

**Are you looking to start University this year?**

**Are you interested in science in medicine?**

**Are you looking for a long term career in the NHS?**

**If the answer is yes to all these questions then we have an opportunity not to be missed!**

Plymouth NHS Hospital Trust will be offering 3 candidates the chance to train in a number of disciplines across the field of Medical Physics including Nuclear Medicine, Radiotherapy Physics and Radiation Physics. The bespoke training package will consist of

- Guaranteed training work placements as required by the University
- 50% tuition fees for years 2 & 3
- £3000 per year bursary to assist with travel and accommodation
- 4 weeks of paid work during the Summer period
- A one year contract at band 5 (£22128) on successful completion of training.
- The Trust is unable to make a forward commitment, however the intention would be to subsequently offer substantive employment subject to satisfactory performance.

In return you are expected to

- attend a 3 year vocational degree course in Healthcare Science at Swansea University
- attend your work placements when not at University
- complete and pass each academic year

More details on the job role and career pathway for Practitioners working in Medical Physics careers in the NHS can be found at.

<https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/explore-roles/physical-sciences-and-biomechanical-engineering/clinical-technologist>

For information on the University courses:

Nuclear Medicine	<a href="http://www.swansea.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/human-and-healthsciences/bschonshealthcaresciencenuclearmedicine/">http://www.swansea.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/human-and-healthsciences/bschonshealthcaresciencenuclearmedicine/</a>
Radiation Physics	<a href="http://www.swansea.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/human-and-health-sciences/bschonshealthcarescienceradiationphysics/">http://www.swansea.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/human-and-health-sciences/bschonshealthcarescienceradiationphysics/</a>
Radiotherapy Physics	<a href="http://www.swansea.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/human-and-health-sciences/bschonshealthcarescienceradiotherapyphysics/">http://www.swansea.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/human-and-health-sciences/bschonshealthcarescienceradiotherapyphysics/</a>

See also <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ahU7hkYuhul>

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