



**Come and join our lively and dedicated
Reservist workforce
for varied and interesting work in acute, community
and social care in Norfolk and Waveney, Suffolk
and North East Essex**

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Join the Norfolk and Waveney Reservist Scheme and play your part in shaping health and social care in your local communities

What is the aim of the reservist scheme?

- A ground-breaking workforce programme for the NHS in England to create a dedicated pool of workers to complement the existing dedicated NHS workforce
- Harness many years of knowledge and experience to support targeted health campaigns such as COVID-19 vaccination, flu vaccinations, continuous care assessments and discharge to assess.
- Care Support roles to deliver the most basic but essential levels of care for our patients.
- An exciting alternative to working on bank with work-life flexibility and limited commitment
- The opportunity to work with like-minded health and social care professionals and maintain your professional registration (if applicable) or work in an unregistered role
- Take part in social, training and development days within your reservist community

What are the key roles?

The phase one pilot in Norfolk and Waveney will develop key roles:

- Registered Clinical Professionals
- Unregistered Clinical Professionals
- Reservist Healthcare Support Workers
- Reservist Community Therapists and Therapy Assistants
- Admin & Clerical
- Medical Support Workers (trainees seeking medical experience)

What is the commitment?

- Minimum of 20 deployed days (150 hours) per annum
- An expectation to complete mandatory training module relevant to post / task orientated roles
- Attendance at reservist community social and 'keep in touch' days
- Ability to work in acute, community and social care settings across the Norfolk and Waveney region

What can I expect in return?

- A simple joining process using existing tools and technology
- Dedicated training & support to maintain professional competence & registration (where applicable)
- Quality local orientation and induction
- Access to buddying and ongoing pastoral support from our Clinical Tutors
- Exposure to a varied working environment in acute, community and social care settings
- The opportunity to shape 'key roles' at regional level to support and develop the national picture
- Invitations to 'keep in touch' and social events within your reservist community
- Regular digital communications and bulletins bringing together other regional schemes

I am interested, what happens next?

- We support surge in health and social care demand based activity for which we need the following roles:
 - Registered Clinical Professionals
 - Unregistered Clinical Professionals
 - Healthcare Support Workers (unregistered)
 - Therapists and Therapy Assistants
 - Admin & Clerical
 - Medical Support Workers
- Join one of our forthcoming Webinar sessions to hear more about the scheme
- Request and read our Frequently Asked Questions document
- Visit our webpages [#WeCareTogetherNorfolk and Waveney Reservists - #WeCareTogether \(wecaretogethernw.co.uk\)](#)
- Contact our dedicated team NHSreserveeastofengland@nnuh.nhs.uk