

National Student Survey (NSS) Scores 2013/14 comparing NHS and other subjects

Question	NHS Subject specific scores						Wales' NHS Students Overall	All subjects - Overall Country Scores			
	Nursing	Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology	Medical Technology	Others in Subjects allied to Medicine	Others in Subjects allied to Medicine (p/t)	Others in Subjects allied to Medicine (other UG)		Wales Registered HEI	England Registered HEI	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1. Staff are good at explaining things	92%	100%	87%	89%	90%	100%	93%	90%	90%	91%	91%
2. Staff have made the subject interesting	88%	99%	73%	87%	81%	94%	88%	82%	83%	84%	84%
3. Staff are enthusiastic about what they are teaching	92%	99%	76%	91%	87%	94%	91%	87%	88%	87%	87%
4. The course is intellectually stimulating	86%	97%	82%	84%	90%	94%	87%	84%	85%	86%	87%
5. The criteria used in marking have been clear in advance	83%	97%	84%	76%	84%	78%	84%	76%	76%	74%	78%
6. Assessment arrangements and marking have been fair	71%	75%	67%	73%	74%	81%	72%	78%	76%	77%	79%
7. Feedback on my work has been prompt	80%	75%	49%	80%	52%	86%	77%	65%	69%	58%	70%
8. I have received detailed comments on my work	82%	86%	65%	73%	71%	92%	81%	70%	71%	62%	69%
9. Feedback on my work has helped me clarify things I did not understand	74%	87%	67%	69%	52%	83%	74%	65%	66%	61%	67%
10. I have received sufficient advice and support with my studies	86%	95%	78%	87%	77%	94%	86%	79%	79%	78%	80%
11. I have been able to contact staff when I needed to	86%	95%	82%	89%	74%	97%	87%	86%	86%	88%	88%
12. Good advice was available when I needed to make study choices	84%	99%	78%	89%	68%	91%	84%	78%	78%	75%	78%
13. The timetable works efficiently as far as my activities are concerned	74%	86%	51%	36%	74%	64%	71%	80%	81%	81%	85%
14. Any changes in the course or teaching have been communicated effectively	68%	90%	44%	56%	61%	67%	68%	76%	78%	75%	82%
15. The course is well organised and is running smoothly	71%	83%	51%	36%	48%	64%	68%	73%	76%	74%	80%
16. The library resources and services are good enough for my needs	86%	99%	93%	87%	71%	94%	87%	82%	87%	88%	91%
17. I have been able to access general IT resources when I needed to	90%	99%	93%	84%	71%	100%	90%	85%	89%	89%	92%
18. I have been able to access specialised equipment, facilities, or rooms when I needed to	83%	99%	87%	87%	50%	65%	83%	79%	82%	83%	86%
19. The course has helped me to present myself with confidence	90%	96%	80%	89%	84%	94%	89%	80%	81%	81%	84%
20. My communication skills have improved	93%	99%	87%	93%	90%	91%	93%	84%	85%	86%	88%
21. As a result of the course, I feel confident in tackling unfamiliar problems	91%	99%	78%	91%	87%	91%	91%	81%	82%	83%	85%
22. Overall, I am satisfied with the quality of the course	90%	100%	84%	84%	84%	89%	90%	85%	86%	87%	87%

Welsh HEI by Question (2014)	Country by NHS Question (2014)				
Question Number	Wales Registered HEI	England Registered HEI	Scotland	Northern Ireland	UK
NHS1: I received sufficient preparatory information prior to my placement	81%	77%	N/A	80%	N/A
NHS2: I was allocated placement (s) suitable to my course	93%	91%	N/A	94%	N/A
NHS3: I received appropriate supervision on placements	88%	86%	N/A	89%	N/A
NHS4: I was given opportunities to meet my required practice learning outcomes/ competencies	94%	91%	N/A	92%	N/A
NHS5: My contribution during placement (s) as part of the clinical team was valued	92%	90%	N/A	92%	N/A
NHS6: My practice supervisor (s) understand how my placement (s) related to the broader requirements of my course	90%	86%	N/A	88%	N/A
NHS practice placements (Q 25-30) as a category	89%	87%	N/A	89%	87%

Previous year for Comparison:

Welsh HEI by Question (2013)	Country by NHS Question (2013)				
Question Number	Wales Taught HEI	England Taught HEI	Scotland	Northern Ireland	UK
NHS1: I received sufficient preparatory information prior to my placement	80%	76%	71%	83%	N/A
NHS2: I was allocated placement (s) suitable to my course	92%	91%	100%	94%	N/A
NHS3: I received appropriate supervision on placements	89%	85%	92%	89%	N/A
NHS4: I was given opportunities to meet my required practice learning outcomes/ competencies	93%	90%	96%	93%	N/A
NHS5: My contribution during placement (s) as part of the clinical team was valued	93%	89%	88%	93%	N/A
NHS6: My practice supervisor (s) understand how my placement (s) related to the broader requirements of my course	91%	85%	92%	92%	N/A
NHS practice placements (Q 25-30) as a category	90%	86%	90%	91%	86%