

JCST

Quality Indicators for the Interface Fellowships – Cutaneous Laser Therapy

Quality Indicator	
1.	Trainees in surgery should be allocated to approved posts commensurate with their level of training and appropriate to the educational opportunities available in that post (particular consideration should be given to the needs of less than fulltime trainees). Due consideration should be given to individual training requirements to minimise competition for educational opportunities.
2.	Trainees in surgery should have at least 2 hours of facilitated formal teaching each week (on average). (For example, locally provided teaching, regional meetings, annual specialty meetings, journal clubs and x-ray meetings).
3.	Trainees in surgery should have the opportunity and study time to complete and present one audit project in every twelve months.
4.	Trainees in surgery should have easy access to educational facilities, including library and IT resources, for personal study, audit and research.
5.	Trainees in surgery should be able to access study leave with expenses or funding appropriate to their specialty and level of training.
6.	Trainees in surgery should complete a minimum of 40 WBAs per year (not including those done in a simulated setting), with an appropriate degree of reflection and feedback, the mix of which will depend upon their specialty and level of training.
7.	Trainees in surgery will be assigned an educational supervisor and will have negotiated a learning agreement within six weeks of commencing each post.
8.	Trainees in surgery should participate in operative briefings with use of the WHO checklist or equivalent.
9.	Trainees in surgery should have the opportunity to receive simulation training where it supports curriculum delivery.

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10.	All trainees in laser surgery should have the opportunity to attend a minimum of three consultant supervised treatment sessions each week.
11.	All trainees in laser surgery should have the opportunity to attend a minimum of two consultant supervised outpatient clinics each week, including specialty clinics, and should see a mix of new and follow-up patients.
12.	All trainees in laser surgery should have the opportunity to attend at least one national BAPRAS/BAAPS/BSSH or equivalent training day or course each year relevant to their speciality.
13.	All trainees in laser surgery should have the opportunity to make independent clinical decisions and to treat, under minimal supervision, a range of conditions as defined by the curriculum.