

Presentation for Senior Registrar Interview

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Proposals for 6 months
Enhanced Training in
General Practice with a
Special Interest in
Genitourinary Medicine

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3 Components:

- Enhanced Training in General Practice
- Development of Special Interest in Genitourinary Medicine (GUM)
- The Project

Why apply for Enhanced Training?

Why have I chosen to continue at
the same Practice?

Why Genitourinary Medicine?

- Personal Motivations
- Current clinical, social and political importance of Genitourinary Medicine

National Strategy for Sexual Health & HIV (2001) – Service levels

Level 1:

- Sexual history and risk assessment
- HIV testing and counselling
- Assessment and testing for women with symptoms of sexually transmitted infections (STI)
- Assessment and referral of men with symptoms of STI
- Hep B immunisation for those at risk

- Contraceptive information and services
- Cervical screening
- Pregnancy testing

Level 2:

- Testing and treating for STI
- Partner notification
- Invasive tests for STI for men (until non-invasive available)

- IUD insertion
- Vasectomy
- Contraceptive implant insertion

Level 3:

- Specialised HIV treatment and care
- Management of specialised infection
- Co-ordination of partner notification for whole area
- Outreach for STI prevention
- Outreach contraception services/Specialised contraception

The Project.....

Aim of Project:

'To identify options for redesign of local genitourinary medicine service provision in the Mid and South Buckinghamshire area, enabling greater provision of level 1 and 2 services in primary care'

Outline of Project:

- Consultation
- Development of Candidate Models
- Pilot

Main Considerations:

- Funding
- Training
- Partner Notification

Anticipated Challenges:

- Project plans/goalposts may change
- Project may take longer than 6 months
- The comfort Zone!
- Unforeseen Obstacles!

Potential Benefits:

- Personally
- Local Primary Care population
- Wider NHS