

Trainee Nursing Associates (TNA)

A role within the nursing team

- The Nursing Associate is a member of the nursing team in England designed to help bridge the gap between healthcare assistants and registered nurses.
- Nursing Associate is a stand-alone role that will also provide a progression route into graduate level nursing.
- Nursing Associates work with people of all ages and in a variety of settings in health and social care, which may include adult, child, mental health and learning disabilities nursing.
- The role contributes to the core work of nursing, freeing up registered nurses to focus on more complex clinical care.



The TNA programme

The foundation degree apprenticeship programme is delivered at the university and is,

- Two years, full time – 50% theory/50% practice
- Minimum of 2,300 programme hours
- Trainees have practice days allocated within base areas and spoke placement areas
- Trainees will attend university one day per week and have built into their programme a series of supernumerary days

For further information, please contact the Vocational Learning and Development Team

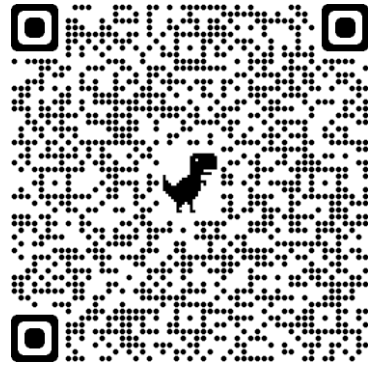
Practice Assessment for TNA's

NMC proficiencies will be assessed throughout the two-year programme

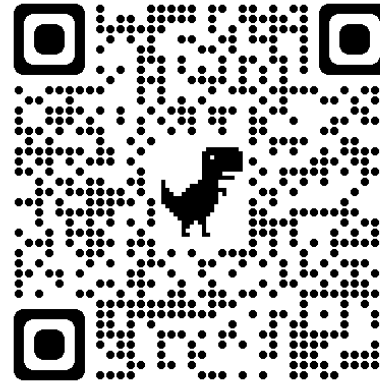
TNA's will be supported and assessed in practice, by Practice Assessors and Practice Supervisors. Academic Assessors will liaise with the Practice Assessor to confirm achievement.

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TNA entry requirements



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Applicants must possess,

- GCSE Maths and English at Grade 5 (Grade C) and above or,
- Level 2 equivalent, for example, functional skills

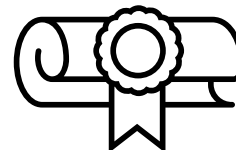
Applicants must also possess one of the following (or equivalent)

- NVQ Level 3 in Care or related subject or, appropriate care experience
- 1 A Level or 2 AS Level in an appropriate subject level
- AVCE or BTEC National Diploma
- QAA recognised Access course.

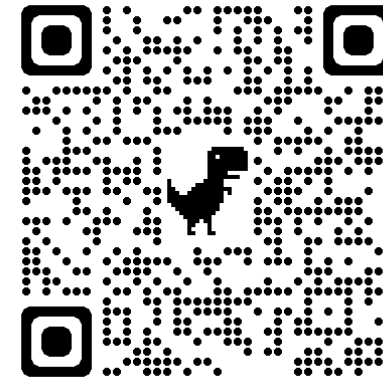


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