

HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE SECTOR

Could a job in the health & social care sector be for you?

Do you want to work with people, do you care about other people's feelings and wellness? Are you a friendly person who likes to help others?

Can you...

- Talk to people confidently?
- Deal with difficult situations?
- Work well as part of a team?
- Demonstrate a positive attitude?
- Demonstrate a strong work ethic?
- Care about other people's feelings?



Here are some of the jobs you could do

- Healthcare Assistant
- Hospital Porter
- Childcare Assistant
- Elderly Carer

KTS+ ACADEMY

This is Phoebe Student at KTS+ Academy

Phoebe joined **KTS+ Academy** and was here for three years before leaving in 2017.

While Phoebe was at KTS+ she spent 2 years on work placement at James Cook University Hospital on the Children's Ward entertaining the patients.

This then led to Phoebe gaining a place on a Supported Internship at James Cook Hospital, when she left KTS in 2017.

Phoebe successfully passed this course and was asked to apply for a full-time apprenticeship position on the Children's Ward as a play and therapy worker.

The department could not imagine how they would cope without Phoebe working with them and she was offered the job and started in September.

At the end of September, she received her first pay and was over the moon.

Everyone at KTS Academy are very, very proud of her and her achievements!

"At KTS+ I liked doing Art and my work experience down at the main school.

I also did work experience every Friday at James Cook Hospital working as a Therapeutic Care Volunteer.

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After KTS I got into a Supported Internship with Project Choice and then I did that for a year. I then got this apprenticeship out of it which is for two years as a Therapeutic Care Support Worker.

They have offered me a permanent job as a Play Leader / Family Support Worker. I really enjoyed my apprenticeship and starting this job"



