



**Thank you for
taking part in
NextGen Nurse!**



To make sure your students have all the information they need when considering a career in nursing, we have put this short booklet together with useful websites, videos and interactive resources for students to refer to now and in the future.

You and your students will find information on the career routes into nursing including a university course finder as well as further details on the NHS cadets scheme which your school can sign up to now!



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NHS Nursing Careers

“ The best place to receive updates from the NHS about nursing careers directly to your email! ”

Sign up for updates by scanning the QR code or clicking [here](#).

Useful websites

- 1** **How to become a nurse:** <https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/explore-roles/nursing/studying-nursing>
- 2** **Frequently asked questions on careers in nursing:** <https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/explore-roles/nursing/faqs-nursing>
- 3** **Nursing University Course Finder:** <https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/career-planning/course-finder>
- 4** **Good tips on writing personal statements for a nursing degree:** <https://university.which.co.uk/advice/personal-statements/personal-statement-advice-nursing-students>
- 5** **Financial support as a trainee nurse:** <https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/nursing-careers/annual-nursing-payments>
- 6** **Applying for university via UCAS:** <https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/career-planning/study-and-training/considering-or-university/applying-university-through-ucas>
- 7** **Info and placements for a nursing degree apprenticeships are advertised on the NHS Jobs website:** <https://www.jobs.nhs.uk> **or the Government Find an apprenticeship website:** <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>
- 8** **Info on the Healthcare Support Worker role (pathway into nursing):** <https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/explore-roles/healthcare-support-worker/roles-healthcare-support-worker/healthcare-support-worker>



Useful videos and other interactive resources

- 1** **University life as a student nurse:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1DsmbBOlj84>
- 2** **The Potential of the Nurse:** <https://www.studiogiggle.co.uk/portfolio/nhs-nurse-ambassador-film/>
- 3** **International Year of the Nurse:** <https://heyzine.com/flip-book/60cd074adc.html#page/1>
- 4** **Empathy Museum - From where I am standing:** <https://fromwhereiamstanding.empathymuseum.com/>
- 5** **Men In Nursing aimed at 14-18-year-old young men dispelling the myths about men being nurses:** https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tyLWbe6z_Z8

More exciting video content from the NHS can be found at:
<https://www.youtube.com/user/NHSCareers>



Are you aged 14 - 18?

Want to volunteer in the NHS, learn about NHS careers?

The NHS Cadets programme aims: enrol 10,000 young people aged 14 to 18 on the programme by 2023.

Target group: the programme is seeking young people from marginalised backgrounds, including teenagers from ethnic minority communities, young people not in employment, education or training – or at risk of becoming so – and others who might not have previously considered volunteering or a career in the NHS.

Programme content: first aid training, mental health first aid awareness, communication, leadership and employability skills, speaker talks, volunteering opportunities including vital hands-on work experience in healthcare settings. The programme is delivered in the evenings, 2 hours term time only (currently virtually but otherwise face to face).

Benefits: young people will have increased life and employability skills and experience with examples of how your volunteering has helped patients, carers and staff in healthcare settings.

**Schools interested should
contact: NHSCadets@sja.org.uk**

