**MBBS YEAR 5**

**GP ASSISTANTSHIP** **STUDENT GUIDE – ONE PAGE OVERVIEW**

**2022-2023**

1. *AIM OF GP ASSISTANTSHIP :*

By the end of the 8 weeks students should be ***thinking and acting like a generalist***: be able to assess undifferentiated acute and chronic presentations and negotiate a safe management plan with the majority of patients – always with supervision.

1. WHAT TO EXPECT :
   * **Intro session and induction**
   * **Regular Student Surgery sessions** with feedback (3 – 4 per week): combining virtual and face-to-face patient contact
   * **Backroom practice work** – Chronic Disease Reviews, Administrative work, Medication reviews and prescribing, Covid and QOF follow-up
   * **Professional shadowing** – sitting in with GP or members of the MDT and assisting.
   * **One GP-based Tutorial session per week**  - approximately 90 to 120 mins in length
   * **Working as part of the Practice Team** - attending appropriate meetings, learning from various team members
   * **Self-Directed Learning sessions** (2 per week) - to allow time for assessment work and general learning
   * **Central Teaching –** Attendance at 4 Core Case Tutorials, DATE, BBN, Intro and Closing Days and virtual hospital morning.
2. *ASSESSMENT*

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| ***Assessment item on PebblePad*** | ***Deadline*** |
| *Mini Cex x 2* | *1 completed by Week 4 and 2nd completed by Week 8* |
| *10 x Patient feedback forms* | *5 completed by Week 4. 5 completed by Week 8* |
| *Midway Assessment at Week 4* | *Review of progress, 1 x mini cex, 5 x patient feedback forms.*  *Student feedback form to be completed* |
| *Patient Case and Reflection* | *Completed by Week 8* |
| *Practice Project* | *Progress to be reviewed at Midway Review, completed by Week 8* |
| *Significant Event Analysis* | *Completed by Week 8* |
| *Assessment of Professional Attitude and Conduct Form* | *Week 8* |
| *Overall Tutor Assessment of Performance* | *Week 8* |

1. *MODULE CONTACTS*

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1. *KEY DATES*

* Block 1: Tuesday 6th September – Friday 28th October
* Block 2: Tuesday 1st November – Friday 9th December and Tuesday 3rd Jan – Friday 13th Jan
* Block 3: Tuesday 17th Jan – Friday 10th March

*Please see module handbook for central teaching dates*