



Manchester Mammography Associate Apprenticeship Level 4

The mammography associate apprenticeship is now being delivered at the Nightingale Centre, Manchester, one of England's leading breast units in one of the largest acute Trusts in the UK.

Mammography Associates

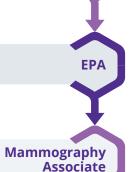
Mammography Associates (MA) work within the NHS Breast Screening Programme (NHSBSP) and symptomatic services undertaking routine two-view mammography, producing images of consistently high quality to meet rigorous NHSBSP standards.

The MA apprenticeship Programme being delivered by Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust



- Apprentice and their mentor attend an online session
- Session will provide information on the apprenticeship and outline requirements and expectations of the apprentice, mentor and learning provider
- Apprentice will complete an online initial assessment for English and maths
- Apprentices will participate in 3 days' face to face classroom based learning here in Manchester with a fourth day based online.
- Areas of study will include: clinical mammography, mammography science, professional practice, quality assurance, communication and team working, and health and safety
- Please note: All apprenticeships require a minimum of 20% off-the-joblearning.

 This will be supported by an online learning hub and seven study sessions (three face to face & four online)
- Clinical Training will predominantly be employer led for the duration of the apprenticeship.
- 2-day clinical placement at The Nightingale Centre within the first few months of the apprenticeship, followed by a 1-day clinical placement half way through the apprenticeship.
- Minimum of 500 mammograms performed
- Level 2 English and maths achieved
- Employer, mentor and apprentice agreement that apprentice is ready for EPA



Gateway

- Multiple-Choice Question Exam
- Discussion underpinned by a clinical portfolio
- Institute of Apprenticeships Level 4 Certificate

Funding for the apprenticeship is available via the apprenticeship levy.

Please contact NBIA at breastacademy@mft.nhs.uk for more details.

