

Cheshire and Wirral Partnership NHS Foundation Trust are looking for expressions of interest for **4** Registered Nurse Apprenticeship posts in the LEARNING DISABILITY field for the Learning Disability, Neurodevelopmental and Acquired Brain Injury Care Group to commence this academic year (Sept 24).

This exciting post is open to staff currently working internally within the Trust. Applicants must have a minimum of 6 months recent experience in a health and clinical based role.

The Registered Nurse Degree Apprenticeship will run over 3 years. You will be paid at a band 3 agenda for change. You will spend time in a diverse range of placements throughout the programme. On qualification you will be required to interview for a Qualified Nurse role that may differ to the current work base dependent on service needs.

Teaching and Assessment- You are assessed in the same way as the BN programme. Theory is assessed via essays, oral examinations and presentations, written examinations, skills assessments, and projects. Practice is assessed in a range of clinical environments by experienced, qualified practitioners using a Practice Assessment Document and Skills Assessments.

There is an end point assessment which must be completed within the programme, and you will have to go through a gateway board process to achieve the award.

Methods of teaching and learning include lectures, seminars, tutorials, e-learning, practice-based workshops, practice in skills suites, practice simulation, practice placements, and self and guided study. As a prerequisite you will:

- Have Maths and English GSCE at C/4 or above or equivalent such as Level 2 Functional Skills.
- We ask for 112 UCAS points from GCE A levels or equivalent. More information can be found at https://www1.chester.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/registered-nurse-degree-apprenticeship
- We consider learning gained elsewhere whether through academic credit and qualifications acquired from other relevant courses of study.
- Have relevant knowledge of the health setting that the post applies to.
- Be able and willing to travel across the CWP sites and those of our partner Trusts.
- Demonstrate both Trust values and the six C's.
- Be keen to champion person centred care.
- Have original documents for said qualifications and ID available for submission on request to the University and Trust.
- DBS required.





** Please be aware that the above places are subject to the University receiving sufficient applicants to form a viable cohort**

If you do not currently meet the above academic requirements, but would be interested in pursuing a career as a Nurse, please contact your manager or the vocational learning team via cwp.vocational.learning@nhs.net

Interview date: June 2024

Start date for the programme: September 2024

For further information on the course please contact **apprenticeships@ chester.ac.uk or sharon.roberts27@nhs.net**

For general enquiries regarding the role in the Care Group please contact Amanda Atkinson – amanda.atkinson1@nhs.net.

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