

Healthcare Science Career of the Week



Clinical Photographer

Area of HCS: Clinical Engineering & Medical Physics

Pay scale: Band 4-6 £18k-£35k

AMAZING FACT

In a day a clinical photographer could take pictures of dead bodies, surgery wounds, bones or skin conditions to name a few!

Want the 'pic' of the jobs? Well this one is for you! Normally based in an illustration department these guys work closely with doctors and other medical staff. Although sometimes based in a hospital's clinical engineering department, from A&E to Operating Theatres. They'll take pictures of patients before and after surgery, of specific injuries, or of symptoms so doctors can record the progression of the disease and success of the treatment.

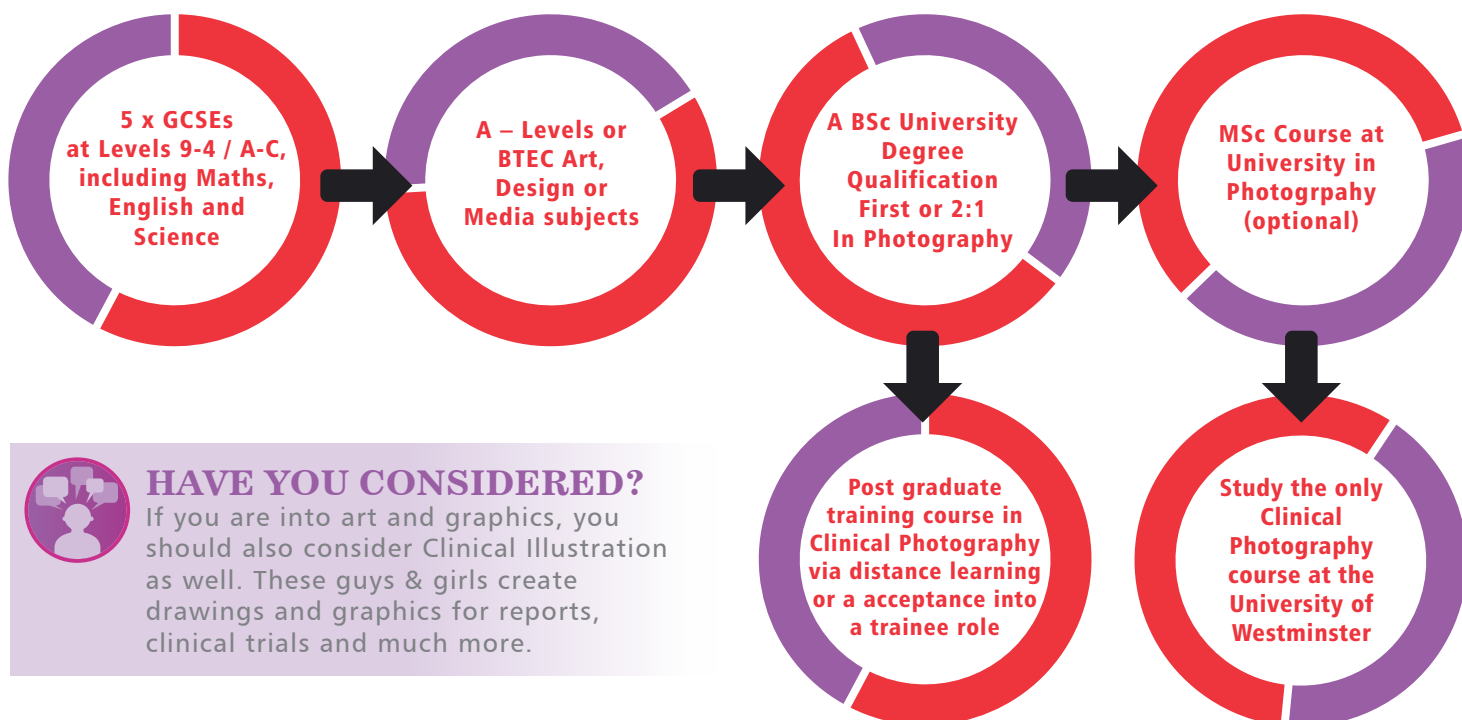
Although the role is predominantly to help future learning with giving visual aids of treatments of illnesses, you can actually be working one on one with patients to produce images that will be used in the diagnosis of a patient and for planning treatment.



VIDEO

Medical Mavericks visited a Clinical Photography department to find out more about what this department does. You can see what they do by checking out the additional resources and watching the video we made about them. Go to www.medicalmavericks.co.uk/book

What to do to get into this career...



HAVE YOU CONSIDERED?

If you are into art and graphics, you should also consider Clinical Illustration as well. These guys & girls create drawings and graphics for reports, clinical trials and much more.



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