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What's new?

- GP unit structure within NES
- Recruitment
- Foundation
- OOH for trainees
- Prescribing assessment
- Work Placed Based Assessment 2020

GP training team structure in NES

- 1 Lead Director   Dr Amjad Khan
- 7 Assistant Directors   3 in the West

  4 in the East based in Inverness, Aberdeen, and Dundee/Edinburgh
- 2 in Dundee/Edinburgh   Dr Nitin Gambhir and Dr Jeremy Chowings
- TPDs, AAs and course organisers   locally based and unchanged

Recruitment

- February 2020 is full….. at levels across UK not seen since 2006
- £20,000 incentive for some Scottish programmes
- Stage 3 bypass score reduced to 550 from 575

Foundation

- Scottish Government has decided almost all new foundation posts should be in General Practice

- Currently approximately 25-30% of Scottish FY2s will have a GP post

- By 2023 this should rise to about 50%

- Across Scotland will mean 159 posts and 477 doctors a year experiencing GP in FY2

Foundation Expansion by region

	Total F2 posts (2023)	Current F2 GP Posts	New F2 GP Post Total Required
East	105	11	18 (+7)
North	165	18	28 (+10)
South-East	219	20	36 (+16)
West	465	43	77 (+34)

OOH or Unscheduled, Urgent and Emergency Care

- New title to reflect how they collect the evidence for the capabilities
- Some confusion due to different contracts across the UK
- Mapping exercise only
- The ARCP panels will take a pragmatic approach in January 2020

Work Placed Based Assessment 2020

- New set of assessments
- New e-portfolio
- Trainee will change over to new e-portfolio when they change ST year

Summary of changes

- Reduced workload for ES and trainee
- One ESR annually and shorter mid year review
- Reduce number of CBDs and introduce CATs (in primary care)
- Reduce number of COTs
- Introduce QIP, prescribing assessment, new safeguarding and leadership activities
- Reduce number and length of learning logs
- Stop PSQ in ST1/2 and rewrite PSQ for ST3
- Rewrite forms for COTs, miniCEX and CSR
- 1 less MSF in ST1 and leadership MSF in ST3

Prescribing assessment

- Mandatory pilot in first half of ST3 year

- Only if full time and starting in GPST3 August 2019

- 60 retrospective prescriptions from a date set by ES

- Computerised or manual search

- Vision and EMIS "fixes" developed

- Likely something similar will continue so complete the feedback!

Assessment numbers from August 2020

	ST1		ST2		ST3	
	Old	New	Old	New	Old	New
Mini-CEX/COT	6	4	6	4	12	6
Audio-COT	0	0	0	0	0	1
CBD / CAT	6	4 CbDs	6	4 CbDs	12	5 CATs
MSF	2	1 (with 10 responses)	1	1 (with 10 responses)	2	2 (1 MSF, 1 Leadership MSF)
CSR	1 per post	1 per post	1 per post	1 per post	0	1 per post
PSQ	1 in GP	0	0	0	1	1
Learning Logs	Many	36 Case Reviews	Many	36 Case reviews	Many	36 Case Reviews
Placement meeting		1 per post		1 per post		1 per post

Assessment numbers from August 2020

	ST1		ST2		ST3	
	Old	New	Old	New	Old	New
CEPS	Ongoing	Ongoing	Ongoing	Ongoing	5	5 intimate plus range of others
ESR	2	1	2	1	2	1
Mid Year Review	0	1	0	1	0	1
QIP	0	1 in GP	0	0	0	0
Significant event	Several	If relevant	Several	If relevant	Several	If relevant
Learning event analysis	Several	1	Several	1	Several	1
Prescribing Review	0	0	0	0	0	1
Leadership activity	0	0	0	0	0	1

A few highlights on the new e-portfolio

- All the old data will be there
- Works with different device sizes
- App that works on and off line
- Fully searchable
- Adjusts assessment totals depending on % worked by the trainee
- Inbuilt messaging service

A few highlights on the new e-portfolio

- Easy to see how many tagged capabilities and CEGs for this review

- Ratings over time for assessments can be seen

- PDP attached to each review period

- Graphics to show progress

- MSF and PSQ linked to ESR

- Uses AI to identify possible patient identifiable data