

Title: Request from Cardiff University, School of Optometry: Short Undergraduate Practice Placements

Dear Colleague,

We are seeking initial 'Expressions of Interest' from Practices in Wales who may be interested in hosting short Practice placements for Optometry Student undergraduates in their first, and second and third University year (not pre-registration year; and third year placements are yet to be agreed).

If you are interested in hosting a short Practice placement and/or have any queries, please email optomplacements@cardiff.ac.uk **by end of play on Monday 15th July 2024, at the latest**. This initial expression of interest is not contractually binding.

Please see draft documents for information purposes only around the Practice placement requirements.

[1.-Placement-Agreement-with-Cardiff-University-DRAFT-V7.pdf](#)

[\(optometrywales.org.uk\)](#)

[2.-Placement-Operational-Agreement-DRAFT.pdf](#) [\(optometrywales.org.uk\)](#)

[3.-Placement-Questionnaire-and-Risk-Profiling-Form-DRAFT-V3.2.pdf](#)

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For note:

- Please see the FAQ sheets [Cardiff-Uni-webinar-answers-p1.pdf](#) [\(optometrywales.org.uk\)](#) and [Cardiff-Uni-webinar-p2.pdf](#) [\(optometrywales.org.uk\)](#) drafted by Cardiff University and Optometry Wales.
- Placement locations will normally be located within 1 hour travel of Cardiff and should be accessible to public transport. Placements located further than 1 hour travel of Cardiff will be considered, however, such placements must be viable for students to return to on-campus teaching following the placement and will require accessible public transport.
- Placement Dates: are to be confirmed.

You can also email Optometry Wales on debbie.o'sullivan@optometrywales.com with any queries.

Many thanks,

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