

LOCATIONS & EVENTS

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Cardiology wards: Bickleigh and Braunton wards in Terence Lewis building (TLB), level 8

CCU: Torcross on Level 6, TLB

Cath Lab: Level 6, Main hospital

Seminar room for MDT/teachings: Level 9, Terence Lewis building

Cardiology Offices (SpRs/consultants/heart failure team etc):
Level 9, Terence Lewis building

Cardiology outpatients: Level 6 outpatient departments (turn right from league of friends shop as you are coming into Derriford hospital via the main entrance, towards Xray east/main ultrasound)

ECG outpatients: Level 6, main building, next to pacing theatre

Cardiothoracic wards: Crownhill and Clearbrook wards, level 7, TLB

Blood gas machines: MAU, Torrington, and ED (Level 6)

Events

SHO weekly teaching: You will be emailed a schedule of weekly SHO teaching and topics by Dr. Moran. This will take place every Wednesday morning, 8:00 am- 8:30 am, usually in Braunton seminar room, but you can also use the level 9 MDT room in TLB. You should prepare the topic that you are given with the help of ESC guidelines and the designated ward registrar and consultant (the overseeing consultant will either be the ACS consultant that week or the Braunton consultant that week). The nominated consultant and SpR are expected to attend and support the discussion. This is a good opportunity to get teaching feedback for e-portfolios.

Cardiology/Cardiothoracic MDT: This MDT is for discussing potential surgical patients i.e. those requiring a CABG and/or valve replacement but not limited to this. This takes place every Tuesday at 13:00 in level 9, MDT room. It is usually attended by cardiology consultants, juniors, cardiothoracic consultants, and surgical coordinators. You are expected to present patients at this meeting therefore, you should take the notes with you and be familiar with the patient's history (surgeons are most interested in knowing LVEF on TTE, CKD stage, current infection, diabetes, COPD, smoking status)

Endocarditis MDT: This MDT takes place every Wednesday. SHO attendance is not required but helpful for you to know as plans may be made during this MDT which you will have to action. You will be able to see the documentation of the discussion through g drive, cardio, endocarditis, copy of endocarditis – MDT (excel document)

