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THERE'S A CAREER FOR YOU IN HEALTH AND CARE





WELCOME TO THE LEEDS HEALTH & CARE ONE WORKFORCE

In Leeds our ambition is to be the best place to learn and work whatever your age. Working together across health & care, we are providing opportunities for skills, jobs and wealth creation, engaging and recruiting those from our communities and inspiring the next generation of the health and care workforce. This will ensure that Leeds is equipped with the highly diverse, skilled workforce, with the right values and behaviours needed now, and in the future.

We wish you the very best of luck today. However, if you're not successful this time around, there are many other routes that you can take to begin your career in health and care in Leeds.

This booklet outlines some of the other options available, take a look at what stands out to you.

WE CARE ACADEMY

The We Care Academy was established in 2013 with the main focus of recruiting people with the right values, attitudes and behaviours into the social care sector, across Leeds. It sits within the organisational and workforce development team in the adults and health directorate of Leeds City Council.

The We Care Academy aims to raise the profile of adult social care, and create avenues for people who are interested in this field of work and are caring, compassionate and patient. The team work with many care providers across the city, supporting with their recruitment and retention needs.

Working in partnership with Job Centre Plus and Leeds City College, The We Care Academy supports internal Leeds City Council services and external adult social care providers with their workforce and staff development needs. It also works with health partners across all sectors to promote the career pathways and the development of health and social roles. It offers support with all aspects of social care.

STEP INTO CARE PROGRAMME

If you like working with people, want to make a difference in your community, and have a job that has rewarding long-term prospects, then a career in social care could be for you.

There are currently exciting opportunities available for people aged 16 and over to join a training programme for new care assistants and support workers, that will lead to the opportunity of a permanent job in your local area.

We will give you more information about this programme at the assessment day, however if you have any further questions or want to get in touch with us, email: **wecareacademy@leeds.gov.uk** to register for a place.





LEEDS & YORK PARTNERSHIP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

If you would like to get some work experience at any service within Leeds & York Partnership NHS Foundation Trust, you can apply to be a volunteer.

If you would like to volunteer, please contact Christine Heath at christine.heath1@nhs.net or via telephone on 0113 855 7092.

You can look at the Leeds & York Partnership NHS Foundation Trust (LYPFT) website for updates on vacancies at

www.leedsandyorkpft.nhs.uk/our-services/cypmhswest-yorkshire/recruitment/

LEEDS EMPLOYMENT HUB

If you'd like some help finding a job, the Leeds City Council Employment Hub could help.

They offer tailored, one-to-one support in:

- Searching for jobs
- Improving your confidence
- Building your skills
- Helping you with applications and your CV
- Preparing you for interviews

Find out more at **employmentskillsleeds.co.uk** call **0113 378 4576**, or send an email to **esleeds@leeds.gov.uk**







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JOBSHOPS

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If you are currently working and would like to change jobs, or if you are facing redundancy, the Jobshops team can provide support with your CV, application forms, preparing for an interview and general job searching.

To access support please call in to your local Jobshop, you can find that at

www.leeds.gov.uk/jobs-skills-and-training/Jobshops or email jobshops@leeds.gov.uk with your name and phone number and we will call you back.







LEEDS ADULT LEARNING

If you would like to build on your skills, or learn something completely new, you can find a wide range of first step courses on the Leeds Learning Hub.

Find a course and apply at www.leedsadultlearning.co.uk







APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITY: FACILITIES TECHNICIAN

This full time (30 hours per week) 13 month apprenticeship provides an ideal starting point for a career in facilities management or healthcare within the NHS.

By completing the course, you will gain a Level 2 Healthcare Cleaning Operative qualification, a Level 2 Certificate in Food Safety, and a Level 1 qualification in Maths and English if you don't have this already.

To register your interest, please email leedsth-tr.eafprofdevcomms@nhs.net

APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITY: CLINICAL SUPPORT WORKER

The Leeds Teaching Hospitals Trust is currently recruiting for motivated, caring and compassionate people to join the NHS as Clinical Support Workers.

By completing the 15 month apprenticeship you will receive a Level 2 qualification in Clinical Healthcare Support, plus a Level 1 qualification in Maths and English if you don't have this already. It can also lead straight into a permanent Clinical Support Worker position.

To register your interest, please email leedsth-tr.orglearngetin@nhs.net



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LEEDS CITY COLLEGE

Health & Care Development Offer

Leeds City College is one of the largest education and apprenticeship providers in Yorkshire. It is part of the Luminate Education Group which brings together a number of different colleges. The Luminate Education Group proudly works with the NHS and Care sector to help individuals across the city achieve their career potential.

The Luminate Education Group's NHS apprenticeship pathway is a career development scheme for anyone looking to advance their career in the Health & Social Care sector. Available to anyone over 16, the scheme allows candidates to boost and develop their skills through paid apprenticeships or voluntary traineeships. Students gain on the job learning and skills that open up new career and progression opportunities.

Supporting a range of roles across the Health & Care sector, apprenticeships are available in Catering & Hospitality, Care, Customer Services, Digital & IT, Engineering & Marketing, Facilities, HR, Leadership & Management, Marketing, Science & Sport. Some of the specific Health & Care related apprenticeships offered are on the next page - but apprenticeships in the other range of roles above are also available across all levels.

LEEDS CITY COLLEGE: APPRENTICESHIPS

Level 2

- Clinical Healthcare Support Worker
- Adult Care Worker

Level 3

- Senior Healthcare Support Worker
- Lead Adult Care Worker
- Community Health & Wellbeing Worker

Level 4

• Lead Practitioner (Adult Care)

Level 5

- Healthcare Assistant Practitioner (degree)
- Leader in Adult Care

Level 6

Chartered Manager

If you would like to find out more information please contact one of the apprenticeship advisors: Call: **0113 284 6464** Email: **enquiries@leedscitycollege.ac.uk**



USEFUL LINKS

www.employmentskillsleeds.co.uk

www.leedsadultlearning.co.uk

www.doinggoodleeds.org.uk/volunteering/ volunteer-opportunities

www.doinggoodleeds.org.uk/search-jobs/

www.northpoint.org.uk/careers/

www.leedsandyorkpft.nhs.uk

www.jobs.nhs.uk

www.jobs.leeds.gov.uk

ADULT SOCIAL CARE JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Next information and assessment dates with Leeds City Council - We Care Academy are below;

26 August 2021 2 September 2021 9 September 2021



