

# SPIN training 2022

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#### What is SPIN?

- An area of SPecial INterest
- Various specialties within Paediatrics
- Most mirror the Grid specialties
- Based in various hospitals within the Deanery
- Posts to be able to complete SPIN last for 12-18 months
- Application process as follows:

### Application

- You ned to currently be an ST5, ST6 or ST7
- SPIN takes place in your Level 3 training (ST6-8)
- After shape of training happens (September 2023) this will move down a year (apply during ST4-6, SPIN in ST5-7)
- Application forms to be released asap
- 2 week window for application
- Depending on number of applicants, interviews may be needed

## Application

Ideally, you will be aware of success prior to putting in your preference form for September

SPIN training does not guarantee any training time at BWCH (although we will try...)

You will then be placed according to which SPIN you have applied for

### SPIN

Additional training and experience in a clinical area

This can also be completed as a new Consultant

Adolescent Health

Allergy

Cardiology

Dermatology

Diabetes

Epilepsy

## SPIN

Gastroenterology, hepatology and nutrition

HDU

ID

Neonatology

Nephrology

Neurodisability

Oncology

Palliative care

## SPIN

Respiratory

Rheumatology

Safeguarding

Lots of details on the RCPCH website

## West Midlands

Probably won't be an opportunity to do SPIN in Cardiology

All others are feasible at present

I am currently in the process of asking units about what SPIN they can provide

#### **BCH**

Ideally, any applicants will spend some time in BCH with their chosen Specialists

Cannot always guarantee this due to Grid trainees taking precedence

**Adolescent Medicine** 

### Neonatology

 Opportunities available at all of the Level 3 units within the West Midlands

#### UHB

Respiratory

Endocrine

HDU

Adolescent Medicine

#### **UHNM**

HDU

Respiratory

Endocrine

(GHaN)

Adolescent Medicine

#### **UHCW**

Endocrine

Respiratory

HDU

Adolescent Medicine

## SWBH / Worcester

Allergy

# Community Trusts

Neuro-disability

## Grid

You are able to apply for SPIN as a precursor to Grid

The curricula are fairly similar

This will at least place you in a tertiary level posts while applying for Grid

You can do more than one SPIN during Level 3 training

#### If successful...



Your SPIN module will be added to your portfolio



You will be allocated a SPIN Supervisor



They will sign off your completion once you are happy with the evidence you have uploaded

# Questions?