

## **Careers Newsletter**

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Wednesday 9th February,5-7pm

Join our Future Choices virtual careers fair to explore future career paths post-16 and post-18.

View live streams from;

- Local colleges
  - Businesses
  - Universities

All details for this Virtual Careers Event will be sent out to parents on Monday.

### **NHS Allied Work Experience Programme**

Students who wish to participate in the session on 5th February still have time to register and can register individual spaces or you can register them as a group online on the following link: https://alliedhealthmentor.org/nhs-healthcare-careers-virtual-work-experience/

All students will be awarded with a Work Experience Certificate for participating in the day. This is something that they can include in their UCAS and Apprenticeship Applications. The next Work Experience day is on the Sunday 6th February and will cover the following healthcare careers:

- Nursing
- Midwifery
- Paramedicine
- Physiotherapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Dietetics
- Radiography
- Prosthetics and Orthotics
- Speech and language therapy
- Pharmacy!

The virtual work experience day will take place through an online portal and run LIVE from 10am-5pm, following 2 patients from their initial accidents through to recovery. Students will see them interact with a variety of healthcare professionals listed above so that they develop an understanding of the multidisciplinary team as well as insights into their own chosen career.

Students will also have the opportunity to interact with the healthcare professionals via a LIVE Chat function and polls throughout the day!

The cost to attend is £10/student per session, which is just an administrative cost to cover the set-up of individual portals, personalised certificates, safeguarding, the technology on the day, such as our servers and chat functions.

#### **Medicine Conference**

Your aspiring medical students years 10/12 - S3/S5 students are eligible to attend both of the LIVE VIRTUAL UCAS Get Into Medicine Conference and the Insight Into Medicine Conference for FREE. Students who attend both conferences will also automatically be enrolled onto the FREE Medic Mentor Work Experience programme.

Once students have attended, they will be awarded with a certificates from the Presidents at Medic Mentor to acknowledge that they are a student who has gone one step further than others. Both conferences are a significant turning point for students. It will unlock exclusive opportunities such as scholarships and prizes, as well as help you to make a highly competitive application.

UCAS Get Into Medicine Conference 09.00am-13.30pm

We will be looking at:

Medical UCAS Application

**Medical Personal Statements** 

Medical School Interviews

Getting Work Experience

**UCAT & BMAT Exams** 

CV Building

How to access Medical Medical Awards, Prizes, Leadership Programmes, and Scholarships to study Medicine at University.

Upcoming dates:

Saturday 5th February

Sunday 6th February

Saturday 12th February

Sunday 13th February

Here is an overview of the programme:

09:00 - 09.30 - Registration

09.30 - 10.15 - Quick introduction to Medic Mentor, overview for the day, competition ratios, application timeline, Awards and Scholarships.

10:15 - 10.25 - Break

10.25 - 11:25 - UCAS Application Form, Entry Requirements and CV Building

11:25 - 11:35 - Break

11:35 - 12:15 - Personal Statements

12:15 - 12:25 - Break

12:25 - 12:40 - Entrance Exams: UCAT & BMAT

12:40 - 12:55 - Medical School Interviews

12:55 - 13.25 - The Perspective of a Current Applicant

13:25 - 13:30 - Summary & Questions



# JOBS FAIR







### 33+ EXHIBITORS ON THE DAY!

NO REGISTRATION
REQUIRED

HUNDREDS OF JOBS AVAILABLE

VARIOUS SECTORS AND INDUSTRIES
RECRUITING ON THE DAY

FREE TO ATTEND



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### Applications open for

### **Economist Degree Apprenticeship**

Over 60 vacancies available with the Government Economic Service

The Government Economic Service has launched their Economist Degree Apprenticeship programme for 2022.

Starting in September 2022, applications are open now for over 60 vacancies nationwide, with departments such as the HM Treasury and the Department for Work and Pensions.

This is a brilliant opportunity to work in a central government department or agency on some of the most important social, environmental and economic issues our country faces.

Applications close on Monday 14th February at 11.55am.

Please contact Careers if you would like the link to this apprenticeship.

