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T Level Foundation Year in Health and Social Care

Location	Cheadle College
Course Type	College 16-18
Department	Health & Social Care
Start Date	Monday 1st September 2025
Course Code	CFP-HS2T-1100

Course Overview

The level 2 foundation pathway in Health offers an exciting and challenging progression pathway onto Health T levels and Level 3 qualifications where you will spend four days a week in college and one day a week on a work placement.

This qualification provides an insight into the health and social care sector and couples academic learning with practical application to prepare you for progression into your chosen career pathway.

Course Requirements

4 GCSEs at grade 3 or above (including English and/or maths).

What You Will Learn

The T-level Foundation Year aims to give students a broad introduction to the Healthcare and Healthcare Science industries and relevant technical knowledge and practical skills required to be successful. The course provides a high quality route to T-levels, for students who may benefit from additional study time and preparation before progressing on to a Level 3 T-level.

Alongside the technical qualification students will continue with English, math, Science and digital skills to enhance industry required skills.

Assessment

You will be assessed through a variety of assignments, exams and a placement-based project

Progression

Progression opportunites could include:

Health & Social Care - Technical Extended Diploma - Level 3

T Level

Career Options

On completion of your T-level, the career opportunities are wide-ranging and diverse. You could access further training/Higher Education to work towards a career as a:

Nurse

Physiotherapist

Dietitian

Speech and Language Therapist

Diagnostic Radiographer

Midwife

Healthcare Science Assistant

Laboratory Assistant

Radiography Assistant

Physical Sciences and Biomedical Engineer

Life Sciences

Physiological Sciences

Operating Department Practitioner

Podiatrist

You could also apply for any of the following positions (depending on occupational specialism and interest):

Health Care Assistant

Mental Health Support Worker

School Nursing Team Assistant

Community Health and Well-being Worker

Learning Disability Support Worker

Psychology Support Worker

Physiotherapy Assistant

Occupational Therapy Assistant

Ambulance Support Worker

Operating Department Assistant

Mandatory Units

Units for this course include:

Modules
Human Growth
Equality and Diversity
Safeguarding
Science concepts

Contact Details

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