

**Senior
Healthcare
Support Worker
(HSCW) Band 3**



NHS

Benefits of the Role

This is a fantastic role to expand your clinical skills and work within a team.

You will work independently while also being supported by more senior members of staff.

You'll receive your uniform and education, training and support as part of this role.

You might also work in a few different settings.

Depending on where you work, you might work flexible hours such as evenings or weekends.

Role Outline

In this role, you'll continue to be under the supervision of more senior staff including healthcare practitioners or assistant practitioners to assist with care, treatment or intervention, undertake assigned activities and use own initiative within the context of the role and remit. This role could be in a hospital or a community setting. You'll be expected to plan and prioritise your own work and activities.

Following an initial assessment by a health care practitioner, you'll be taking responsibility for assigned activities, including defined clinical or therapeutic interventions within the care plan.

What you're able to do will be through discussion and following of protocols and competencies.

Qualifications Required

SCQF Level 6 / 7 in Healthcare related subject and / or equivalent knowledge gained in a relevant area through experience, on the job training and/or short courses or appropriate competency to undertake role



You would be good in this role if you:

You can keep calm under pressure

You are good at communicating with a wide variety of people

You like to work as part of a team

You are able to complete tasks as instructed by more senior members of staff

Are hands-on and practical

Like making meaningful relationships with people and enjoy helping others

Are a people person with good communication skills

Able to use initiative

Able to work flexibly and as part of a wider team

Are kind and compassionate



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