HEIW (previously Wales Deanery) are delighted to welcome applications for clinical leadership fellows next year.

This exciting, unique one year opportunity has been successfully running since 2013. The culture of leadership is changing in the modern NHS, with more emphasis on leadership and management training in undergraduate/postgraduate studies. The future of healthcare depends on credible clinical leaders. If you want to find out more, keep reading...

What is it? What will I be doing?
Your year will be packed full of opportunities, but here are some of the highlights:

- **Practical experience** being part of a team in Wales e.g. Public Health Wales, NHS Wales Informatics Service, HEIW and various Health Boards
- **Chance to develop** your leadership behaviours and interpersonal skills
- **Build fantastic networks** and meet influential senior clinical leaders in Welsh Government and other organisations
- **Gain knowledge** of the wider picture of the NHS and attend relevant national/international conferences
- **Leading on a healthcare project** within your organisation. You can look at the project proposals [here](#). You will be supported by a senior leader in your organisation.
- **Medical Leadership Programme** – your practical experience will be complemented by an educational programme
- Involvement with **Faculty of Medical Leadership and Management** – establish links with like-minded trainees across the UK

When do I apply? 7th to 29th November 2018 – not late applications will be accepted.
How do I apply? Via [Oriel](#). Interviews will be held on 18th January 2019.
What is the post called? Welsh Clinical Leadership Training Fellowship (WCLTF)

Who can apply?
- ST3 equivalent or above at Aug 2019 (i.e. completed core training)
- GPST2 or above
- Dental Core Training Year 2 or above
- Must also be eligible to take a year out of training ([please see for further information](#)) and will have to obtain written confirmation of support from their Training Programme Director or GP Education group.
- Applications from those wishing to work on a LTFT basis are welcomed.

When is the post for? All posts are for one-year fixed term and commence in August/September 2019

Where would I be working? You will be working within an organisation in Wales – so either based in their office or within a health board, depending on which project you choose

Can I still do clinical work? Yes, there is still the option to undertake clinical work up to 20% of your time, e.g. one day per week

Do I need to be a ‘leader’ already? No. Just have an interest in clinical leadership, with the right attitude to learning, developing and getting the most out of your year

Find out more about this exciting opportunity by
- Contacting Dr Ian Collings, Interim Deputy Dean, HEIW [ian.collings@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:ian.collings@wales.nhs.uk)
- Contacting Miss Lisa Bassett, QIST manager, HEIW, [lisa.bassett3@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:lisa.bassett3@wales.nhs.uk)
- Read about the current fellows [here](#) and contact them to find out what they’re up to this year

Good luck with your application!