

Placement Profile – Apuldram Ward

Trust	University Hospitals Sussex Foundation NHS Trust – St Richards
Placement ID	
Placement Name	Apuldram
Address	St Richards Hospital, Chichester, West Sussex
Person in charge	Peter Hall (Pete)
Student Contacts	Peter.hall6@nhs.net or paul.wilkins3@nhs.net
Telephone	01243 788122 Ext: 31447 / 32945
Type of placement	Haematology / Medicine
Shift patterns	24hrs rotation/weekends
Specific requirements	Ring ward prior to allocation – at least 2 weeks in advance Need to bring swipe card and uniform
University Placement Support	Chichester – nursingplacements@chi.ac.uk or contact Academic Assessor See MyPAD for email
Practice Education Placement Support team	UHSnursingstudents@nhs.net
Philosophy	High quality patient focused care in calm friendly environment.
Learning experiences	<p>Busy acute medical ward specialising in Haematology and Oncology. Links with outpatient Onco-haematology services and specialist nursing teams. Students have opportunity for multiple spoke visits.</p> <p>Well organised student welcome pack and staff keen to support students.</p> <p>Feedback from students in placement has been positive.</p> <p>Working alongside the oncology clinical nurse specialists and multidisciplinary teams to aid greater understanding of their role and what cancer services are provided by WSHT. Observation of the patient’s journey from both the two week rule referral pathway and patients that attend as an emergency admission into secondary care. Understanding the clinical radiological and interventional radiological roles required for a diagnosis and to guide treatment options. Understanding treatment intent and types, either aiming towards a cure, control, and when referral to specialist palliative care teams is appropriate either for symptom control, advanced care planning or end of life care. How the recovery package requiring holistic needs assessment, end of treatment summaries and survivorship play a part within the patients pathway.</p>
Learning Outcomes	Student specific

NMC documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>NMC 2018 Professional standards of practice and behaviour for nurses, midwives and nursing associates</u> • <u>NMC 2018 standards of proficiency for registered nurses</u> • <u>NMC 2018 standards for student supervision and assessment</u> • <u>NMC 2018 The Code</u>
Links and Spoke areas (Please write in here any areas that students can visit whilst on placement with you)	<p>Palliative care team. Faster diagnosis team. Portsmouth Cancer Centre and Southampton Cancer Centre Portsmouth own all cancer activity – Brain CNS, radiotherapy, Fernhurst Unit – SRH chemotherapy unit delivers lung, colorectal chemotherapy and some targeted breast therapies 2 days a week. Other 3 day is treating Haematology patients Local and Specialist MDT Southampton for neuro MDT and surgery Portsmouth for RT</p>
Suggested Reading	<p>Cancer Research UK. http://www.cancerresearchuk.org/cancerinfo/cancerstats/keyfacts/Allcancerscombined Cancer Research UK. http://www.cancerresearchuk.org/cancerinfo/cancerstats/keyfacts/Allcancerscombined National Confidential Enquiry into Patient Outcome and Death. (NCEPOD 2008). London. For better or worse? A review of the care of patients who died within 30 days of receiving systemic anti-cancer therapy. National Chemotherapy Advisory Group/Department of Health. (NCAG 2009) Ensuring quality and safety of chemotherapy services in England.</p>