Brief department profile, specialist centre

Departments should write a brief profile to describe their service.

Suggested information

Hospital name and description of services and population served.

List of consultants working in paediatric anaesthesia/PICU

What are the areas of responsibility for the paediatric anaesthetic service?

Main theatres

Outlying theatres within the hospital

Other outside areas eg MRI/radiotherapy

Theatres on other sites or in other hospitals

PICU

HDU

Acute pain

Chronic pain

Preassesment

Trauma calls

Resuscitation/emergency calls

Number and grades of anaesthetists including trainees

Number of secretarial/admin staff supporting paediatric anaesthetists

Rota and out of hours cover for anaesthesia

Rota and out of hours cover for PICU

Trainee rota

Types of surgery and non surgical lists

Annual total case load of anaesthetics <17 years

Annual case load of neonates, <1, <3, <10, <17, 17 years and over

Annual consultant typical case load

Number of lists/week

Number of lists for acute/emergency cases

Number of mixed paediatric/adult lists/week

Number of anaesthetic led sedation lists/week

Annual number of retrievals by regional retrieval service

Annual number of resuscitation/emergency calls

Management structure. Give a brief description of how paediatric anaesthetic services are managed.