

PRACTICE PROFILE

Area		Location	Contact Number
Same Day Emergency Care (SDEC)		Main Hospital, St Mary's Hospital, Parkhurst Road, Newport, Isle of Wight PO30 5TG	01983 822099 Ext 3589
Directorate	Ambulance Emergency Care & Community Division	Annual Review of Profile due	May 2020
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HEI's using this Learning Environment		University of Southampton, Portsmouth, Solent and Open University	
Learning Environment Mission Statement		<p>SDEC is a fast-paced, high intensity clinical environment with a wide range of patients admitted; we aim to provide seamless service delivery to those who use our facilities. SDEC aspire to be a highly qualified, dedicated and caring team. We are constantly learning and maximising our potential to provide the necessary skills and proficiencies for the workplace to provide our patient with the best possible care. SDEC works to an ethos where patients get the best care we can provide and where the team members work in harmony to ensure the best outcome for the patient is achieved. The SDEC team will work diligently to ensure that all patients and relatives are fully aware of all diagnosis, treatments and care options that are available to them.</p>	

LEARNING ENVIRONMENT PROFILE

General Information	<p>The SDEC service offers an alternative approach to traditional healthcare delivery. It combines the flexible aspects of community based care with access to diagnostic tests and specialist staff.</p> <p>It aims to create a service where a significant proportion of emergency adult patients can be managed safely and efficiently on the same day, avoiding admission to a hospital bed.</p> <p>This means that patients are assessed, diagnosed, treated and are able to go home the same day, without being admitted to hospital overnight.</p>
Description of Service and Client Group	<p>The SDEC will provide an alternative route to an urgent medical opinion and access to same day diagnostic services for patients who would otherwise be admitted with an acute condition.</p> <p>The aim is to support any patients that are clinically appropriate to be seen and managed in SDEC in one day in order to prevent admission, rather than working to a pre agreed list of conditions.</p> <p>Consequently, each patient will be assessed on an individual basis whether SDEC is able to provide the most appropriate treatment. In addition to the treatment of acute conditions SDEC also provide limited therapeutic interventions e.g. IV fluids, antibiotics, rate controlled medication, 12 hour troponin, CT brain, CTPA or Ultrasound.</p>
Description of related services & Client group	MAU and diagnostics are related services for this client group

LEARNER INFORMATION

Work Patterns	0900hrs to 2000hrs daily
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All relevant policies and procedures relevant to the learning environment can be accessed via the Intranet

Dress Code	IOW NHS Trust dress code policy (insert link) http://intranet/guidelines/Dress%20Code%20and%20Uniform%20Policy.pdf Staff and students must change out of uniform when travelling to and from work and are advised to use the Trust Autovalet.
Induction/Orientation programme	Trust Student induction by Clinical Education Team, followed by local induction within clinical area. Local induction is provided in SDEC.
Staff / rest room facilities	Staff room available, canteen nearby, microwave and kettle available.
Expectations during placement	Students are expected to demonstrate a high level of professionalism at all times and are to engage fully in the work of SDEC, acting as an ambassador for their chosen profession and the IOW Trust values. This includes treating colleagues, patients and their relatives with respect and dignity. We want students to feel that they are part of a team. Students should be aware of their own limitations, and are to seek support and advice, reporting any changes in patient's condition to a senior nurse. We want you to learn and enjoy the placement.

LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES

Recommended reading/Websites	https://improvement.nhs.uk/resources/same-day-emergency-care/
Common Abbreviations	See SDEC student learning pack
Specific learning opportunities	Acute emergency care for adults with a view to prevention of admission to hospital
Specific areas of expertise/clinical skills	Acute care needs, physical assessment and recognising the deteriorating patient. Underpinned by effective communication skills.
Common Assessments / Interventions/Care pathways	Physical assessment, cannulation, venepuncture, administration of O2/IV fluids/medications/ nebulisers/ diagnostic testing.
Models of practice experience e.g Hub & Spoke, Patient Journeys	Practice Placement Opportunities are detailed on the intranet for students to access examples include; ultrasound guided procedures in Diagnostic Imaging Dept/ED/MAU

MULTIAGENCY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES / RESOURCES

Multiprofessional learners accessing the environment	Student nurses; medical students; work experience; volunteers; dietetic students; occupational therapists physiotherapists
Professionals working in the environment	HCA's, Nurses, Clinical Nurse Specialists, Consultant Doctors, Pharmacist, Junior Doctors.
Opportunities to meet EU directives (Nursing)	Adult LD/ Maternity may arise.

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