Student Nurses who meet the following criteria would be able to access one week's (5 days) experience with the Ambulance service from 1st September 2012:

**CRITERIA**

- Student Nurse is in third year/stage of their pre-registration Nursing programme.
- The student has been allocated to an identified A&E or MIU (see below) as their base placement by the Allocation team at the University and the placement profile is published on the website; [www.healthcareplacements.co.uk](http://www.healthcareplacements.co.uk)
- The Placement form must be submitted to the YAS Practice Placement Coordinator (PPC) at least 4 weeks prior to the agreed placements
- The Student will provide clear learning objectives for the personnel with support from their Personal Supervisor.
- The placement form has been signed by the student’s personal supervisor and learning outcomes discussed so the paramedic team have an indication of what the student will require

The PPC will identify the appropriate station for the student to be allocated to and the student will receive a letter with details of where to attend, appropriate personnel to contact and time of first meeting. If the student is unable to attend they must inform the Paramedic Placement and University prior to the agreed time of arrival and ensure they contact their base placement to inform them of their absence from the placement.

The profiles for the Ambulance service station will be on the PPQA but the teams will be audited jointly with the main audit being with York Ambulance Service. The Lead for Paramedics for the North Yorkshire PLF team or representative agreed by the team will attend the audit with the PPC.

_The students will not be travelling in the helicopters during this placement._

Students who are allocated to the following placements should contact their Personal supervisor to complete the placement form which is available on both the Student and Mentor website (www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences)

**PPQA Placement profiles:**

- York Hospital Emergency dept
- Scarborough Hospital A&E Dept
- Castle Health Centre, Scarborough/MIU
- Harrogate Hospital A&E dept
- Friarage Hospital: A&E dept
- Selby: MIU
- Whitby :MIU
- Malton :MIU
- Ripon: MIU

For CPD – must be linked to a recognised Department of Health Sciences programme, University of York. Same process for applying. 1 day experience.