

St George's Education Committee

Educational Lead Report

Programme/Specialty:	Gastroenterology
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Achievements:	<p>All 5 clinical gastroenterology registrars have enjoyed their year at St Georges Hospital and provided positive feedback.</p> <p>Overall GMC feedback was good except for educational supervision, and it was unclear why this was low as the trainees stated that they were all happy with their educational supervision</p> <p>2 IMT3s obtained ST4 gastroenterology posts, scoring very highly at interview (ranked in the top 5 at interview).</p> <p>All of the junior doctors participated in the IQILs audit, ensuring that we passed our annual review.</p> <p>Ongoing alternate month gastroenterology educational evenings and the yearly St George's Gastroenterology Teaching Day, which received excellent feedback.</p>
Issues:	<p>Access to endoscopy lists as reduced number of training lists due to closure of 2 endoscopy rooms.</p> <p>The junior doctors on the ward spend much of their time, when on their Allingham Ward rotation allocated to AMU, clinics, self development days, study leave and annual leave, that they rarely do more than 3 or 4 weeks on the ward over a 4 month period.</p> <p>Poor communication from HR / junior doctor leads so the department is not aware of gaps in staffing when they occur on the general medical rota</p> <p>Clinical supervision for IMTs / STs in clinic – due to a number of consultants in gastroenterology doing virtual clinics the amount of face to face supervision in clinic has fallen, which needs addressing fur to more junior trainees</p>

Plans for next quarter:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Alteration in allocation of endoscopy lists to try and improve endoscopy training2. Change in registrar rotations to allow more access to nutrition / IBD3. Clinical rooms have been requested for consultants to be in clinic and support the junior doctors