

Health National Occupational Standards Revision

The following National Occupational Standards (NOS) have been updated as part of this project. You can find them at the below link on the UK NOS Database.

Children and Young People's Health Services (CS):

- [SFHCS20: Enable children and young people to understand and participate in their health and well-being](#)

Clinical Health Skills (CHS):

- [SFHCHS3: Administer medication to individuals](#)
- [SFHCHS4: Undertake tissue viability risk assessment for individuals](#)
- [SFHCHS5: Undertake agreed pressure area care](#)
- [SFHCHS6: Move and position individuals](#)
- [SFHCHS7: Obtain and test specimens from individuals](#)
- [SFHCHS8: Insert, secure and monitor urethral catheter](#)
- [SFHCHS9: Undertake care for individuals with urinary catheters](#)
- [SFHCHS10: Undertake stoma care](#)
- [SFHCHS11: Undertake personal hygiene for individuals unable to care for themselves](#)
- [SFHCHS12: Undertake treatments and dressings related to the care of lesions and wounds](#)
- [SFHCHS14: Remove wound closure materials from individuals](#)
- [SFHCHS17: Carry out extended feeding techniques to ensure individual's nutritional and fluid intake](#)
- [SFHCHS19: Undertake routine clinical measurements](#)
- [SFHCHS20: Undertake examination of the external ear](#)
- [SFHCHS22: Perform intravenous cannulation](#)
- [SFHCHS26: Carry out, and conclude, dialysis therapy for individuals with established access](#)
- [SFHCHS27: Encourage and support individuals undergoing dialysis therapy](#)
- [SFHCHS29: Support and enable individuals undergoing dialysis and their carers to carry out dialysis procedures](#)
- [SFHCHS30: Obtain and maintain vascular access for, and cease access following, haemodialysis](#)
- [SFHCHS31: Assess and agree the efficacy of the dialysis therapy](#)
- [SFHCHS32: Agree and implement changes to the dialysis therapy](#)
- [SFHCHS36: Provide Basic Life Support](#)
- [SFHCHS130: Perform routine Electrocardiograph \(ECG\) procedure](#)
- [SFHCHS134: Undertake Vision Screening](#)
- [SFHCHS131: Obtain and test capillary blood samples](#)

- [SFHCHS132: Obtain venous blood samples](#)
- [SFHCHS136: Assist in the implementation of programmes and treatments with individuals who have severely restricted movement/mobility](#)
- [SFHCHS138: Assist in the implementation of mobility and movement programmes for individuals to restore optimum movement and functional independence](#)
- [SFHCHS143: Assist others to test individuals' abilities before planning exercise and physical activities](#)
- [SFHCHS144: Deliver exercise sessions to improve individuals' health and wellbeing](#)
- [SFHCHS146: Monitor individuals' progress in relation to managing their body weight and nutrition](#)
- [SFHCHS147: Administer oral nutritional products to individuals](#)
- [SFHCHS148: Provide information and advice to individuals on eating to maintain optimum nutritional status](#)
- [SFHCHS149: Monitor and review individual's progress in relation to maintaining optimum nutritional status](#)
- [SFHCHS168: Obtain case history](#)
- [SFHCHS185: Perform basic specimen/sample preparation and store specimens and samples](#)
- [SFHCHS192: Perform standard tests using an automated analyzer](#)
- [SFHCHS205: Manufacture of equipment and/or medical devices for individuals within healthcare](#)
- [SFHCHS206: Adapt healthcare equipment, medical devices, or products to meet individual's needs](#)
- [SFHCHS223: Fit healthcare equipment, device, product and/or system to meet clinical and individual needs](#)
- [SFHCHS239: Enable individuals to use assistive devices and assistive technology](#)

Diabetes (Diab):

- [SFHDiabHA4: Assess the feet of individuals with diabetes and provide advice on maintaining healthy feet and managing foot problems](#)

Emergency, Urgent and Scheduled Care (EUS):

- [SFHEUSC02: Obtain supporting information to inform the assessment of an individual](#)

Endoscopy:

