The School of Health Sciences
Nursing and Midwifery

Applicant Day

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Four Schools – One Health

Interdisciplinary collaborations in teaching, research and healthcare for humans and animals
The School’s Vision:

“To deliver the most dynamic, effective and caring healthcare professionals from a school that places innovation, research and passion at the heart of everything we do.”
Our accreditation

NMC Nursing & Midwifery Council

Undergraduate

Nursing (Adult, Children's, Mental Health)

Midwifery

Paramedic

HCPC Health & Care Professions Council
The School of Health Sciences

» Themes
- Ethics in care
- Digital health
- Workforce organisation and wellbeing

» Clusters of expertise
- Cancer care
- Long-term conditions and ageing
- Maternal, child and family health
Teaching facilities: Simulation Suite
Teaching facilities

» Flexible and technologically enabled teaching/study space
» A large active learning space (180 capacity)
» Simulation Suite – 2 large wards, an operating theatre, a community flat and an ambulance bay
» Clinical skills area – a dedicated space for students to learn and practice essential skills
» Virtual environment – two rooms equipped with wall-to-wall immersive projector systems
» Student support office and large student study spaces/computer facilities
» Coffee shop and large-seated atrium.
Researchers from the University of Surrey design new resources to support implementation and sustainability of Schwartz Rounds.
Research Projects:

» Exploring experiences of referral for diagnostic investigations and attitudes towards the new Faster Diagnostic Standard

» Practice nurse's expanding role in cancer control and its impact on nurse education

» Using qualitative methods to understand the patient/GP conversation.
» Evolution of healthcare up until the late twentieth century
» Evolution of healthcare since the late twentieth century
» Evolution of laboratory medicine up until the late twentieth century
» Point-of-care testing for the future
Advances in technology...

5G is the next generation of mobile communication technology – the UK’s only research centre dedicated to 5G is at the University of Surrey.
The International Care Ethics (ICE) Observatory

Based within the School of Health Sciences
A collaboration between the University of Surrey and the Ethox Foundation.
“If you always do what you always did, you will always get what you always got.”

Albert Einstein
Challenges to come in healthcare

The King's Fund and local Government Association

- No. of people aged 65-84 will increase by 1/3
- Those over 85 will more than double
- Most people >75 have 2 or more Long-term conditions
- 21% Smoke
- 26% Are obese
- 70% Are inactive
What do we do that impacts on patient care?

» **Time for Dementia** pairs undergraduates with dementia sufferers and their carers as part of their programme

» **The eSMART project** aims to demonstrate benefits for cancer patients using a real-time, mobile phone based remote patient monitoring system

» **Professor Richard Lyon** is Director of Research for Kent, Surrey and Sussex Air Ambulance and Clinical Lead for the Medic One flying squad.
## Student placement localities

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The School of Health: Key Rankings

4th For Nursing

93% of research rated world leading and internationally excellent (REF 2014)

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Facilities

Open 24hrs
365 DAYS

SurreyLearn virtual learning

Digital resources

Academic skills and development
Life on Campus

- 6,000 ROOMS
- 50% EN-SUITE
- 24/7 SECURITY
- 140+ NATIONALITIES
- Surrey Sports PARK
Investment in the campus
Over 100 clubs and societies
We care about your wellbeing, from welcome week and beyond
Wellbeing

On campus GP and health care

24 hr wardens & security team

Hive campus support and study site

Faculty Support

Student life mentoring

Chaplain
Location - Guildford campus

Guildford is just 34 minutes away from London by train, and around 45 miles away from Brighton.
94% of our graduates are in employment after sixth months*

» *according to data from HESA 2018
The ideal health sciences graduate

Employability skills

- Competent and confident
- Critical thinker
- Communicator
- Team player
- Life-long learner
Thank you

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