

In the Spotlight



Name:

Chelsea

JOB TITLE:

**HEALTHCARE SUPPORT
WORKER,
MATERNITY,
THE GRANGE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL**

Experience:

3.5 years as a Healthcare Support Worker

Speciality:

Working on the labour ward

Skills:

- Pre-clarking (taking bloods, obs, etc)
- Assist the doctors with suturing
- Running in theatre
- Measuring blood loss
- Assist with breastfeeding / feeding babies.

Typical shift:

It can vary a lot.
I could be on theatre, so I'd be doing a lot of the theatre lists.
I could be 'on the shop floor' – cleaning rooms, assisting Midwives, helping with feeding babies.
Or, I could be assisting if anyone was bleeding.

"I love helping women through one of the happiest times of their life. Being able to be there with them I think is quite a privilege."