

PLACEMENT DESCRIPTION

Employer: WEX TEMPLATES

Contact:

Supervisor:

Employer Tel:

Website:

Job: Hearing Aid Practitioner

Classification: Health Professions

Ref: 50,024

Aims & Objectives: To develop key skills through the experience of work
To gain an understanding and insight into this line of work

Key Tasks: This placement requires quite a lot of observation and shadowing of main audiologist
Student may be allowed to use simple hearing aid machinery and do basic tasks around the practice
Student may be able to use sterilising machine alongside practitioner
Student may be able to help out with reception work dealing with clients, answering the phone, making bookings etc.

Requirements: Students must be year 12 or older. Must have an interest in this area of work.

Clothing: Smart office dress. Shirt/tie for boys and smart skirt/blouse/dress for girls. No excessive jewellery

Working Hours: 9am 5.00pm Monday to Friday can be flexible (max 37 hrs)

Meal Breaks: lunch hour and times flexible lunchtimes may be unsupervised

Interview Required: Y

Student to Arrange: Y

Notes: Student to contact employer to arrange an informal meeting prior to placement.

Employer's Health & Safety Risk Assessment:

LACK OF KNOWLEDGE, EXPERIENCE & AWARENESS:-Student to ne supervised at all times.

SLIPS, TRIPS & FALLS:-No work at heights on this placement.

LIFTING & MANUAL HANDLING:-Safe manual handling to be shown if required.

CHILD PROTECTION ISSUES:-all staff are police checked.

EQUIPMENT & MACHINERY, CHEMICALS & FLAMMABLE MATERIALS:-Safe use of office and testing equipment to be shown.

ELECTRICITY:-Safe use of electrical items to be shown.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:-Disposable gloves.

COMPUTERS & WORK STATION:-Regular breaks from computer screens are required during prolonged use.

Special Notes:

Parents/Guardians will be expected to give details of any health problems e.g. epilepsy, asthma etc on the agreement form

Last Visit Date:

Next Visit Date:

Risk Band: L