

## Overview of course structure

All students appreciate a timetable. Below is one possible suggested timetable – please adapt it to fit you, your student and the practice. Just under four weeks are spent in the GP practice (involving three weekends). This schedule may be affected by the Medical School or Bank Holidays.

	Type of session	No of sessions per week	Types of activity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Clinical	7	Student/doctor/nurse-led consultations Active observation with agreed focus Practise practical skills Minor illness/chronic disease clinic Patient follow-up at home/in hospital Interviewing/examining pre-selected patients with interesting histories/signs
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Self-directed learning	2	Complete learning portfolio tasks Tutorials/small group teaching
<input type="checkbox"/>	Free session	1	Timing needs to be negotiated e.g. occasionally students play sports on Wednesday afternoons

### Sample GP Assistantship timetable

<b>WEEK 1</b>	MON (RFH)	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
AM	GPa INTRO DAY	Placement Induction			
PM	GPa INTRO DAY		Free session		
<b>WEEK 2</b>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
AM					
PM			Free session		Midpoint meeting:
<b>WEEK 3</b>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
AM					
PM			Free session		
<b>WEEK 4</b>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
AM					
PM			Free session		GP Report Submit tasks e-Portfolio