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Can you find all of these words?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Tidy | <input type="checkbox"/> Clean | <input type="checkbox"/> Ill | <input type="checkbox"/> Choice | |
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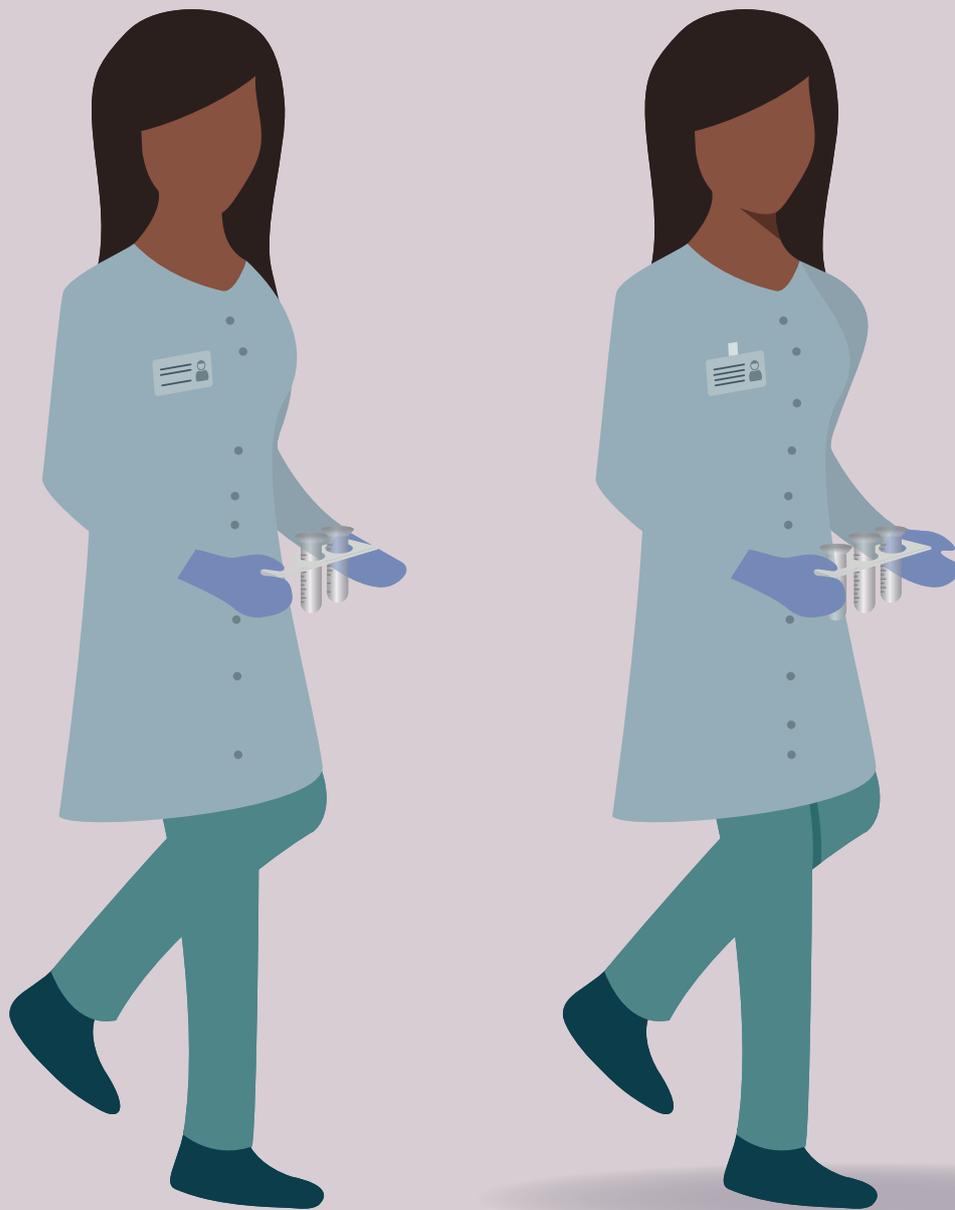
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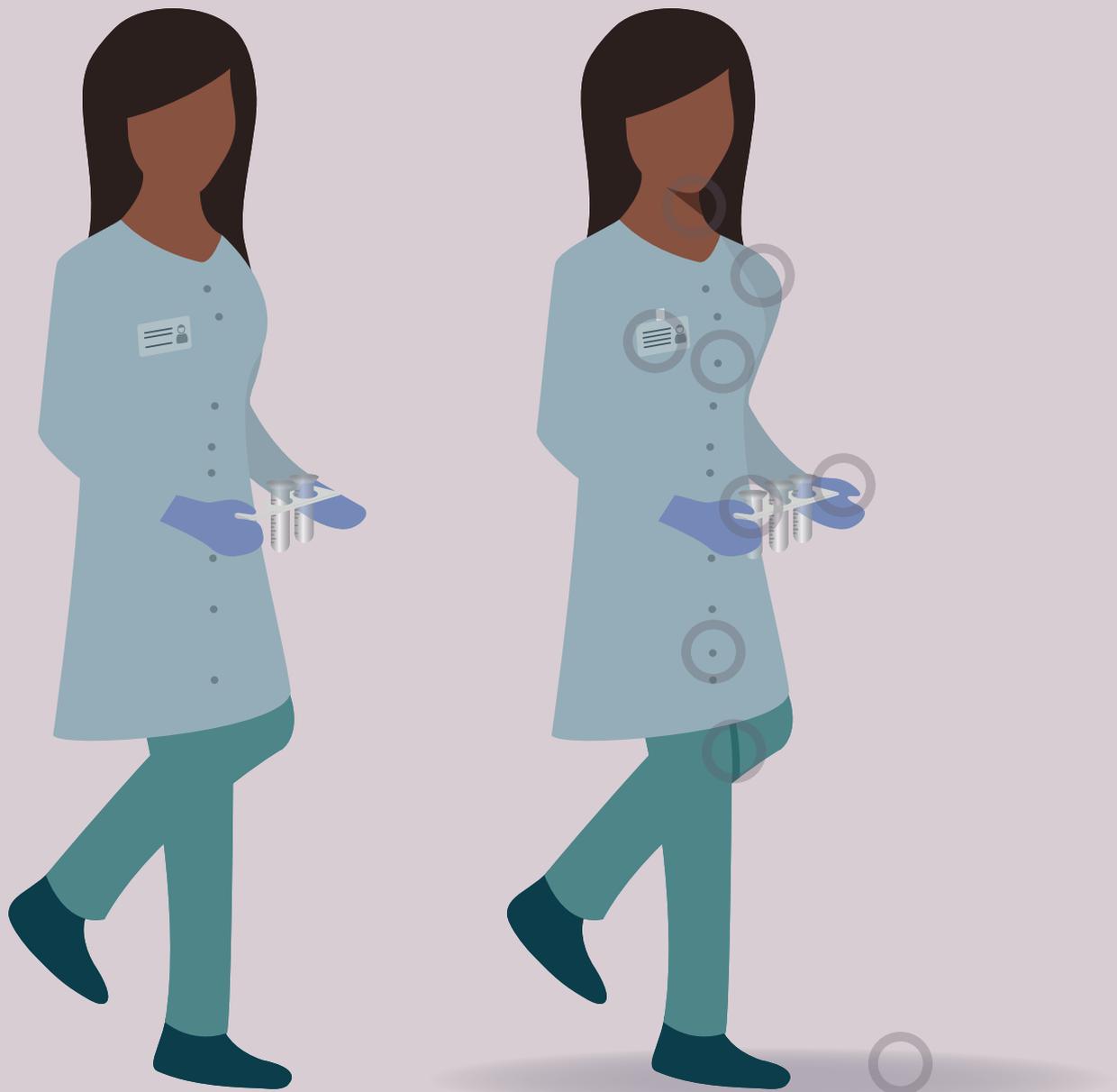
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Answer Sheet

