

T&O Training Post Summary

Trust

Northumbria Healthcare NHS trust

Trainer name(s)

Mr A.N.Murty

Job Summary

This post offers training from an experienced trainer with a special interest in all aspects of foot and ankle surgery and complex trauma reconstruction including deformity correction. The post is more suitable for a middle level to senior trainee but the training opportunities can be tailored to the needs of the individual trainee to provide an emphasis on either early level foot and ankle surgery or advanced level including ankle arthroplasty . **This post has been one of the best posts in the region for index procedures for Foot and Ankle Surgery**

The trainee gets to perform at 60-70% of the cases he is scrubbed in, almost always under direct or indirect supervision. The trainee would also gain experience complex reconstruction and osteotomies using all modalities including circular frames. This post also provides excellent opportunity to develop clinical skills in outpatient and trauma setting.

Orthopaedic trauma is managed according to a trauma week system .The trainer accepts a tertiary referrals for complex peri-articular trauma and non-unions providing further experience in trauma.

The trainer also has an interest in management of non-arthroplasty infections and has a successful algorithm for managing these.

Mr Murty performs about 600 operations per-year with a balanced mix of simple and complex cases to enable the trainee to graduate from simple to complex cases.

Mr Murty is a faculty on regional and national trauma courses and on ankle arthroplasty courses.

There is ample opportunity for research in the trust .

Weekly timetable

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM	Clinic (alt weeks)	Ward Round	Theatre	Theatre	Clinic
PM	Clinic		Theatre		Clinic

