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Inpatient Pain Service

St Peter's Hospital
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Placement Profile

The Inpatient Pain Service reviews inpatients across the whole of ASPH. We are a predominantly Nurse led service and formulate our list from Perioperative Tracking and ward referrals via Cerner or our bleep.

Lead Nurse IPS contact details:

Monica Thompson- monica.thompson1@nhs.net

Daily Routine

Rough timings	
08:00-08:30	Collate Pain List
08:30-12:30	Morning Ward Round
12:30-13:00	Lunch
13:00-13:30	Revisit list/discuss patients
13:30-16:00	Afternoon Ward Round/Teaching/Paperwork

Professional Behaviour

Adhere to the uniform policy whilst on placement, paying special attention to hair, nails, and jewellery. Smoking is not permitted anywhere on site. Mobile phones are not to be used in the clinical area. Always be open and honest and respectful to your colleagues and patients

Policies & Procedures

You will need to access and read the following policies as part of your induction; they are located on the Hospital Intranet. Fire, Health and Safety, Medicine Management, Minimal Handling, Infection Control Confidentiality, Missing Patient, Falls

Placement Requirements

You are required to work a mixture of shifts, including nights and weekends. Contact the ward at least 2 weeks prior to your start date, to discuss any specific off duty request/travel issues with the nurse in charge. Practice Assessors will be allocated to you either at this point or on your first day of placement.

Learning Opportunities

Roles and responsibilities of IPS.
Principles of Pain Assessment.
Management of Acute and Chronic Pain.
Shadow Specialist Nurses and Consultants on Inpatient Ward Round.
Shadow Specialist Nurses and Consultants in Chronic Pain Clinics.
Time in theatre.

Shift Pattern

08:00-16:00 Mon-Fri

Car Parking

Parking permits/ID cards will be arranged prior to commencing your induction.

Café/Restaurant

Please refer to your Student Information booklet sent out via email prior to induction.

Public Transport

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