- [SFHEND02: Provide information on endoscopic procedures to individuals](#)
- [SFHEND09: Assist colleagues during endoscopic procedures](#)
- [SFHEND20: Provide care for individuals recovering after endoscopic procedures](#)

General Healthcare (GEN):

- [SFHGEN2: Prepare and dress for work in healthcare settings](#)
- [SFHGEN4: Prepare individuals for healthcare activities](#)
- [SFHGEN5: Support individuals undergoing healthcare procedures](#)
- [SFHGEN6: Manage environments and resources for use during healthcare activities](#)
- [SFHGEN7: Monitor and manage the environment and resources during and after healthcare activities](#)
- [SFHGEN8: Assist the practitioners to implement clinical or therapeutic interventions activities](#)
- [SFHGEN9: Prepare vehicles for the transport of materials and/or equipment within the health sector](#)
- [SFHGEN14: Provide advice and information to individuals on how to manage their own condition](#)
- [SFHGEN15: Support individuals in undertaking their desired activities](#)
- [SFHGEN16: Inform an individual of discharge arrangements](#)
- [SFHGEN18: Give presentations to groups](#)
- [SFHGEN20: Provide equipment and support to individuals and carers](#)
- [SFHGEN23: Monitor your own work practice](#)
- [SFHGEN25: Administer appointments](#)
- [SFHGEN39: Contribute to effective multidisciplinary team working](#)
- [SFHGEN57: Collect blood/blood products from storage for transfusion](#)
- [SFHGEN62: Collate and communicate health information to individuals](#)
- [SFHGEN65: Make recommendations for the use of physical resources](#)
- [SFHGEN66: Control the use of physical resources](#)
- [SFHGEN76: Store and transport medical gas cylinders](#)
- [SFHGEN77: Perform first line calibration on clinical equipment to ensure it is fit for use](#)
- [SFHGEN78: Conduct routine maintenance on clinical equipment](#)
- [SFHGEN80: Move and transport individuals within a healthcare environment](#)
- [SFHGEN81: Collect linen and make beds](#)
- [SFHGEN96: Maintain health, safety and security practices within a health setting](#)
- [SFHGEN97: Communicate effectively in a healthcare environment](#)
- [SFHGEN98: Promote effective communication in a healthcare environment](#)

Health informatics (HI):

- [SFHHI8: Analyse data and information and present outputs](#)
- [SFHHI9: Monitor, evaluate and improve the management of data and information](#)

Infection Prevention and Control (IPC):

- [SFHIPC4: Minimise the risk of spreading infection by cleaning, disinfection and storing care equipment](#)
- [SFHIPC9: Minimise the risk of spreading infection when removing used linen](#)

Perioperative Care Support (PCS):

- [SFHPCS2: Contribute to the safe use of medical devices in the perioperative environment](#)
- [SFHPCS5: Assist in the support and monitoring of patients within the perioperative care environment](#)
- [SFHPCS6: Measure and record individuals' body fluid output](#)
- [SFHPCS7: Assist the registered practitioner in the delivery of perioperative care](#)
- [SFHPCS10: Carry out delegated activities in receiving, handling and dispatching clinical specimens](#)
- [SFHPCS13: Prepare and dress for scrubbed clinical roles](#)
- [SFHPCS14: Prepare surgical instrumentation and supplementary items for the surgical team](#)
- [SFHPCS15: Assist in the preparation of patients for operative and clinically invasive procedures](#)
- [SFHPCS16: Provide surgical instrumentation and items for the surgical team and maintain the sterile field](#)
- [SFHPCS17: Receive and handle clinical specimens within the sterile field](#)
- [SFHPCS18: Prepare, apply and attach dressings, wound supports and drains to individuals](#)
- [SFHPCS23: Assist in the transfer and positioning of patients within the perioperative environment](#)
- [SFHPCS24: Perform the non-scrubbed circulating role for perioperative procedures](#)
- [SFHPCS25: Carry out delegated activities in the anaesthetic environment/Post Anaesthetic Care Unit \(PACU\)](#)