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Dear Parents

6th Form NHS Work Shadowing Scheme – DEADLINE 31st OCTOBER

To whom it may concern:

Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust is pleased to be able to offer a work shadowing scheme for 2019/2020.

The work shadowing scheme offers 1 or 2 days shadowing a medical or healthcare professional. Students will observe a member of staff in their role to understand how they do their job and what it involves.

To apply students must meet the following criteria:

- Students must be studying AS/A level or equivalent and considering a career in Medicine or a healthcare profession
- Priority is given to students who live or go to school in Buckinghamshire
- Students must be over 17 years old to take up a placement (Students aged 16 can apply if they will be 17 before 31 August 2019, although they will only be offered a placement once they have turned 17)
- Students must be available when the placements dates are offered. Due to high demand, we will not be able to defer placements to suit student availability unless they are taking exams. We therefore recommend students obtain permission from their school before they apply so that they can attend during term time (**RGS Students must follow normal Leave of Absence request procedures**)

All students must attend an induction - 4th & 7th November Stoke Mandeville Hospital / 8th November Wycombe Hospital, all from 9am to 12 noon

Applications will be available from the 1st October 2019 - 31st October 2019.

Email bht.services.voluntary@nhs.net from 1st October 2019.

All completed applications must be emailed back & returned by 31st October 2019.

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