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		<i>Please note: this timetable is indicative only and may change subject to service needs and changes to the curriculum.</i>
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