

# Health and social care workers in UK

**5%** of nurses

**9%** of doctors

**16%** of dentists

**5%** of allied health professionals

**EEA**  
**nationals**  
**in social**  
**care grew**  
**by 30,600**  
from 2011  
to 2016 in  
the UK

Northern  
Ireland  
**+206%**

Scotland  
**+61%**

England  
**+66%**

Wales  
**+56%**

# Brexit and nurses



England alone may have an additional shortage of 2,700 nurses in the short run.

With an additional shortfall of up to 10,000 nurses by 2021.

# UK applications to study nursing



# UK applications to read medicine

