

Career Development Framework for Consultant Appointment in Paediatric Dentistry

Section 1 Clinical

Multi-disciplinary management of oral disease in medically compromised children

Haematology
Oncology
Cardiac
Organ Transplantation
Metabolic & Endocrine
Respiratory
Renal
Clinical Psychology

Participation in hospital-based multidisciplinary teams

Craniofacial anomalies
Cleft Lip and Palate
Developmental abnormalities of the dentition e.g. Hypodontia

Special care children

Care in hospital and community settings

Care under general anaesthesia

Comprehensive dental care for children under GA (medically compromised, behaviour problems, learning difficulties etc)

Oral surgery in the paediatric patient

Soft tissue surgery, biopsy techniques
Management of impacted and supernumerary teeth
Management of Trauma

Section 2 Management of Health Care Delivery

Human resources

Recruitment/Equal Opportunities
Interview skills
Poor performance
Conflict resolution & patient complaints
Health & safety Issues
Appraisal
The Consultant contract and job planning

Knowledge of Health Service Funding

NHS Reforms
GDP Contract/PDS/Dentists with Special Interests
Funding streams
Resource procurement
Structure of local health service organisation

Multidisciplinary Teamworking

Delegation
Supervisory skills
Consent & confidentiality
Teaching & training skills
Clinical governance
Medico-legal issues

Statutory, Regulatory & Advisory Bodies

The General Dental Council
The Joint Committee for Postgraduate Training in Dentistry
The Specialist Advisory Committees
The Royal Surgical Colleges
Joint Meeting of Dental Faculties
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The Specialist Societies
The Defence Agencies
The British Dental Association/British Medical Association