



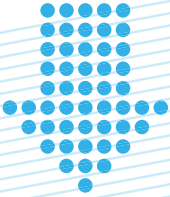
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So you're thinking of a career in...



Health and Care



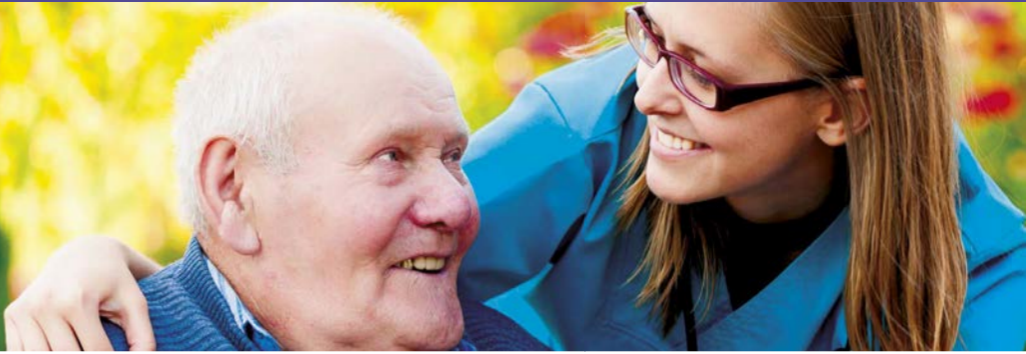
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What is the Health and Care Sector all about?



Whether you're treating poorly patients or conducting life-saving research, working in the health and care sector means you'll be making a real difference to the lives of others.

As well as doctors, nurses, and other care-giving roles, there are plenty of opportunities for IT specialists, software designers or even dance therapists!



**Do you enjoy meeting and helping others - often using practical skills?
Are you able to care for others?
Do you have an interest in science?
Perhaps you want a career that involves big experiments or developing life-saving treatments?
If any of these sound like you, you might be interested in a career in the health or social care sector.**



More than
£1 billion
of recent investment being made into local infrastructure across the NHS, universities and industries within Liverpool City Region



Will there be opportunities and where are they?

Did you know... Over the last 7 years, employment in the sector has grown by **13.3%** in England and **6.6%** in the Liverpool City Region.

The Health and Care sector employs approximately 110,000 people in the area, with Liverpool being home to more specialist hospitals and health centres than any other UK city outside of London. As the demand on the NHS grows in years to come, more vacancies will need to be filled.

With hundreds of health and medical companies based here, the area is considered to be one of the UK's top three clusters of biomedical activity.

QUICK FACTS

Over
20%
of total employment
in the Liverpool City
Region is within
Health & Care

Over
125,165
jobs

During
2015- 2025 the
number of jobs will
increase by
4,080

50,500
jobs in
adult social
care

Over
2,895
Health & Care
businesses in
the region

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What types of jobs are available



Allied health professionals

The allied health professions cover a broad range of careers such as podiatry, occupational therapy and speech and language therapy.



Podiatrist

You will work with people's feet and legs. You'll diagnose and treat abnormalities and offer professional advice on care of feet and legs to prevent foot problems.

Annual Pay
£32,760

Hours/Week
37.5h

Ambulance service team

The ambulance service is about getting patients to where they need to be cared for in emergency and non-emergency situations.



Paramedic

Paramedics provide first aid and life support treatment in emergency situations and transport sick and injured people who require skilled treatment.

Annual Pay
£40,040

Hours/Week
43h

Dental

Dental focuses on mouth health and may work in a variety of settings including general high street practices, hospitals, community services or in universities



Dental practitioner

You'll diagnose dental and oral diseases, injuries and disorders, prescribe and administer treatment, as well as recommend preventative action.

Annual Pay
£53,560

Hours/Week
36h

Doctors

Doctors diagnose and treat medical conditions, disorders, and diseases through the application of specialist medical skills and knowledge.



Medical practitioner

You'll diagnose mental disorders, diseases and physical injuries. Prescribe and give treatment, recommend preventative action, conduct training and research.

Annual Pay
£53,560

Hours/Week
39h

Human Health & Social Care

Delivery of health care in primary, tertiary settings, residential care homes and providing care services in people's own homes.



Care worker

Care workers and home carers attend to the personal needs and comforts of the elderly and the infirm with care and support needs.

Annual Pay
£21,000

Hours/Week
42h

To search for further roles and salaries visit www.Imiforall.org.uk/widget

Medical associate

Under the supervision of a doctor, medical associates will help out with the day-to-day patient care, releasing additional time for doctors to focus on more complex issues.



Surgical care practitioner

Your main responsibilities would be to support surgeons and other professionals before, during and after surgical procedures.

Annual Pay
£32,222

Hours/Week
37.5h

Midwifery

The role they have in preparing women for the delivery of new life makes them a vital presence during all stages of pregnancy, labour and the early postnatal period.



Midwife

You'll deliver, or assist in the delivery of babies, provide antenatal and postnatal care and advise parents on baby care.

Annual Pay
£37,960

Hours/Week
38h

Nursing

A nurse could work across adult, mental health, learning disability and children – working across a variety of territories such as A&E, neonatal, theatre and prisons.



Nurse

You'll care for the sick and injured, assist medical doctors with their tasks and work with other healthcare professionals and within teams of healthcare workers.

Annual Pay
£34,840

Hours/Week
39h

Psychological therapies

A career in this field could see you working with those who have mild conditions, such as anxiety, to severe depression or more rare and complex conditions such as bipolar disorder.



Psychologist

You'll research, study and assess emotional, cognitive and behavioural processes and abnormalities in human beings.

Annual Pay
£40,560

Hours/Week
38h

Public health

Roles are based in organisations such as the government, schools or the armed forces, working as a health visitor, school nurse or an environmental health professional.



Environmental health

You'll help to protect people from health risks associated with the environment in which they live and work.

Annual Pay
£41,600

Hours/Week
41h

All hours and salaries are averages taken from www.Imiforall.org.uk/widget

What types of jobs are available?





How to get into the sector



Important skills to have:

Empathy

Listening Skills

Project Management

Managing and Motivating
other staff

Communication skills

Problem solving- being creative
and finding solutions

Timekeeping and
Time management

Useful subjects to study:

Maths

English

Physics

Chemistry

Biology

Design and Technology

ICT



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With more than **100,000 students**, of which **30,000 graduate** each year, Liverpool City Region offers you direct access to some of the world's best resources;

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| Apprenticeships and Traineeships | <p>Apprenticeships combine a job with practical training and study.</p> <p>Apprentices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Work alongside experienced staff• Gain job-specific skills• Earn a wage and be entitled to holiday pay• Get time off the job for study related to your role (usually one-day a week) <p>If you are a young person aged 16 to 24 and would like to secure an apprenticeship but don't yet have the appropriate skills or experience then choosing a Traineeship as an option may help you acquire the entry requirements needed.</p> <p>Further information available at: https://be-more.info</p> |
| Training Providers | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Sixth Forms• FE Colleges including VI Form Colleges• Independent Training Providers• Adult and Community Learning Providers• University Technical Colleges (UTCs)• Studio Schools |
| Universities and Higher Education Institutions | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• University of Liverpool• Liverpool John Moores University• Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine• Liverpool Hope University• Edge Hill University |





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www.england.nhs.uk/about/working-for



Jobs in the NHS

www.jobs.nhs.uk



Working in the Care sector

www.skillsforcare.org.uk/Home.aspx



<https://www.england.nhs.uk/publication/what-it-means-for-social-care/>

