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Home-grown nurses urged to join top performing Trust

The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust is holding a recruitment open day on Saturday 11th July 2015 to attract staff nurses and shift leads to join its team of award winning nurses.

On this day we will be looking to recruit both staff nurses (Band 5) and shift leads (Band 6) to the following areas:

- Medicine
- Surgery
- Coronary Care
- Elderly Care
- Community
- Stroke
- Oncology

- Medical High Dependency Unit
- Emergency Assessment Unit
- Emergency Department
- Trauma & orthopaedics
- Haematology
- Critical Care

"We are one of the top performing Trusts in the country for consistently exceeding the four-hour target, placing us in the top ten nationally. To be a nurse at The Dudley Group is to be part of something special," said Chief Nurse, Dawn Wardell.

"Our patients rate us with 4.5 out of 5 stars on NHS Choices; 98 per cent of inpatients who take part in the Friends and Family Test would recommend us; our staff survey results are in the top 20 nationally.

"We need more amazing and talented nurses to join our committed staff to help us build on that success, and so we are opening our doors to tempt home-grown talent to come and join us."

Our hospitals are among some of the most technologically advanced in the country; our buildings are modern and purpose-built, and we use state-of-the-art equipment. Those joining our Trust will benefit from our strong reputation for leading the way in innovation and quality improvement.

There are opportunities to undertake assessments during the recruitment day. Candidates are invited to have an interview on the same day.

There will also be an opportunity to spend time with our nursing teams and to visit the departments where successful candidates could be working.

Anyone wishing to attend the open day should register their interest online on NHS
Jobs by searching for **Nurse Recruitment Day July 2015** or reference number 253
A-15-11982 then click on Apply for this job.

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