

The Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine

ICM Unit Brief

Part 1 Hospital Details

1.1 Hospital name

Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust

1.2 Full address (you **must** include postcode)

Worcestershire Royal Hospital - Newtown Road,
Worcester, WR51DD

Alexandra Hospital, Redditch - B98 7UB

1.3 Hospital Telephone number

01905 763333

Part 2 ICU Department contact details

2.2 Faculty Tutor name

Andy Burtenshaw

2.3 Faculty Tutor Email address

Andrew.burtenshaw@nhs.net

Part 3 Unit Structure

3.1 Number of Beds

Worcester – 15. Redditch - 8

3.2 Number of admissions /yr

1150 (approx. 70:30 Worcester:Redditch)

3.3 Percentage of elective vs emergency admissions

100% emergency at Worcester. Approx 30% elective / 70% emergency at Redditch

3.4 Overview of case mix within the unit

Worcestershire Royal Hospital is a busy DGH with general medical, surgical and paediatric takes. It is a major vascular surgery centre, head and neck centre, oncology centre for the three local counties, and obstetric centre for the trust. It is also a trauma unit and cardiac arrest centre. The ICU casemix reflects this profile. The Alexandra Hospital, Redditch takes a combination of general medical and surgical admissions as well as providing support for major urological surgery and major colorectal surgery.

Personnel:

Dr Sian Bhardwaj	Clinical Director
Dr Andrew Burtenshaw	FICM Faculty Tutor, ACCP Lead, Specialist Trainee Clinical Supervisor
Dr Nick Cowley	Audit Lead, EPR Lead, Website Lead
Dr Steve Digby	
Dr Nick Fitton	Clinical Governance Lead
Dr Steve Haynes	Organ Donation Lead, Outreach lead
Dr Liv Kelsall	Research Lead, Rehab clinic
Dr Laura Kocierz	Trauma lead, Education Lead
Dr Tracey Leach	
Dr Mike McAlindon	Paediatrics lead, FY Doctor Clinical Supervisor
Dr Shiju Mathew	Morbidity and Mortality Co-ordinator, IMT Clinical Supervisor
Dr Janos Mayer	Echo training lead
Dr Ed Mitchell	Divisional governance director
Dr Gavin Nicol	CQC lead
Dr Phil Pemberton	
Dr Gareth Sellors	
Dr Jeremy Thomas	Equipment Lead
Dr Laura Tulloch	Simulation training lead, CT/ACCS Clinical Supervisor

3.6 Details of research projects being undertaken within the unit

Current research activity:

Airways 3
 Genomicc
 Signet
 UK-ROX

3.7 How is the unit staffed?

WRH: Speciality Trainee 1:8 on call ("3rd on-call"), supported by supervisory senior specialist registrar ("4th on-call", who also supports theatre and obstetric on call team members), and ACCP/ACCS tier.

Redditch: Specialty Trainee 1:8 on call

Part 4 Training

4.1 Details of training opportunities on the unit

We offer a friendly and supportive training opportunity in a busy DGH with a wide casemix, including initial management and stabilisation of critically ill children suitable for all stages of ICM training. With a full BSE accredited clinician (Dr Mayer) and around 50% of the consultant body FICE trained, we also present an excellent opportunity to gain your cardiac or lung ultrasound accreditation whilst on a module with us.

4.2 Details of departmental teaching days

Weekly (Tuesday afternoons) FRCA and post-FRCA teaching sessions.

4.3 Details of clinical governance meetings and/or M & M

Monthly ICM forum meeting (M&M / QI / strategy / Education)
Monthly anaesthetic dept research, audit and quality improvement meeting, also comprising a dedicated trainee forum meeting.

4.4 Number of trainees on each tier of the rota

1st on call (theatres) – 8
2nd on call (obstetrics) – 8
3rd on call (ITU) – 8
4th on call (supervision to 1st, 2nd & 3rd on call) – 8
ACCP/ACCS on call – 8 (but currently in newly implemented development phase)