

Placement Profile - Byworth Ward

Trust	University Hospitals Sussex NHS Foundation Trust – Worthing
Placement ID	
Placement	Byworth Ward
Address	Worthing General Hospital Lyndhurst Road Worthing West Sussex BN11 2DH
Person in charge/Student Contact(s)	Fay Jenkinson-Folan
Telephone	01903 205111 ext: 86969 / 86970
Type of placement	Acute Respiratory
Shift patterns	Earliest start 0730 - latest finish 2000, nights by negotiation
Specific requirements	Student must wear uniform. Ring ward prior to allocation - at least one week in advance
University Placement Support	Chichester – nursingplacements@chi.ac.uk or contact Academic Assessor See MyPAD for email
Practice Education Placement Support team	uhsussex.nursingstudents@nhs.net
Philosophy	Our philosophy is to promote a high standard of quality care, based upon the needs of the individual. Our patients will be regarded as individuals who have the right to make decisions regarding their own nursing care. We will offer specialist advice and provide specialist care for respiratory and medical patients. The care we provide will address social needs as well as physical needs. This care will serve to achieve and maintain an individual's independence where possible and promote privacy and dignity at all times.
Learning experiences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing fundamental nursing care to individual patients • Care of a wide range of acute and chronic respiratory conditions • Medication administration • Managing a group of patients depending on experience • Discharge planning • Working within the MDT • Care of patients with tracheostomies and laryngostomies • CPAP and BiPAP
Learning Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate knowledge of the structure and function of the respiratory system • Demonstrate a basic knowledge of the underlying pathophysiology of common respiratory conditions such as asthma and COPD

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the role of the MDT in caring for patients from admission to discharge
NMC documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NMC 2018 Professional standards of practice and behaviour for nurses, midwives and nursing associates • NMC 2018 standards of proficiency for registered nurses • NMC 2018 standards for student supervision and assessment • NMC 2018 The Code
Links and Spoke areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chest Physiotherapist • CNS Respiratory • Dietician • OT • Outreach team (Third year students only) • Social worker • Discharge co-ordinator • Clinical site manager (Third year students only) • Sleep Clinic • Bronchoscopy • Pleural Clinic
Suggested Reading	<p>It would be useful to look at the;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respiratory system in a reputable text book • UK Resuscitation Council website • NICE guidelines, Acutely ill patients in hospital: Recognition of and response to acute illness in adults in hospital • British Thoracic Society guidelines; Asthma • British Thoracic Society guidelines; Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease • Welcome pack • Covid 19: Guidance for Healthcare Professionals