

Placement Information	
Placement Provider	MSK Outpatients – Physiotherapy
Placement Provider Trust	East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust
Placement Provider Location	Accrington Victoria Hospital, Physiotherapy Department
Placement Provider Website (if available)	
Practice Area	MSK Outpatients
Practice Educator/s	Student co-ordinator (all enquiries) Sharon Crane Practice educators – Natalie Almond, Jane Burgess, Marie Wilson, Tom Henry, Gabrielle Broome
Main Contact Number	01254 736012
Required Skills and Pre-Reading	Read and be familiar with basic assessments both subjective and objective of all core areas. Knee, ankle, shoulder, spinal, hip, elbow. Have an understanding of the common pathologies/conditions that present in MSK area
Maximum Number of Students	One per placement
Specific Uniform Requirements	Navy blue trousers, white tunic or navy/ white polo top. White trainers or dark shoes
Changing/Locker Facilities	No changing facilities/lockers. But has a locked staff room to keep bags in
Additional Occupational Health Screening Needed?	No
Accommodation Information	No
Normal Working Hours / Lunch	To be negotiated with clinical educator (8.30am-4.30pm half hour lunch)
Parking	Free parking on surrounding streets- car parking charges apply on the hospital grounds
Public Transport	Accrington train station is 20 minutes' walk away

Local Shops	10 minutes away
Nearest Cashpoint	5 minutes in the car

On Arrival

Place to Report on 1 st Day	Physiotherapy Reception in Accrington Victoria Hospital
Time to Report on 1 st Day	To be negotiated with clinical educator prior to start of placement
PEF Contact	Andrew Keavey Trust PEF 01254 733371

Sickness

Person to Report Sickness to	Natalie Almond or Jane Burgess
By Time	8.30am
Will Practice Educators inform University of absence if tutor visit is scheduled?	Should be the responsibility of the student
HEI Academic Contact	MMU Jo Nicholson 0161 247 j.nicholson@mmu.ac.uk MMU Sophie Taylor 0161 247 3057 s.taylor@mmu.ac.uk MMU Physiotherapy Administration Assistant Louise Taylor 0161 247 2457 l.taylor@mmu.ac.uk

Facilities and Resources

Staff Room Facilities	Microwave, toaster, hot water
Canteen Facilities	No
Additional Student Support on Placement	
Learning Facilities on Placement	Access to library. Several computers in each work area
Details of Time for Student Access to Learning Resources	IST, Internet, library etc. Access to library Several computers in each work area NHS Library Details Learning Centre Library (Royal Blackburn Hospital) 01245 734 312 Opening Hours Mon – Thur 08.30 – 16.30 Friday 08.30 – 16.00 Email library.blackburn@elht.nhs.uk Intranet site – (Can only be accessed within the Trust)
Learning Opportunities on Placement	Involvement with MDT, able to negotiate locally with educator.
Learning Outcomes Expected from Placement	Agreed outcomes in partnership with the student on arrival

Contact Details

Name of Practice Educator	Contact Number & Email	Practice Area
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