

# Preregistration Trainee Pharmacist Recruitment Newsletter

## October 2016



Welcome to the Pre-registration Trainee Pharmacist Recruitment Newsletter.

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### Community expressions of interest received and counted.

The closing date for community pharmacies in England to declare an interest in the preregistration pharmacy recruitment scheme was September 12th 2016.

In total we received 1415 expressions of interest, which is a brilliant endorsement of the scheme and the benefit it will bring to both employers and trainees. We will be publishing a list of all participating community pharmacies on our website early in 2017.



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## Wales joins the scheme

We are pleased to confirm that the Wales has now signed up to be part of the National Preregistration Pharmacist Recruitment Scheme. We are now moving forward to deliver a joint national recruitment scheme for England and Wales. The Modernising Pharmacy Careers Wales Programme Board consulted with stakeholders to review options for the recruitment of managed sector preregistration pharmacists in Wales from 2017. Andrew Evans, Chief Pharmaceutical Officer for Wales, explains their decision: 'A single streamlined process with the potential to be used by all applicants regardless of the pharmacy sector or organisation in which

they would like to train, has compelling benefits for both applicants and employers. Through consultation with stakeholders it was clear that the HEE scheme was the right choice for Wales.'

Wales has already been involved in shaping the scheme through their participation in the process alignment group (PAG) and in the validation of the Professional Attributes Framework (PAF). We are very excited to have them as a key partner in the scheme going forward, and will be providing further information in the coming months.

## Website and email update

We now have a dedicated preregistration trainee pharmacy webpage hosted on the HEE London and South East Pharmacy website. This page will contain all of the information you need to know about the 2017 recruitment of preregistration pharmacy posts in England and Wales\*. We will be adding more content as the scheme progresses, and are happy to take feedback on what people want to see.

### Website:

<https://www.lasepharmacy.hee.nhs.uk/national-recruitment/>

We now also have a dedicated email address for preregistration trainee pharmacy enquires.

**Email:** [preregpharmacyrecruitment@hee.nhs.uk](mailto:preregpharmacyrecruitment@hee.nhs.uk)

**\*Please note that not all community pharmacy posts will be recruited to through the Preregistration Pharmacist Recruitment process. Some community posts will be recruited to directly by individual community pharmacies.**



## Recruitment time-line\*\*

To the right is the provisional recruitment time-line, we will be able provide more definitive dates ranges in the new year.

\*\*Please note these dates are subject to change

Oriel system registration	June/July 2017
Applications:	August 2017
Interview/selection centres	Late September 2017
Offers made	October 2017

## Schools of Pharmacy spring events

We will be providing further information on the Oriel system and the 2017 recruitment process during the spring at School of Pharmacy events. In the meantime please direct all enquiries through our website and email address.