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# Dental Educational Supervisor Approval Process for Dental Foundation Training (DFT)

Applications for approval as a dental foundation training educational supervisor are invited from existing dft educational supervisors and general dental practitioners (working within practices with a nhs contract), with at least 4-year experience for the following schemes within wales for september 2026

North Wales - Wrexham Medical Institute,  
Technology Park, Wrexham, LL13 7YP - Friday  
Cardiff & Barry - Postgraduate Centre,  
Llandough Hospital, Penarth, Cardiff - Friday  
Newport & East Wales - Postgraduate Centre,  
Llandough Hospital, Penarth, Cardiff -  
Thursday

Swansea & West Wales - Morrision  
Postgraduate Centre, Morrision Hospital,  
Swansea - Friday

Glamorgan Vale & Beacons - Dental  
Teaching Unit, Porth - Friday

Swansea Vale - Postgraduate Centres,  
Prince Charles Hospital, Merthyr Tydfil -  
Tuesday

If approved as an Educational Supervisor, your Foundation Dentist will be approved by NWSSP, and you will be responsible for the supervision of the practice-based component of Dental Foundation Training in 2026.

The Educational Supervisor would be expected to comply with the obligations set out in the Training Placement Agreement between HEIW and the Host Organisation and the Employment Management agreement between the Host Organisation and NWSSP.

Current remuneration (based on 2025/26 figures):

- ❖ **Trainer grant** - £1,170 per month, for a commitment approximating to one session per week of training and teaching duties.
- ❖ **Service Costs** - £6,924 per month.
- ❖ **Trainee Salary** - £46,980 per annum. (Please note that this payment will be made by NWSSP as the FDs employer)



Start date: 1 September 2026

Applications will open on 20th January 2026 and close on the 20 February 2026

**It is essential for all new applicants to complete the Developing Dental Educators course which will be held once a year on the following dates:**

**Module 1 – 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

**Module 2 – 25<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

**Module 3 – 26<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

**Module 4 – 27<sup>th</sup> February 2026;**

**Please contact Emma Lloyd (HEIW) [Emma.Lloyd22@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Emma.Lloyd22@wales.nhs.uk) to reserve your place on this course.**

For further information about Dental Foundation Training and to apply please visit [heiw.nhs.wales/DFT-Educational-Supervisor-Approval-](http://heiw.nhs.wales/DFT-Educational-Supervisor-Approval-)

The link to apply will be available on this site from 20th January.



If you would like an informal chat, about becoming and Dental Foundation Educational supervisor please contact Gabrielle Lloyd [Gabrielle.Lloyd@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:Gabrielle.Lloyd@wales.nhs.uk), the DFT Manager, who can arrange for your local Training Programme Director to discuss this with you.