



Faculty of Health and Applied Sciences

Mental health nursing placement map

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Mental health nursing placements supporting information

The mental health nursing course offers a rich and diverse variety of placements across different practice settings. UWE Bristol work with a wide range of health care providers in the NHS, private, voluntary and independent sectors who provide a range of services, designed to meet the needs of service users and their families including:

- Mental health inpatient services e.g. acute inpatient wards/recovery settings.
- Community services e.g. recovery services and crisis teams.
- Older adult services e.g. inpatient wards and memory services.
- Specialist services e.g. hospital liaison teams and child and adolescent mental health teams.
- Nursing homes meeting the complex physical and emotional needs of older people.

Avon and Wiltshire (AWP)

One of the largest mental health trusts in England and covering a wide geographical area incorporating urban, suburban and rural localities. Students based at Glenside campus will complete six clinical practice placements in total, some of which will be within AWP.

Services within this region include acute inpatient settings for adults of working age (Callington Road Hospital in Bristol and Green Lane Hospital in Devizes), older adult inpatient services (Victoria Centre, Swindon), secure services (Fromeside) and a vast range of community mental health services across the area.

Specialist services include Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS), hospital liaison services, court and assessment referral services and drug and alcohol services and services provided by AWP to prisons in the area including HMP Bristol and Eastwood Park.

Private, Voluntary and Independent Sector

There are a number of providers across the region, including; The Priory Group with a number of inpatient services in Bristol; Cygnet Hospital in Weston offering specialist inpatient care; Milestones Trust in Bristol providing inpatient and community based recovery services and Turning Point in Gloucester providing specialist drug and alcohol services. This sector also includes independent nursing homes and private and residential care across the area.

Gloucestershire (2Gether Trust)

This area includes the Forest of Dean, Tewkesbury, Stow-on-the-Wold, Cirencester and Tetbury.

Students based at our Gloucester campus will complete six clinical practice placements in total, some of which will be in the 2Gether Trust.

The services within the Gloucestershire region include inpatient mental health services at Wotton Lawn Hospital in Gloucester. Older adults requiring inpatient care are based at Charlton Lane Hospital in Cheltenham. There is a range of community mental health services across the Gloucestershire region, including intensive services, assertive outreach and recovery teams.

Specialist services in the 2Gether Trust include eating disorder treatment centres, children and young people's services and hospital liaison services.