

Opt out form

At the start of your post at Great Ormond Street Hospital you will be automatically enrolled in the Junior Doctors Fund. The fee each month taken from your salary is £15.00 for staff greater than 1.0 WTE and £7.50 for staff at or less than 1.0 WTE.

We would like to thank the Consultant Body at GOSH for their continued and on-going support to the Junior Doctors Fund. With your help we are able to offer the high-quality facilities utilised by our Juniors.

Please complete the section at the bottom of this letter if you want to opt-out and **do not** want to contribute to this fund by signing and returning the form to the Medical HR and PGME Services team during induction or at any other time during your employment at GOSH.

The Junior Doctors Forum consists of a number of 'Doc Reps' who put themselves forward / self-nominate for specific roles. Social events are planned by the Forum; the Mess President coordinates these occasions with input and admin support from other junior doctors. Decisions regarding spending of money in the Junior Doctors Fund are made by consensus at Junior Doctors Forum Committee meetings.

Currently the funds are used to provide:

Lunch for weekend day shift, one member of the on-call team contacts other doctors on duty and takes responsibility for ordering the takeaway food delivered to the Mess. The cost of the food is refunded from the Junior Doctors fund account to the individual ordering subject to that person paying into the fund initially. The receipts should be presented to PGME for payment on the Monday post the weekend. There is a financial limit to refunds of £300 per weekend, **this is currently arranged by JDF members, you will be notified when this changes.**

Previous social events have included:

- Visit to London art galleries with a guided tour by an art critic , Guided Walking tours.
- The Comedy clubs
- Local bars, clubs, and restaurants
- Book club events
- Annual Junior doctor Awards Black Tie Event/Gala Ball
- Roof Garden Pay day event.

We hope that you will decide to continue to contribute monthly as this will allow you to attend all social events free of charge or at heavily subsidised rates. The team actively encourages you to attend any event arranged by the Committee, those who decide not to contribute to the fund will be asked to pay towards any event.

Please complete this section, and return to Medical HR and PGME Services Dept.

I do not wish to contribute to the Great Ormond Street Junior Doctors Fund.

Print Name.....

Designation (ST/SpR/CT/TD/CF/TF/ Other)

Specialty:.....

SignedDate.....