



The University of Edinburgh

Careers Service

Medical and surgical specialities

Wales Deanery and BMA Cymru online videos about five specialities: anaesthesia, paediatrics, pathology, psychiatry, obstetrics and gynaecology. These are interviews with early and later career trainees and/or consultants talking about the training pathway, the development of the speciality and the qualities required. Although there is a 'Wales flavour' the videos are still helpful for anyone considering specialities. - www.doctorstrainingwales.tv

Each nation within the UK has its own agency responsible for coordinating the speciality training recruitment and training process:

England - www.mmc.nhs.uk

Scotland - www.scotmt.scot.nhs.uk

Wales - <http://specialty.walesdeanery.org>

Northern Ireland - www.nimda.gov.uk

The Joint Royal College of Physicians' Training Board - www.jrcptb.org.uk

The Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh (RCPE) - www.rcpe.ac.uk - examinations, education and training for postgraduate education and training in specialist (internal) medicine.

Royal College of Physicians of London - www.rcplondon.ac.uk

Sci59 – is a professionally constructed psychometric instrument designed for selection of medical careers. Access is by password only, obtainable from medical education establishments.
<http://sci59.open.ac.uk/>

Acute/General Internal medicine

The Society for Acute Medicine (SAM) - www.acutemedicine.org.uk

Allergy

The British Society for Allergy & Clinical Immunology (BSACI) - www.bsaci.org

Anaesthetics

Association of Anaesthetists of Great Britain and Ireland (AAGBI) - www.aagbi.org

Royal College of Anaesthetists (ROCA) - www.roca.ac.uk

Anaesthesia UK - <http://frca.co.uk>

Armed Forces

Royal Army Medical Corps - www.army.mod.uk/army-medical-services/5319.aspx

Royal Air Medical Officer - www.raf.mod.uk/careers/jobs/medicalofficer.cfm

Royal Navy Medical Officer - www.royalnavy.mod.uk/careers/explore-jobs/all-jobs/medical-officer/whats-the-job/index.htm

Audiological Medicine

British Association of Audiovestibular Physicians (BAAP) - www.baap.org.uk

Audiology resources - www.aud.org.uk

Cardiology

British Cardiac Society (BCS) - www.bcs.com

Dermatology

British Association of Dermatologists (BAD) - www.bad.org.uk

Emergency Medicine

College of Emergency Medicine - www.collemergencymed.ac.uk

Diabetes and Endocrinology

Society for Endocrinology - www.endocrinology.org

Association of British Clinical Diabetologists (ABCD) - www.diabetologists-abcd.org.uk

Diabetes UK - www.diabetes.org.uk/Professionals

Young Diabetologists - www.youngdiabetologists.org

Forensic medicine

British Association in Forensic Medicine (BAFM) - www.bafm.org

Faculty of Forensic and Legal Medicine of the Royal College of Physicians (FFLM) - <http://fflm.ac.uk/>

BMA Forensic Medicine Committee -

www.bma.org.uk/representation/branch_committees/forensic_medicine/index.jsp

Forensic Med - www.forensicmed.co.uk

The Forensic Science Society - www.forensic-science-society.org.uk

Gastroenterology

British Society of Gastroenterology - www.bsg.org.uk

General Practice

Royal College of General Practitioners - www.rcgp.org.uk

RCGP - GP Curriculum and Assessment Site - www.rcgp-curriculum.org.uk

The National Recruitment Office for General Practice training (NRO) - www.gprecruitment.org.uk

Genetics

The British Society for Human genetics (BSHG) - www.bshg.org.uk

Genitourinary Medicine and Sexual Health

British Association for Sexual Health and HIV (BASHH)- www.bashh.org

Faculty of Sexual & Reproductive Healthcare - www.ffprhc.org.uk

British HIV Association (BHIVA) - www.bhiva.org

Geriatric Medicine

British Geriatrics Society - www.bgs.org.uk

Infectious Diseases & Tropical Medicine

The British Infection Association (BIA) - www.britishinfection.org

Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene (RSTMH) - www.rstmh.org

Intensive care

The Intensive Care Society - www.ics.ac.uk

The Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine - www.ficm.ac.uk

Neurology

Association of British Neurologists (ABN) - www.theabn.org

The Neurology and Neurosurgery Student Interest Group (NANSIG) - www.nansig.org

Obstetrics & Gynaecology

Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists - www.rcog.org.uk

Occupational Medicine

Faculty of Occupational Medicine - www.facoccmmed.ac.uk

Society of Occupational Medicine - www.som.org.uk

Oncology

Association of Cancer Physicians - www.cancerphysicians.org.uk

Ophthalmology

Royal College of Ophthalmologists - www.rcophth.ac.uk

Success in MRCOphth - www.mrcophth.com

Paediatric Medicine

Royal College of Paediatrics & Child Health - www.rcpch.ac.uk

British Paediatric Neurology Association - www.bpna.org.uk

The British Association for Community Child Health (BACCH) - www.bacch.org.uk

Palliative Medicine

The Association for Palliative Medicine of Great Britain and Ireland (APM) - www.apmonline.org

