

# Radiography Department, Allied and Public Health Directorate

**VERIFICATION OF CLINICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR**

**ADVANCED MEDICAL IMAGING PROGRAMME**

**PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM ELECTRONICALLY**

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| SECTION 1 |
| **PERSONAL & CONTACT DETAILS**  *NB – You are not obliged to provide all the details on this page but please do provide any means of contact that the course team may use.* |
| SURNAME |
| PREFERRED FIRST NAME |
| DATE OF BIRTH |
| E-MAIL ADDRESS |
| HOME ADDRESS |
| HOME TELEPHONE NO |
| MOBILE TELEPHONE NO |
| WORK TELEPHONE NO |
| PLACEMENT ADDRESS |

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| **SECTION 2** |
| **FOR WHICH QUALIFICATION DO YOU PROPOSE TO STUDY?**  **Single Module PGCert PGDip MSc**  Advanced Medical Imaging □ □ □ □  **Proposed areas of study**  SELECT OR HIGHLIGHT all that apply….  Ba Swallow / Videofluoroscopy □  GI Reporting □  Mammography □  Mammography Reporting □  Breast Ultrasound □  Breast Interventional □  CT Colonography □  Cardiac stress course □  Chest Reporting □  Skeletal Reporting □    Other modules (please specify): □ ………………………………………………………………..……………..……………..………  ………………………………………………………………..……………..……………..……… |
| **SECTION 3** |
| **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE** |
| Are you currently employed in your proposed area of study? YES / NO (PLEASE DELETE) |
| If yes, how long have you been employed in this area? |
| Will you have access to the suggested number of sessions/cases identified for your area of study on page 4? (please see back page for suggested hours of clinical work-based learning) |
| **SECTION 4** |
| **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE / MENTORING**  You will need to identify a suitable person who can act as mentor throughout the course; the Mentor will be responsible for the clinical education in your own department and therefore needs to be a qualified and experienced practitioner. Those new to mentoring may be required to undertake a short training course and will be invited to attend a mentoring workshop.  Your must have secured a suitable clinical placement in a department suitable to support your specialism that will last throughout the duration of your academic course. A minimum of 2 or 3 days a week is recommended for a single module. It is the students responsibility to secure a placement prior to commencement of the Programme and no unconditional offer will be made without this placement. |
| Name & position of mentor |
| Email & contact telephone number of mentor |
| SIGNATURE OF MENTOR |
| **TO BE COMPLETED BY DEPARTMENT / STUDENT’S MANAGER;**  **I understand that in order for the student to be offered a place on this course, the support of a clinical mentor and access to an appropriate caseload in the clinical environment is required throughout the duration of the course. I agree to support this student through the course and provide the student with access to the required clinical caseload**  **I am able to satisfy the above criteria.** |
| NAME (Department Manager) |
| SIGNATURE OF MANAGER |
| **TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT;**  **I understand that my clinical education is a partnership between myself, my department and the University of Salford, and I authorise appropriate communication between my department and the University of Salford.** |
| SIGNATURE OF STUDENT |
| DATE |

**Please complete this form and submit it alongside your application**

**Suggested hours of clinical work-based learning**

Although we have very good progression and completion statistics, there is an increasing number of students who fail to progress within the normal timeframe of the module because they are not given sufficient access to clinical cases in order to develop their expertise and competence.

Obviously, all students learn at different rates so the figures below are approximate, based on our experience of working with previous learners and the advice of our clinical experts in these areas. Clinical learning hours should therefore be reviewed regularly, along with the progress of the individual learner, as part of a structured mentoring process. For modules that include clinical assessments in placement, there is a procedure-specific assessment form that can be used to gauge student progress.

It is also worth noting that effective clinical learning happens when the learning is regular, rather than intermittent.

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| **Specialism** | **No cases required in logbook** | **Recommended Clinical Learning Hours** |
| **PROCEDURE:** | | |
| Breast intervention:  Biopsy and wire insertion | 40 Core Biopsy & 10 localisations  or 50 biopsies  U/S: To be negotiated. | Minimum 2-3 cases per week. Recommend attending at least two MDT meetings within the module |
| Breast ultrasound | 200 | Minimum of 3 scanning sessions per week.  Recommend attending at least two MDT meetings within the module |
| Barium swallows  CTC  VFSS | 100  100  To be negotiated. | 1-2 lists per week (3 cases per week)  Recommend attending at least two MDT meetings within the module |
| Cardiac Stress | 170 maximum  140 minimum | Minimum 5 cases per week  Maximum and minimum case numbers are dependent on prior experience |
| Mammography | 250 | Minimum 25 cases per week  Symptomatic services only: In order to meet the requirements of this course a minimum number of 20 cases per week is required. If this is not achievable then you need to arrange additional time at a screening service to achieve your case numbers. This will be at an additional cost to your service.  You may also need access to a screening service for the Advanced Techniques module and access to the required clinical caseload. |
| **REPORTING:** | | |
| Barium swallow  CTC | 150  120  (A proportion of these reports can be formed from the procedures that you undertook in your first module) | Minimum of two 4 hour reporting sessions per week (one of these may be sitting in on reporting sessions with mentor).  Recommend attending at least two MDT meetings within the module |
| MSK | 1500 minimum (10% immature skeleton) | Minimum of two 4 hour reporting sessions per week (one of these may be sitting in on reporting sessions with mentor). Recommend attending at least one MDT meetings within the module |
| Extending Practice GP/MSK Reporting | 600 |  |
| Breast  Screening programme: Read 1500 screening sets and report 500 symptomatic images.  Symptomatic service: Read 1000 screening sets and report 1000 symptomatic images. You will be required to make arrangements to access screening images in a screening unit nearby. | 2000 | Minimum of two 4 hour reporting sessions per week, (one of these may be sitting in on reporting sessions with mentor).  Recommend attending at least four MDT meetings within the module |
| CTH | 150 |  |
| Breast MRI  Students should have access to report at least 100 cases per year to be able to undertake this module and maintain competency. | 100 |  |

For other specialisms not listed above please contact the Programme Leader for more information.