

## THE HEALTH AND SOCIAL SECTOR

The Health and Social Care sector, which includes the NHS, offers over 350 unique jobs, all in high demand. From catering staff, hospital porters and administrators, to rehabilitation workers, dieticians and doctors, the range of skills sought in health and social care offers incredible scope to find your perfect job. There are not just the well known roles in the Health and Social Care sector. There are so many different roles in finance; HR and so many others.

Nationally, The Health and Social Care Sector will need up to 650,000 more workers by 2035 to meet growing demand for care and support, including work in the independent sector and NHS. 1 in 10 of people working in England are employed in Health and Social Care jobs.

Employment will be driven by the post pandemic health situation. There are two sectors of health which will have to deal with post pandemic issues and catch up with all the operations and appointments missed due to Covid 19. There is also social care, a sector which is often forgotten about. As the population ages, there will be an increasing need for social care support, both in the home and within social care services. The Health and Social Care Sector is the largest employer in Sheffield, with over 40000 people employed and over 90,000 people are employed in the sector across South Yorkshire.

The workforce is set to grow further over the next few years.

If you're looking to start a rewarding and challenging career helping people, there's a health and social care job for you.



## ROUTES INTO EMPLOYMENT IN THIS SECTOR

- Apprenticeships
- University Degree
- Specialist Degree
- T- Levels
- College/ Training Provider
- Traineeship
- Work experience

## USEFUL SKILLS

- Listening
- Speaking
- Resourcefulness
- Teamwork
- Desire to look after people
- Staying positive
- Stress Management
- Time Management
- Flexibility

For more information on the essential skills required for work, visit [www.skillsbuilder.org](http://www.skillsbuilder.org)

## USEFUL SUBJECTS

- Maths
- English
- Science
- Health and Social Care
- ICT

## ABOUT TODAY'S EXHIBITORS

### SYREC (SOUTH YORKSHIRE REGION EDUCATION AND CAREERS)

SYREC (South Yorkshire Region Education and Careers). SYREC work with schools and colleges on getting information to students and young people about all the jobs in the NHS and social care sectors. They do a variety of activities that raise the profile of careers in the health and social care sector

The Health and Social sector is in the top three employment sectors across South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw, in Sheffield it's the largest employer – employing over 41,000 people. Covid 19 has been difficult for other industries including: travel, tourism, hospitality and entertainment. For this reason we think it is more important than ever that our young people know about, aspire to and are made ready for the full range of careers available in the Health and Social Care sector.

So **#LetsGetReady** and prepare a generation for the full range of careers in one of the UK's fastest growing Job Sectors.

## TYPES OF JOBS AVAILABLE

- Doctors and Nurses
- Paramedic
- Physiotherapist
- Midwife
- Psychologist
- Biomedical Scientist
- Accountant
- Pharmacist
- Logistics
- Building Management

And many, many more - there are over 350 different job types in Health and Social Care!

## EMPLOYERS IN THIS SECTOR

- Sheffield Teaching Hospitals
- Doctor's Surgeries
- Private Practices
- Care Homes

## MORE INFORMATION ON THIS SECTOR

<https://www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk/>

[www.healthcareers.nhs.uk](http://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk)

<https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/Careers-in-care/Think-Care-Careers.aspx>

<https://successatschool.org/advisedetails/962/jobs-in-health-and-social-care>

<https://www.syrexcellencecentre.co.uk/our-work>



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