

# RESPIRATORY AND SLEEP PHYSIOLOGY CAREERS

- **Do you have good communication skills?**
- **Are you interested in biological science, technology and caring for people?**
- **Do you enjoy science and also have practical skills like art, technology or sport?**

If you answered yes, you might like to consider a career as a Respiratory/Sleep Clinical Physiologist or Healthcare Scientist.

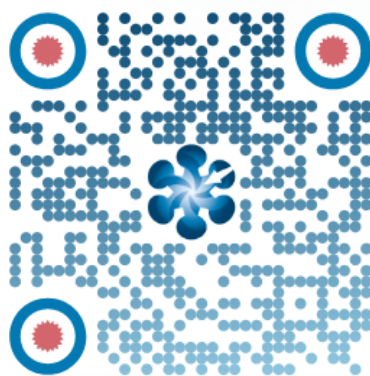
Respiratory and Sleep Clinical Physiologists and Healthcare Scientists work in hospitals. They take measurements of the human respiratory system, to diagnose and treat physiological disorders and long-term illnesses associated with respiratory disease.

The job involves testing, monitoring, analysing and diagnosing physiological conditions of patients by using medical and scientific equipment. Analysing and reporting the results is a major part of the job. This leads to treatments, drug therapy, tracking improvements and deteriorations and recommending alternative treatment methods



If you are leaving school after A levels, look on the NHS jobs website for apprenticeships in Respiratory Clinical Physiology or adverts for Trainee Physiologists.

If you have a degree in a biological science look out for the Scientist Training Programme (STP) masters on the National School of Healthcare Science (NSHC) website.



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Association for  
Respiratory Technology  
& Physiology

## Other Useful Websites

### Academy of Health Care Science

[www.ahcs.ac.uk](http://www.ahcs.ac.uk)

### National School of Healthcare Science

[nshcs.hee.nhs.uk](http://nshcs.hee.nhs.uk)

### NHS Jobs

England and Wales

[www.jobs.nhs.uk](http://www.jobs.nhs.uk)

Northern Ireland

[online.hscni.net/hscjobs](http://online.hscni.net/hscjobs)

Scotland

[www.scot.nhs.uk/nhsscotlandrecruitment](http://www.scot.nhs.uk/nhsscotlandrecruitment)

