



Royal College
of Nursing

Prince of Wales Nursing Cadet Scheme

Healthcare careers for displaced people

We, the Royal College of Nursing (RCN) are offering an opportunity, for displaced people in Wales who are refugees or asylum seekers, to explore healthcare as a potential career. Whether you arrived in Wales recently or some years ago this could be for you. There are 350 roles in the NHS, there is likely a role for you.

Our programme aims to give:

- An insight into healthcare and healthcare careers in Wales.
- Knowledge of healthcare issues such as resilience, teamworking communication.
- Awareness of careers in the health sector in Wales.
- Practical sessions, for example, basic life support, manual handling, infection control to support the observational work experience
- Coaching for, and experience of, a simulated health care interview.
- Support to draft a personal statement and CV to support applications for roles in NHS Wales.

The programme includes 20-25 hours of workplace experience in a local NHS Trust in Wales. Expenses available for travel to and from placement. We also have some hardship funds for travel expenses for the in-person programme.

The programme is either online or in person – dates and times are overleaf. To apply contact us at: HealthcareCareers@rcn.org.uk
Closing date for applications is Friday 12 January 2024.

You must be a resident in Wales to participate.

Displaced People Cadet Scheme

Programme dates

In-person cohort:

Date	Time	Venue
1 February	10am - 3pm	Cardiff City Centre
6 February	10am - 3pm	Cardiff City Centre
12 February	7pm - 8.30pm	Online
14 February	10am - 3pm	Cardiff City Centre
22 February	7pm - 8.30pm	Online
28 February	10am - 3pm	Cardiff City Centre

Online cohort

12 sessions 1.5 hours plus one day in person

25 January	7-8.30pm	Online
31 January	7-8.30pm	Online
8 February	7-8.30pm	Online
15 February	7-8.30pm	Online
19 February	7-8.30pm	Online
29 February	7-8.30pm	Online
4 March	7-8.30pm	Online
6 March	7-8.30pm	Online
12 March	7-8.30pm	Online
14 March	7-8.30pm	Online
18 March	7-8.30pm	Online
20 March	7-8.30pm	Online

Work experience commences March 2024