

Creating the Next Generation of Health Professionals

Welcome to **T-Level Health - Adult Nursing Occupational Specialism**. You are about to embark on the most exciting journey. This fact sheet is designed to prepare you for the first steps. The second part gives you an overview of the programme.


Be prepared:

Preparation leads to success! The Health T-Level team would like you to complete the following tasks, this will give you the opportunity to reflect on the programme before you sign up.

Is this course right for you?

It is important to make sure you are choosing a career that suits your skills and abilities as well as being a rewarding and fulfilling role.

Tasks to complete:

<p>Task 1 - Careers in the NHS https://deri.elht.nhs.uk/explore-the-roles.html Please complete the step into the NHS careers quiz. Make notes of 3 careers highlighted in the video.</p> 	<p>It is important to make sure you are choosing a career that suits your skills and abilities as well as finding a rewarding and fulfilling role.</p>
<p>Task 2 – Core A Healthcare Working as an Allied Health Professional, please click on the link and watch the video. Answer the question in the opposite box.</p> <p>Allied Health Professionals - A Universe of Opportunities for your AHP career</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ What does the term AHP mean? ○ Names 3 AHP careers: ○ What are the 4 pillars? ○ What opportunities can you gain from public health: ○ Name 3 organisations you could work in as an AHP:
<p>Task 3 – Research task We would like you to choose a current issue from the list in the opposite box. Write a small report (1000 words) identifying what the issue is, who it is affecting and what measures can be put in place to help/solve the issue.</p> <p>Please List all the websites/books you have used at the end of the report.</p>	<p>This activity is designed to highlight the demands of the course. Your research, presentation, and spelling will be looked at.</p> <p>Topic List:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mental Health and Young people ○ NHS Waiting times ○ Lack of Midwives ○ Ageing Population

Entry Requirements:

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This is a demanding course and the entry requirements are as follows, although if you don't achieve the required grades, please speak to programme leader for these T levels at enrolment:

- Physics – grade 6
- Chemistry – grade 6
- Biology – grade 6
- English Language – grade 5
- Maths – grade 6
- Any additional subjects – grade 5

What will you learn?

The T-Level in Health is designed to help you gain the knowledge and skills you need for the health sector. During your first year, you will study examined topics on the health and science sector, including providing person-centred care, good scientific and clinical practice, infection control and health and wellbeing. You will also complete an employer set project where you will demonstrate the wider skills you have learnt such as communication, teamwork and reflective writing.

In the second year, you will focus on an occupational specialism (supporting the adult nursing team), where you learn 'on the job' skills to support adult nurses in their daily and clinical tasks. This will be undertaken in college and supported during your time in placement.

Assessment:

Year 1

70% Core Exams; 30% Employer Set Project

Year 2

100% Occupational Specialism (Supporting the Adult Nursing Team) - practical synoptic assessments.

Exam Board

NCFE

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Core Knowledge Core A Elements:

Topic	Title	Intent
1	Working within the Health and Science Sector	You will gain an understanding of the day-to day process of health and science environment
2	The Healthcare Sector	You will have an insight into where the health sector began, how it is funded and what job roles there are.
3	Health, Safety and Environmental Regulations in the Health and Science Sector	You will become equipped to work safely and be legally compliant within the health and science sector.
4	Health and Safety Regulations applicable in the Healthcare Sector	You will look at legislation and regulation applicable to the health sector
5	Managing information and Data within the Health and Science Sector	As part of this topic, you will understand how to manage data, including the use of social media
6	Managing Personal Information	Here you will learn about record keeping of patient's information and how this can be shared safely
7	Good Scientific and Clinical Practice	You will learn about standard operating procedures, and the consequences of not following these
8	Providing Person-centred care	This topic will enable you to understand human development, as well as the values of the healthcare sector
9	Health and Wellbeing	You will learn how to support a person's health and how to recognise signs of pain and discomfort
10	Infection, Prevention and Control in Health Specific Settings	As part of this topic, you will learn techniques required for effective infection control and the importance of clinical and personal hygiene
11	Safeguarding	As a health professional, it is important to understand the different types of harm and abuse. You will learn these, as well as how to protect vulnerable people

Core B:

Topic	Title	Intent
B1	Science Concepts	You will learn more about the human body and how it functions, as well as aspects of chemistry and physics , which are essential for a healthcare worker.
B2	Further Science Concepts	

Special Features:

This course includes placement within the health sector, where you will be able to use the skills you have learnt on the course. You will gain an insight into different occupations within the healthcare sector and learn 'on the job' skills that will support your career aspirations.

Where Will This Lead?

T-Level Health students can apply for higher education in a range of subjects such as nursing, midwifery, radiography. They can also choose to progress to employment in roles such as a health care assistant.

Recommended Reading:

The core textbook: Hoare. S. Riley. M. Adams. J. (2022), Health T level, Hodder

If you have any questions about this course, please contact the programme leader Zoe Ashton:
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