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Dear Students,

Welcome to Year 3. This is the first in a series of newsletters with the purpose of helping to guide you through this year.

This month is the beginning of your journey from a University into the NHS environment. It is an exciting time - however, we recognise because it might be unfamiliar to you, it could bring challenges. Induction week serves a dual purpose, in ensuring you fulfil the necessary checks to work safely with patients and also for you to meet your Sector Year 3 leads and Clinical Undergraduate Department.

You will also meet your Clinical Placement Supervisor, Clinical Debrief Tutor and Academic Advisor over the next few weeks. All these individuals will help you achieve your learning objectives, will monitor your progress and are available to support or guide you to someone else who can.

So what do you need to do now?

- Attend all your timetabled activities
- Observe and experience the clinical environment and learn from health professionals and doctors
- Record all this in your logbook and reflect on what you have learnt

If for any reason you cannot do the above, please contact your University Year 3 co-ordinator immediately year3mbchb@manchester.ac.uk.

With best wishes,

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Sector Year 3 Lead – MFT (Oxford Rd Campus)

Welcome to Year 3 at MFT (Oxford Rd Campus). I work closely with Anu, and oversee your learning experience and progression in year 3. There is a large team within the UGME department to support you but our Year 3 Co-ordinator Adam Mortimer is likely to be your first port of call for most queries. You can find him in the main Undergraduate Office within Education North on most weekdays between 08:30 and 3pm or alternatively he can be contacted by email or phone Adam.mortimer@mft.nhs.uk (0161 701 1282).

In particular please advise us if you are having any problems with your clinical placement and also continue to flag up cancelled teaching sessions using the eForms on your iPad. If we don't know of problems we can't address them.

We are in the process of recruiting your Year 3 Rep. Once in post I will meet with them regularly so please keep them updated with your views and feedback.

I am also very happy to meet students for face-to-face chats. Please e-mail Adam or myself if you wish to arrange an informal meeting.

I sincerely hope you enjoy your time with us.

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