

Job detectives

Individual activity sheet

Match the job titles below with the job descriptions that follow.

Patient transport driver

Podiatrist

Health trainer

Orthoptist

Psychiatrist

Biomedical scientist

Housekeeper

Physiotherapist

Chef

Children's nurse

Role name:



Richard

What do I do? I help children feel better during an illness and support parents/carers who are struggling with seeing their child unwell.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Being a good listener
2. Making people feel comfortable
3. Can complete many tasks in a short space of time

Role name:



Juanita

What do I do? I help to make sure that patients, staff and visitors in the hospital are eating healthy, nutritious and most importantly, tasty meals.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. A love for cooking
2. Able to provide good customer service
3. Able to work well in busy environments

Role name:



Andrew

What do I do? I work with people who struggle with their mental health and find ways to help them, such as talking with them or prescribing medication.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Able to lead a team
2. Have a calm personality
3. Be interested in people and the way they think

Role name:



Peter

What do I do? I help people who have had injuries and illnesses that have affected their movement, and create special exercises to help them get better.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Able to motivate people
2. Able to make people feel better when nervous
3. Willing to be hands-on with patients

Role name:



Tyiba

What do I do? I drive a specially designed ambulance that drives patients to hospitals, clinics or home.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. A love for driving
2. Able to navigate an area using sat navs or maps
3. Good customer service skills

Role name:



Vanessa

What do I do? I help people understand how things such as smoking and exercise can impact their health. I then help them improve their health so they can be as happy and healthy as possible.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Caring about people's health
2. Have a positive attitude
3. Good at teaching people new skills

Role name:



Oscar

What do I do? I work hard to make sure the hospital ward is clean and safe, that patients' beds are properly made, and they have everything they need.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Being friendly with others
2. Physically active to move, lift, and clean
3. Being organised and knowing when to replace supplies

Role name:



Leanne

What do I do? I use high-tech medical equipment, such as a microscope, to test patients' blood and check for any diseases or other things going wrong in the body.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Enjoy science and laboratory work
2. Not easily distracted
3. Good at communicating

Role name:



Kerry

What do I do? I treat people who have foot and leg problems. I am trained to spot any issues early to prevent patients from becoming very unwell.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Happy touching other people's feet
2. Able to communicate well with others
3. Happy to work in a team or alone

Role name:



Teniola

What do I do? I help people who have problems with their eyes, such as squints or double vision. I treat people by prescribing eye patches, glasses or showing them eye exercises.

What qualities do I need to do my job?

1. Interested in science
2. Willing to work alone or in a team
3. Able to communicate with adults or children