

Registered Nursing Degree Apprenticeship

The apprenticeship provides a fantastic opportunity for staff wishing to further their qualifications to gain a registered nursing degree whilst in employment.

Intakes:

- Full programme (4 years)
- Uclan end of March 2021
- University of Cumbria March 2021
- Top-Up programme (2 years dependant on prior learning)
- Uclan end of March 2021
- University of Cumbria end of January 2021

Entry Requirements:

- Level 2 functional skills in Maths and English or GCSE English and Maths grade C or above.
- 96 UCAS points for Adult Nursing (UCLan) or Level 3 learning (UoC).
- These apprenticeships are approved by the NMC. Learners have to meet NMC requirements including good health and good character.
- Additional entry requirements for top-up route: Candidates who are registered nursing associates or assistant practitioners or already hold a health related degree and have been working in clinical practice may be able to join part way through (top-up route). They would need to present evidence of learning and clinical hours. This would effectively shorten the programme to 2 years.

Finance:

- Cost: £27,000 for full programme, but only 5% (£1,350) is required to be paid by the practice as a non-levy payer. The shorter top-up route will be costed pro rata according to the entry point.
- Additional financial support by HEE is for £8,300 per year per apprentice for both full programme and the top-up. The funding for top-up route is only guaranteed for learners starting until the end of March 2021.