

## CORLHNS News

The CORLHNS has been in discussion with the Royal College of Physicians Surgeons in Glasgow, The Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh and ENT UK in securing a regular placement for training opportunities for the Sri Lankan ENT Postgraduate trainees on a long term basis.

The ENT UK has given the following details below for the benefit of those who wish to seek a foreign training placement.

### ENT UK MTI Scheme



The primary purpose of the MTI is to contribute to improving the quality of healthcare in developing countries.

The mechanism demonstrates support for the Department for Health's main focus, which is for doctors from the DFID priority countries and L&LMI countries to benefit from the scheme and, therefore priority should be given to developing healthcare systems.

The MTI allows doctors from developing countries to come and work in the UK for between one and two years in recognised training posts with appropriate supervision and teaching, acquire useful and suitable skills and knowledge and then return to their countries of origin to practice in their chosen fields.

#### Roles and responsibilities

- ENT UK will administer the process of the MTI scheme and be the main point of contact for a doctor, hospital trust and the AOMRC
- ENT UK will act at a sponsor to provide a Certificate of Sponsorship for GMC registration purposes.
- The Academy of Medical Royal Colleges (AoMRC) will act as a sponsor to provide a Certificate of Sponsorship for a Tier 5 visa (<https://www.aomrc.org.uk/medical-training-initiative/>)

If you are interested in applying to the ENT UK MTI, please submit a completed application form, (**this can be downloaded from the website**), together with the relevant supporting documents to **Janet Stephen, ENT UK MTI Officer**, email: [janet@entuk.org](mailto:janet@entuk.org)

Further details on the criteria and the documentation required can be found on the ENT UK website <https://www.entuk.org/medical-training-initiative>

ENT UK does not charge a doctor any fee for the administration of this scheme. ENT UK only requires that the doctor pays for GMC registration and any visa costs.

**If you have any further questions on the ENT UK MTI scheme please contact Janet Stephen, MTI Officer, email: [janet@entuk.org](mailto:janet@entuk.org)**

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