**Eastern and Greater Southern Surgical Skills Training Network**

**Surgical Prevocational Training Term Description**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| 1. **ACCREDITED TRAINING PROVIDER** | **Eastern and Greater Southern Surgical Skills Training Network** |
| **Training Term Based at:** | ***Sydney Hospital/Sydney Eye Hospital*** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| 1. **TERM NAME** | **Hand Surgery** |
| **Overview of Unit or Service** | ***Please outline the role of the unit and range of clinical services provided:***  **Provide inpatient and outpatient hand surgery services to patients in Sydney and southern NSW. The Hand Hospital, based within Sydney Hospital/Sydney Eye Hospital, is the tertiary referral centre for all acute hand trauma in southern New South Wales and Sydney. All acute injuries are transferred to the hospital for review and management**  ***Please outline the patient case mix, turnover and how acutely ill the patients generally are:***   * **Daily clinic with 50-70 patients attending per day** * **5-10 operations performed daily in 1-2 theatres** * **Elective surgery performed in the morning, with acute/emergency surgeries performed thereafter** * **Mix of elective and emergency hand surgery cases** * **Conditions requiring elective surgery include: Dupuytren’s contracture, trigger finger, carpal tunnel syndrome, ulnar bone variance, scapho-lunate instability** * **Conditions requiring emergency surgery include: cat/dog bites, flexor tenosynovitis, acute fractures of all hand bones, distal radius fractures, amputations** |
| **Term Duration *(Weeks)*** | ***13 weeks*** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| 1. **TERM CATEGORY** | **Surgical SRMO** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| 1. **TERM SUPERVISION** | |
| **Name, Position and Contact Details of Term Supervisor**  ***Responsible for trainee term orientation and assessment*** | **Dr Damian Ryan**  [**Dp.ryan@hotmail.com**](mailto:Dp.ryan@hotmail.com)  **0418 861 438** |
| **Term Supervisor Contact with Trainee**  ***Term supervisor to provide a plan for contact with the prevocational trainee/s during the training term*** | ***General Contact: via SHH Switch***  ***Orientation: As organised by Department***  ***Mid Term: contact Dr Ryan via SHH switch***  ***End of Term: contact Dr Ryan via SHH switch*** |
| **Immediate Supervisor with Direct Responsibility for Day to Day Supervision** | ***Fellow and Registrars*** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| 1. **CLINICAL TEAM STRUCTURE**   ***Provide positions of all members of the clinical team who provide supervision and bedside teaching including AMOs and Registrars. Please also identify how the Surgical SRMO/Registrar will be distributed amongst the team/s*** | **10 VMO surgeons from either plastic or orthopaedic surgery**  **1x hand surgery fellow (plastics, orthopaedics)**  **4x registrars (2x orthopaedics, 2x plastics)**  **1x SRMO**  **1x Clinical Nurse Consultant**  **1x Nurse Unit Manager**  **5-6x Hand therapists (Occupational therapy, physiotherapy)** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| 1. **Expectations of the Prevocational Surgical Trainee** | |
| **Please List Expectations** | * **Pre-round review of inpatients including checking bloods, culture results, x-rays, overnight observations and clinical reviews** * **Print ward round lists** * **Document of ward rounds** * **Complete of ward jobs** * **Write discharge summaries** * **Reconcile patient medications and submit to pharmacy for patient discharge** * **Admit patients from clinic** * **See pre-admission patients (for elective surgery under clinic consultant of the day)** * **Inform patients of surgery deferrals (often due to running out of time during the day to complete all surgeries)** |
| **Patient Load *(average per shift)*** | ***Patient Load per trainee:***  **5-15 inpatients**  ***Patient load total for team:***  **50-70 patients (clinic)**  **10-20 patients receiving surgery** |
| **After Hours Roster**  ***Does this term include participation in a hospital wide after hours roster and if so, please advise frequency and the onsite supervision available after hours*** | **Participate in on-call roster (24 hour on- call roster if another SRMO calls in sick)**  **Voluntary participation in after-hours roster (10-12 hour ward shifts on Saturday/Sunday)** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **G: TERM LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES** | |
| **Please list 5 learning opportunities/objectives** | * **Manage busy inpatient ward** * **Work effectively as a member of a multi-disciplinary subspecialty team** * **Review and work up preadmission patients** |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **H: SIGN OFF** | |
| **Revision Date and by Who** | ***Dr Mark Muhlmann*** |
| **Endorsement by Term Supervisor** | ***Dr Damian Ryan*** |
| **Endorsement by Network Director of Surgical Training** | ***Dr Mark Muhlmann*** |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **I: TERM/UNIT TIMETABLE AND INDICATIVE DUTY ROSTER**  ***Important notes about completing the timetable:***   * ***Please include the start and finish times of the shifts the trainee will be rostered to;*** * ***Please show the activities that the trainee are expected/rostered to attend – these include all education opportunities (both training facility wide and term specific), ward rounds, theatre sessions, inpatient time, outpatient clinics, shift handover, morning handover from hospital night team, afternoon handover to hospital’s after hours team. Please include times of activities where possible;*** * ***If there are extended shifts or evening shifts as part of the team, please attach an indicative roster.*** | | | | | | |
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 7am – 5:00pm   * Xray meeting at 7am | 7:30am – 5:00pm | 7:30am – 5:00 pm | 7 am – 5:00 pm   * Xray meeting at St Luke’s Private | 7:30am – 5:00pm | nil | nil |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |