

HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE



MERSEYSIDE LABOUR MARKET

The NHS is the biggest employer in Europe and the world's largest employer of skilled professionals with 1.3 million people caring for others. By studying this subject you will be gaining key employability skills such as resilience, patience, coping well under pressure and communication. Adult social care is a growing sector. Across England it has increased by 12% in the last decade. In the North West region, it has increased by 7% over the same timeframe. In 2022 there have been almost 400 job postings for Social Workers in East Merseyside, with an average salary of £37,200 per year.

LABOUR MARKET

45,810

People approx. are employed
in careers that make use of
Health & Social across Merseyside

17,013

Care workers and
home carers

26,750

Nurses and midwives

1,482

Social workers

565

Healthcare practice
managers

OTHER SECTORS

Creative and digital industries
Renewable energy and the environment
Advanced manufacturing and engineering
Health and social care and healthcare technologies