

MDT Eye Academy Clinical Placements

Professional Higher Certificate in Glaucoma

Working with the School of Optometry and Vision Science, University of Bradford

Multi-disciplinary Team Eye Academy

St George's Centre
St James's University Hospital
Seacroft Hospital
Wharfedale General Hospital



About the MDTEA

The Multi-disciplinary Team Eye Academy aims to provide clinical placements in line with the Ophthalmology Core Clinical Competency Framework to eye health care workers from all professional backgrounds across Yorkshire and Humber and beyond.

It is based at St George's Community Eye Centre, Middleton, South Leeds, providing good motorway access from across Yorkshire & the Humber. Placements provide additional experience across other Leeds Teaching Hospital glaucoma services at Seacroft Hospital, St James's University Hospital and Wharfedale General Hospital.

The MDTEA is closely collaborating with the Bradford University School of Optometry to provide clinical placements for their emerging cohort of postgraduate students (Optometrists and other MDT's) undertaking their Professional Higher Certificate in Glaucoma.

Overview

The aim of this clinical placement is to provide **more than** just the clinical experience required for your Higher Certificate in Glaucoma.

The Common Clinical Competency Frameworks (CCCFs) were produced by the collaboration between the RCOphth, CoO, RCN, BIOS & AHPO. They lay out specific competencies required for different levels of clinical practice in various subspecialties in eye healthcare. We will be using this framework to develop your clinical skills to Level 2 of the CCCF for Glaucoma.

At the end of the placement you will receive a certificate detailing your competencies and the experience gained within the MDTEA.

Duration 12 weeks

The 24 sessions required for the Higher Certificate will be provided over a 12 week placement of 1 full day (2 sessions) per week for 12 weeks.

Cost £1200

Please note - An honorary contract is required to allow contact with patients as part of the placement. This process will take approximately 8 weeks to complete.

For further information regarding the clinical placements offered by the MDTEA, please contact:

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