

# BTEC National Extended Certificate in Health & Social Care

With a national shortage of professionals, there could be no better time to work in the care industry. The BTEC National in Health and Social Care provide the knowledge and employability skills students need to succeed at a higher level study and in their chosen career.

## Programme of Study

Unit	Assessment Method
Human Lifespan Development	External
Working in Health & Social Care	External
Meeting Individual Care and Support Needs	Internal
Sociological Perspectives for Health & Social Care	Internal

## Pathways

Many students go on to study nursing, midwifery or social work at University whilst others pursue apprenticeships in child care, dentistry or care work. Health and social care allows access to a broad range of careers ranging from helping the community, supporting vulnerable individuals to management positions.

## Student Quotes

'I like how in H&SC I can complete exams throughout the two years and not just at the end of Year 13. With it being a modular course, I can track how well I am doing and what I need on remaining units to achieve my target.'

**Charlotte**

'Picking H&SC was the best decision I ever made because it opened up a range of doors for me for my future.'

**Charlie**