

Vacancy Bulletin



OUR VALUES IN ACTION

●Care and Compassion ●Quality and Teamwork ●Dignity and Respect ●Openness, honesty and responsibility

Why work for us?

Patients are at the centre of everything we do in our daily working lives at NHS Borders ensuring they are safe, cared for efficiently, effectively by suitably experienced and qualified staff driving quality at the heart of patient care. We are a dynamic and forward thinking team with a wealth of clinical and leadership experience. We aim for an open and honest culture and believe in nurturing future stars in NHS.

We think the Scottish Borders is first in Scotland as the best place to live and pursue a professional career in the Health Service. With a revenue budget of over £190m, NHS Borders is responsible for the health of a population of over 114,000 people across Scottish Borders area. NHS Borders has an entirely integrated structure for the delivery of local health services, including acute hospital (Borders General Hospital), primary and community, mental health services and learning disability services. We work closely in strategic health planning with neighbouring NHS Boards in the South East Scotland. In addition there is close joint working across Scottish Borders Council and the Voluntary Sector to manage, in partnership, the local health and social care agenda.

After an absence of almost 50 years, the Borders Railway has now opened, with train services to central Edinburgh running every thirty minutes (journey time 50 minutes approx). Tweedbank Station is a few minutes walk from the Borders General Hospital. On opening the railway Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth said "The Borders railway brings so much promise for sharing and invigorating this most beautiful countryside as a place to work, live and enjoy". House prices in the Borders Region are significantly less than in major cities and also less than many other rural parts of the country, particularly in the south. As part of our policy there is assistance with temporary housing and relocation allowances up to full Inland Revenue limits

Current Medical Vacancies

Applications are welcome now for any of the current vacancies listed below in NHS Borders.

Sessional GPs - Out of Hours Service (Ref: MED648)

Salaried GPs - Out of Hours Service (Ref: MED649)

Locum Consultant Physician - Department of Medicine for the Elderly (Ref: MED713)

ST2 / ST3 + Clinical Fellow in Acute & General Medicine (Ref: MED719)

Consultant Anaesthetists (Ref: MED707)

Specialty Doctor - Anaesthetics ERAS (Ref: MED705)

Consultant Ophthalmologist (Ref: MED706)

Consultant - Emergency Medicine (Ref: MED710)

Consultant Psychiatrist - East Borders (Ref: MED712)

Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist (Ref: MED711)

The closing date for all of these posts is Friday 05 December 2015. Job

Descriptions, details of contacts for an informal visit or discussion and how to

apply can be found on the website. <http://www.nhsborders.scot.nhs.uk/recruitment-fair>

Forthcoming Medical Vacancies

Informal enquiries are welcome for any of the potential vacancies listed below in NHS Borders.

Consultant Cardiologist – Likely Availability mid 2016. Non invasive cardiology but opportunity for specialist session in Edinburgh. Contact Phil Lunts for informal discussion – 01896 826052

Consultant General Physician with an interest in Respiratory Medicine - Likely Availability Mid 2017. Provides respiratory medicine services and participates in the acute medical rota. Contact Phil Lunts for informal discussion – 01896 826052

Consultant General Surgeon with an interest in Breast Surgery – Likely Availability Mid 2016. Contact Katie Morris for informal discussion 01896 827020

Specialty Doctor (middle grade) General Surgeon – fixed term and permanent posts Likely Availability Mid 2016. Contact Katie Morris for informal discussion 01896 827020