

**Job Description for: Pancreatico-Biliary Surgical Training Fellowship in Glasgow Royal Infirmary**  
**West of Scotland Deanery: based in NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde**

**Outline of programme:**

The IMTF in Pancreatico-Biliary (PB) Surgery based at Glasgow Royal Infirmary delivers training in PB and Emergency Surgery. The fixed term appointment will be made for one year.

**Supervisors:** The PB consultants are; Mr CR Carter, Mr CJ McKay, Mr EJ Dickson, Prof A Biankin and Mr D Chang. The Fellow will work with all the consultants, but one will be appointed as an Educational Supervisor and a regular review of progress will be undertaken.

**Departmental Information:**

Situated on Castle Street, Glasgow Royal Infirmary (GRI) provides a broad range of regional, supra-regional and national acute clinical services. GRI provides specialist services for Colorectal, Upper GI and Pancreatic patients. In Patient surgery is carried out at the GRI site, while short stay and day case surgery is primarily co-ordinated through our ACH at Stobhill.

The Pancreatic Unit comprises a team of 5 Consultant Surgeons, working alongside a comprehensive team of trainee doctors, Clinical Nurse Specialists and Allied Health Professionals. The Pancreatic Unit provides tertiary surgical services to the West of Scotland for benign and malignant PB disease.

**Activity / Workload:**

Training is provided in the environment of wards, clinics, endoscopy suite, theatres, departmental educational meetings and multi-disciplinary team meetings. Emergency surgical training is gained from contribution to the General Surgical Registrar Rota which is supported by a Junior Middle Grade and FY1 rota

**Clinical Training and Responsibilities:**

The IMTF in PB Surgery based at Glasgow Royal Infirmary delivers training commensurate with the PB and Emergency Surgery elements of the General Surgery syllabus of the United Kingdom's Intercollegiate Surgical Curriculum Programme. Training provision is aimed at those doctors equivalent to at least United Kingdom General Surgery Specialty Registrar Level 5. Trainee's objectives will be agreed with their Educational Supervisor at the start of the post. Line management responsibility will be to named consultant Clinical and Educational Supervisors. The Lead Clinician is Mr Colin K MacKay and the Clinical Director is Mr Colin J McKay. Dr R McKee undertakes trainee induction.

**Non-Clinical Training and Responsibilities:**

Contributions to audit, clinical research and undergraduate and post-graduate teaching are encouraged. Excellent education facilities are provided at Glasgow

Royal Infirmary within the refurbished University Tower. The Department has an extensive portfolio of published research and facilitates doctors undertaking postgraduate degrees including PhD, MD and MSc.

**Particular Training Opportunities:**

The PB Unit in Glasgow Royal Infirmary is internationally recognised in provision of cancer resections for PB malignancy and the surgical / endosurgical management of complex benign conditions including acute and chronic pancreatitis. There is a long history of providing surgical training to Fellows from across the world.

The Fellow will gain experience in PB cancer surgery including laparoscopic resections. The benign surgical practice involves the surgical (and endoscopic) management of complicated acute pancreatitis and surgery for chronic pancreatitis. There is an extensive endoscopic workload involving Therapeutic ERCP and both Diagnostic and Therapeutic Endoscopic Ultrasound.

**Rota arrangements:**

The Fellow will contribute to the middle grade General Surgery on call rota and, currently, this includes 1-in-15 resident night duty. Dr R McKee composes the middle grade rota.

<b>Study Leave</b>
Study leave is available for up to 30 days per annum on the same conditions as apply to ST trainees

<b>Salary</b>
Salary is paid on the Specialty Registrar salary scale. Starting point on this scale will be dependent on previous experience but is likely to be at ST3 level.