**NHS Live Apprenticeships** 

LIVE NOW:	Level	Closing Date	Start Date	Department	Further Info
Apprentice Medical Laboratory Assistant	Level	9 <sup>th</sup> Febru	April	Laboratory	The
,	3	ary 2022	2022		apprenticeship
https://beta.jobs.nhs.uk/candidate/jobadvert/C93					will be based at
					Cheltenham
					General
					Hospital. The
					apprentice will
					complete an
					Advanced
					(Level
					3) Laboratory
					Technician App
					enticeship,
					whilst gaining
					valuable
					experience
					working in a
					busy healthcar
					laboratory.
					Please contact
					Sana Khan for
					further
					information
					on <b>0300 422</b>
					5113

COMING SOON	Level	Advertisement Date	Start Date	Department	Further Info
Apprentice Healthcare Support Worker In Maternity	Level 3	Week Commencing 31st January 2022	March 2022	Maternity	This is a fantastic apprenticeship opportunity to gain valuable clinical experience and training in an acute hospitals in a maternity setting. Healthcare assistants play a vital role in the care of patients; working under the direction of maternity professionals they take care of the day-to-day needs of patients by providing help with personal care, meals and mobility. Please contact Sana Khan for further information on 0300 422 5113
Apprentice Hospitality Team Member	Level 2	End of January	March 2022	Catering Services	The Hospitality Team Member Level 2 Apprenticeship at Gloucestershire Managed Services is an exciting opportunity to learn new skills and become part of the Catering Services. As part of the Catering team you would be providing an efficient and timely food and beverage service to a

					high standard of service to customers, visitors and staff.
Apprentice Commis Chef	Level 2	End of January	March 2022	Catering Services	The Commis Chef level 2 Apprenticeship at Gloucestershire Managed Services is an exciting opportunity to learn new skills and become part of the Catering Services. As part of the Catering team you would be responsible in assisting in the production of meals for patients, visitors and staff, cooking a range of food from Bistro dining to specialist diets suitable for a modern day hospital.
Apprentice Customer Service Practitioner	Level 2	End of January	March 2022	Procurement	This apprenticeship opportunity is great way to gain valuable customer service, administration and purchasing experience in the Procurement Department providing services to local healthcare organisations.
Apprentice Healthcare Assistants	Level 2	Beginning of February	April 2022	Various Clinical Areas	The Apprentice Healthcare Assistant position at Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust is an excellent opportunity to gain valuable clinical experience and training in an acute hospital. Healthcare assistants play a vital role in the care of patients; working under the direction of healthcare professionals they take care of the day-to-day needs of patients by providing help with personal care, meals and mobility.

*NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS*	What's planned?
National Apprenticeship Week 7th – 13th February 2022	We will be showcasing and celebrating our Apprentices throughout National Apprenticeship Week. Including 'a day in the life of an apprentice' video. We'll also be hosting an awareness session for students looking for apprenticeship opportunities within the NHS.  More details to follow soon
Healthcare Science Event	This year we have teamed together with Medical Mavericks https://www.medicalmavericks.co.uk and will be
Healthcare science week is an annual celebration to raise awareness for the many careers in healthcare science. It provides our healthcare science professionals with an opportunity to promote their profession and inspire the scientific workforce of the future.	showcasing all the wonderful and quirky things that our talented Healthcare Scientists do. We will be hosting this event at our Cheltenham General Hospital site, Sandford Education Centre. You will be able to purchase a ticket to attend this event through an event bright link which will be available in the upcoming weeks.  Our specialists will be from:

To be held on Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2022  More information coming soon!	<ul> <li>Pathology</li> <li>Vascular Science</li> <li>Histopathology</li> <li>Neurophysiology</li> <li>Audiology</li> <li>Reconstructive Science</li> <li>Radiotherapy</li> </ul> And many many more. You will have the unique opportunity to engage with the specialists, try out some amazing medical equipment, quiz the scientists, obtain some career advice and discover the		
	different specialisms that Healthcare Science has to offer.		
Allied Health Career Awareness Session  More details to follow soon	Our Allied Health awareness sessions are delivered by clinical experts, providing insight into what it's like to work in health science.		