**WEEK C**

**Social and Developmental Paediatrics**

**Community Pack**

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**List of Opportunities**

**Monday – Visit to Special Schools**

You will be allocated a special school to visit on the Monday of WEEK C. Your allocation is available from the Child Health website www.uhwchildren.com/student

You must

 **Take your CRB / DBS certificate with you.**

When you are there, please take the opportunity to speak with children, their parents if possible, and staff members about their experience and views of health, healthcare and services that they want or need. Observe functional aspects that might have implications for health services and use your experience to formulate your own ideas.

**Tuesday – Community Clinics**

This document gives an indication of the activities undertaken by staff in Community Child Health on Tuesdays.

Most activity is based at St David’s Children Centre (SDCC), but there are other community Child Health clinics held elsewhere including Landough Children’s Centre (LCC). As you only have one day to make a visit to Community services, it is probably worth committing to St David’s Children Centre.

Please attend St David’s Children’s Centre at 9am on Tuesday morning where you will be welcomed and given a timetable with the clinic session available for you to attend that day. These sessions will consist of consultant led community child health and neurodevelopmental clinics as well as audiology clinic, speech and language therapy, physiotherapy and occupational therapy clinics as available and a clinic for looked after children and adoption (information correct as of September 2019). Please decide amongst yourselves which clinics you will attend but ensure you get a good variety of exposure.

More information about other clinics held at different times and in different locations is available below.

**Workbook**

You are provided with a workbook for self directed learning and reflections on your experiences in Community Child Health. Please use it and bring it to the meeting with your Educational Supervisor.

**Friday afternoon Week 4**

All students should in pairs chose a topic from the workbook and prepare a 10 minute presentation to deliver in week 4. This will take place either in St David’s or Llandough Children’s Centre. Please discuss amongst each other so that a variety of topics will be presented. Please email your presentation the latest by the Wednesday of Week 4 to [***alison.owens2@wales.nhs.uk***](mailto:alison.owens2@wales.nhs.uk)and bring it with you on the day on a memory stick.

**More information about Community clinics**

**Paediatric clinics**

Community Paediatric clinics are held in addition to St David’s Children’s Centre in Llandough Children’s Centre as well as peripheral health centres. These clinics run daily (MO-Fri) but in light of the fluidity of arrangements it is recommended that you contact the clinic coordinator at

St David’s Children’s Centre 02920 536789

Llandough Children’s Centre 02920 715580

in advance to clarify which clinics are running and to avoid double booking.

**Audiology clinics**

There are two types of clinics, those where there is a doctor present are preferable for you to attend. You will gain a better insight into the relationship between hearing and a child’s development, and also the relevance of development on the approach to assessment of hearing.

This is still apparent in sessions run by audiology technicians which you will be able to attend on a Tuesday but will not be as explicit. If you would like to attend an audiology clinic with a doctor present please phone Dorcas Carmichael (029 20536798) to arrange your visit.

**Constipation and Soiling clinics**

In addition to St David’s Children’s Centre there are other continence clinics run throughout Cardiff and the Vale. If you are interested and have the opportunity to attend one of the other clinics contact Dorcas Carmichael (O29 20536798) for details.

**Therapies**

Clinics are variable and the best advice is to ring in advance and find out what might be available. You may also have the opportunity to observe a therapy session during your special school visit.

**Physiotherapy**

St. David’s: 029 20536802

Llandough: 029 20715591

It is also worth remembering that a large element of community outreach work is undertaken by the Paediatric Respiratory Unit, the Neonatal team and the Neuromuscular service.

**Occupational Therapy**

St David’s: 02920 536821

There are clinics held at St David’s and Llandough Children’s centre. There are also occupational therapists working within the special schools and the Children’s Hospital for Wales.

**Speech Therapy**

There are Speech Therapy clinics taking place in both St Davids and Llandough Children’s Centre as well as various peripheral clinics. Speech therapists are also working within the Children’s Hospital.

For community clinics contact 029 21832092 which is the administrative office where you can be signposted where and when clinics are held. To contact the speech therapists working within the hospital please ring 029 20743736.

**Dietetics**

Please contact Eleanor Hudd: 029 20536783 , Eleanor.hudd@wales.nhs.uk

**Adoption**

Adoption clinics are held at St David’s and Llandough Children’s Centre but many are often booked at relatively short notice.

TO find out when and where clinics are taking place contact Lindsay Capus (sec: Dr Sampeys) - 029 20932610, [Lindsay.capus@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Lindsay.capus@wales.nhs.uk)

**Clinic Sessions on Tuesdays in St David’s Children’s Centre**

Contact: Alison Owens 029 20536609

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| **CLINIC** | **TIME** | **STAFF** | **NUMBER OF STUDENTS** | **ROOM** |
| Neurodevelopmental | 9am to 1pm | Dr Claire Thomas | 1 | Room 1 |
| Audiology | 9am to 11.30am | Audiologist | 1 in each slot | Room 4 |
| Occupational Therapy (screening clinic) | 9 am and 11 am | OTs, please check on the day | 1 | OT upstairs |
| Adoption Clinic/Neurodevelopmental | Alternate weeks  9am to 12pm | Dr Shabeena Webster/Dr Cath Norton | 1 in each slot | Room 2 |
| Physiotherapy | Times vary, discuss with therapist on the day | Any team member | 1 in each slot | Physio rooms |

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| **CLINIC** | **TIME** | **STAFF** | **NUMBER OF STUDENTS** | **ROOM** |
| Neurodevelopmental | 1:30pm to 5pm | Dr Nicole Pickerd/Zeba Khan | 2/3 | Room 1 and G5 |
| General community | 1:30pm to 5pm alternate weeks | Dr Kate Skone | 1 in each slot | Room 2 |
| LAC Children | Alternate weeks  2pm to 5pm | Dr Dahwa | 1 in each slot | Room 3 |
| Physiotherapy | Times vary, discuss with therapist on the day | Any team member | 1 in each slot | Physio rooms |