

While Emergency Departments (ED) across the UK struggle to meet their 4-hour waiting time targets, we have no such worries in Guernsey. Most patients are seen and triaged within 10 minutes of arrival and cared for by a multi-disciplinary team of nurses.

The Unit is a combined adult and paediatric managed by specialist ED consultants alongside associate doctors and nurses on a shift rota. The absence of junior doctors means that nurses enjoy far greater autonomy - and most offer expanded roles. Team work is essential in a small department to ensure the flow of patients through the department and a better patient experience.

Although especially busy during the holiday season, we see around 17,500 patients a year, ranging from minor injuries to the more complex patient requiring advance resuscitation. Those needing particular specialist treatment are occasionally transferred off the island to the UK to follow on their care.

We offer a wide range of learning opportunities within the ED and there may be an opportunity to rotate staff into neighbouring intensive-care and high-dependency units.

In-house teaching is excellent, thanks to our accredited instructors on ALS, EPALS and ATLS. ED staff also participates in the Adult and Paediatric cardiac arrest team serving the hospital as a whole.

The Guernsey ED unit is a friendly and happy place to work. We benefit from a Practice Development Nurse and excellent experienced nurses who will assist any new and enthusiastic nurses who would like to come and join our team in Guernsey.



If you want to work in a practice area, while enjoying a healthy work-life balance, then we may just have the opportunity for you:

- + Staff Nurse
- + Senior Staff Nurse

For further information and to apply, please go to gov.gg/healthandsocialcare or email Heather West at: heather.west@gov.gg or Tracy Fearis at: tracy.fearis@gov.gg

Working in the EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT

If you would like to be a valued member of a truly integrated Health and Social Care Service and have a great work-life balance then we offer excellent career opportunities for **Staff Nurses and Senior Staff Nurses.**

