

Our Ward Philosophy

We are waiting until we have merged with our new staff to develop a ward vision.

Expectations

During your placement on Robinson Ward we require you to act with integrity and professionalism at all times, if you are ever uncertain about any aspect of care please ask!

We expect students to demonstrate an awareness and responsibility for their own learning and in turn we will facilitate education opportunities such as insight visits, teaching sessions and discussions.

It is expected that you to show an interest in our speciality and in your learning in order for you to achieve the most from your placement.

Documentation

The mentors that you have been allocated are very busy with the responsibility of looking after a large caseload of patients, communicating with the MDT and relatives and also facilitating your learning. In consequence, completing your documentation is something that sometimes can get forgotten about or rushed.

To avoid this happening it is important that you discuss your learning objectives at the earliest opportunity with your mentor and as able, plan your meetings during the placement.

Off Duty

Our LEM will allocate your off duty and in accordance with the university guidelines you will be expected to work a minimum of 40% with your mentor and a full range of shifts including mornings, afternoons, nights and weekends. In order for you get the most out of your placement it is recommended that you work with your mentor as closely as possible and adhere to your allocated off-duty.

If you need to adjust your off-duty please discuss this first with your mentor or LEM and we will try to be as accommodating as possible. If you are unable to attend placement due to sickness or unforeseen circumstances we expect you to take responsibility for informing the ward and university at the earliest opportunity.