Pathology

Association of Clinical Pathologists - www.pathologists.org.uk

Royal College of Pathologists - www.rcpath.org

The Pathological Society of Great Britain and Ireland - www.pathsoc.org

The British Society for Haematology (BSH) - www.b-s-h.org.uk

NHS Histopathology - <http://nhshistopathology.net>

Pharmaceutical medicine

The Faculty of Pharmaceutical Medicine - www.fpm.org.uk

The British Association of Pharmaceutical Physicians (BRAPP) - www.brapp.org.uk

The Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry (ABPI) - www.abpi.org.uk

ABPI Careers website - <http://careers.abpi.org.uk>

Psychiatry

Royal College of Psychiatrists - www.rcpsych.ac.uk

The Association for Child and Adolescent Mental Health (ACAMH) - www.acamh.org.uk

The British Association of Psychotherapists - www.bap-psychotherapy.org

The UK Council for Psychotherapy (UKCP) - www.psychotherapy.org.uk

Public Health Medicine

Faculty of Public Health Medicine - www.fphm.org.uk

PHORCaST (Public Health Online Resource for Careers, Skills and Training) - www.phorcast.org.uk

Radiology/Nuclear Medicine

The British Nuclear Medicine Society (BNMS) - www.bnms.org.uk

Royal College of Radiologists (RCR) - www.rcr.ac.uk

The British Institute of Radiology - www.bir.org.uk

The Society of Radiologists in Training - <http://thesrt.co.uk>

Rehabilitation Medicine

The British Society of Rehabilitation Medicine (BSRM) - www.bsrm.co.uk

The Society of Research in Rehabilitation (SRR) - www.srr.org.uk

Renal Medicine

Renal Association - www.renal.org

The British Renal Society - www.britishrenal.org

Respiratory Medicine

British Thoracic Society - www.brit-thoracic.org.uk

Rheumatology

British Society for Rheumatology - www.rheumatology.org.uk

Sports Medicine

British Association of Sport and Exercise Medicine (BASEM) - www.basem.co.uk

The Intercollegiate Faculty of Sport and Exercise Medicine (FSEM) - www.fsem.co.uk

Stroke Medicine

The British Association of Stroke Physicians (BASP) - www.basp.ac.uk

The NIHR Stroke Research Network (NIHR SRN) - www.uksrn.ac.uk

Surgery

The Royal College of Surgeons of England (RCS) - www.rcseng.ac.uk

Royal College of Surgeons Edinburgh - www.rcsed.ac.uk

Surgical careers - <http://surgicalcareers.rcseng.ac.uk>

The Intercollegiate Surgical Curriculum Programme Website - www.iscp.ac.uk

General Surgery

The Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland (ASGBI) - www.asgbi.org.uk

Cardiothoracic surgery

British Thoracic Society - www.brit-thoracic.org.uk

The Society for Cardiothoracic Surgery in Great Britain and Ireland (SCTS) - www.scts.org

Tomorrow's Cardiothoracic Surgeons (SSCTS) - <http://sscts.org>

Neurosurgery

The Society of British Neurosurgeons (SBNS) - www.sbns.org.uk

The Neurology and Neurosurgery Student Interest Group (NANSIG) - www.nansig.org

Maxillofacial surgery

The British Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons (BAOMS) - www.baoms.org.uk

Otorhinolaryngology (ENT)

British Association of Otorhinolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery (BAO-HNS) - www.entuk.org

Orthopaedics

The British Orthopaedic Association (BOA) - www.boa.ac.uk

The British Orthopaedic Trainee's Association (BOTA) - www.bota.org.uk

Paediatric surgery

British Association of Paediatric Surgeons (BAPS) - www.baps.org.uk

Trips (Trainees in Paediatric Surgery) - www.traineesinpaediatricsurgery.org

Plastic surgery

British Association of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons (BAPRAS). - www.bapras.org.uk

British Association of Aesthetic Surgeons (BAAPS) - www.baaps.org.uk

Urology

British Association of Urological Surgeons (BAUS) - www.baus.org.uk

