

How do you become a

GENERAL PRACTICE NURSE?

There are a number of pathways to become a General Practice Nurse (GPN). Follow the steps below to get started.

First steps

Visit websites that provide detailed information on the role of the GPN:

- e.g: www.qni.org.uk/resources/?aow=general-practice
- www.gpnen.org.uk
- www.rcgp.org.uk/policy/rcgp-policy-areas/nursing.aspx

Make contact

Make contact with a local practice:

- Email / phone / write to Practice Manager or GPN and ask to meet / shadow them + whether they know of any available GPN posts
- visit your CCG website

Posts

Find out where posts are advertised:

- e.g: local paper; NHS jobs website; LMC jobs website; local training hubs; local GPN conferences and events

Other sources

Other sources of support advice and career opportunities:

- e.g: HEE GPN national careers
- NHSE Health careers
- HEE Advanced Clinical Practice
- Portfolio career



Find out more:
www.qni.org.uk

