**Gender in the NHS**

% of England’s working population who are...

- Men: 53%
- Women: 47%

% of NHS workforce who are...

- Men: 23%
- Women: 77%

% of male staff are doctors and dentists: 22%

% of female staff are doctors and dentists: 6%

47% of very senior manager roles in the NHS are held by women

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The % of all **Agenda for Change staff** who are...

- **Bands 8a-9** who are...
  - 31% men, 69% women

- **Bands 1-4** who are...
  - 20% men, 80% women

- **Bands 5-7** who are...
  - 18% men, 82% women

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The % of all **medical & dental staff** who are...

- % of consultants who are...
  - 63% men, 37% women

- % of other medical & dental staff who are...
  - 52% men, 48% women

- % of GPs who are...
  - 46% men, 54% women

- % of doctors in training who are...
  - 47% men, 53% women

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Source:
2. NHS Digital, Hospital and Community Health Services (HCHS) workforce statistics: Equity and Diversity in NHS Trusts and CCGs in England, September 2018 - Experimental Statistics. Gender - Source Data
3. NHS Digital, Hospital and Community Health Services (HCHS) workforce statistics: Gender by grade in NHS Support Organisations and Central Bodies in England, September 2018, headcount. Gender by grade

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