



JOB DESCRIPTION

Ambulance Care Assistant - NHS

£22,383 per year

Full-time

West Midlands Ambulance Service University NHS Foundation Trust is looking to recruit caring and committed individuals for our Non-Emergency Patient Transport Services.

The main purpose of this role is to safely transport patients with varying mobilities to and from treatment centres or other venues as directed. This could include manual handling of patients, the care of patients and assisting patients, as well as driving. Some patients may need to be carried (including stairs), wheeled in a chair or a stretcher and escorted to and from the vehicle. The safe transportation of these patients is paramount to the role. This includes securing patients, wheelchairs, stretchers etc in the vehicles. You will be required to drive a variety of vehicles, including cars, ambulances and other vehicles.

Qualifications

- Good standard of general education with a minimum of 3 GCSEs at Grade C or above (or equivalent) including English or be willing to undertake a level 2 qualification within the first 12 months in post

Skills

- Full clean driving licence (showing no more than 3 points)

Experience

- Experience of working within a public service or customer care environment.
- Experience of driving a variety of vehicles

West Midlands Ambulance Service positively welcomes diversity and aims to be a truly inclusive place to work. We are looking for self-motivated, enthusiastic people from all backgrounds that care about making a difference.

The Trust is currently under-represented in terms of people from BME backgrounds and welcomes applicants from these communities. Selection will be on a basis of merit. The Trust has achieved the status of a Disability Confident Leader and guarantees to invite to assessment applicants who meet the criteria for the job vacancy. To ensure the diversity of the workforce and understand the differing needs of our communities, the Trust is committed to the principles of Positive Action. If you wish to discuss and adjustments that you may need for the role of the assessment process prior to your application, then please do not hesitate to contact the recruitment team