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ROUTES OF PROGRESSION & TRAINING

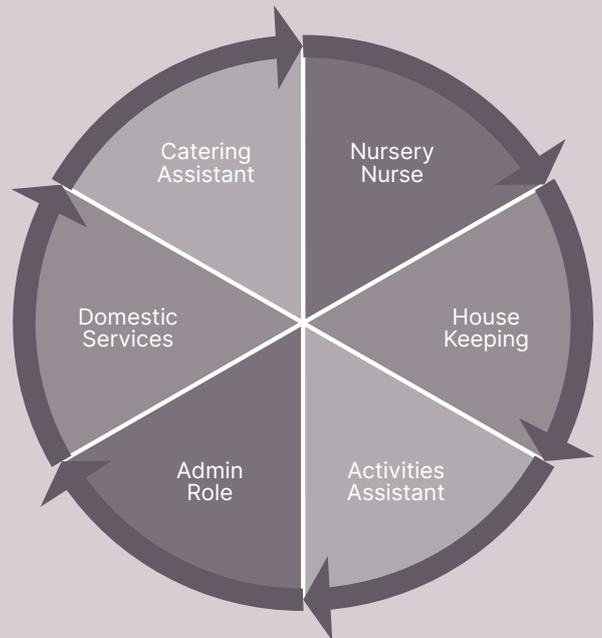
You could work in a hospital/ care home or children's nursery.

There are lots of hands-on roles from helping in a hospital shop to helping deliver meals to patients to doing art activities with elderly residents.

If you like helping people, this could be the perfect career for you.

You can start at an entry level position and progress through on-the-job training and hard work.

Here are some of the jobs you could do!



SUPPORTED INTERNSHIPS
<https://www.ndti.org.uk/resources/publication/what-are-supported-internships>

APPRENTICESHIPS & TRAINEESHIPS
www.base-uk.org/supported-apprenticeships
www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship
www.gov.uk/find-traineeship

FURTHER EDUCATION
www.teesvalleycareers.com/students/career-pathways/

VOLUNTEERING
<https://www.ncvo.org.uk/ncvo-volunteering/i-want-to-volunteer>

EMPLOYMENT
www.gov.uk/benefits-calculators

WHERE TO FIND LOCAL VACANCIES

You could work for these companies



There were over 5740 health and social care job vacancies advertised online in Tees Valley

(Source: Labour Insight, Burning Glass)



Average annual salary for a home care worker in Tees Valley

£18,500

(Source: EMSI, 2020)



Average Annual Salary for a Nursery Nurse in Tees Valley

£16,800

(Source: EMSI, 2020)



Average Annual Salary for a Hospital Porter in the Tees Valley

£22,500

(Source: EMSI, 2020)

