

Resuscitation Practitioner

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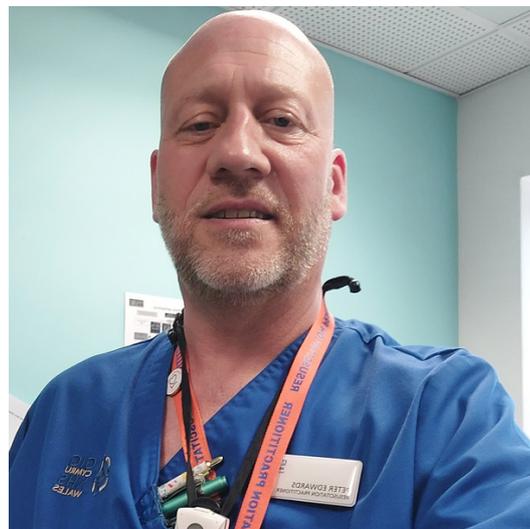
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I am responsible for teaching all resuscitation courses from basic to advance levels, to all staff within the health board from clerical roles to consultants. I have clinical responsibility for all resuscitation calls that are put out whilst on duty, covering all hospitals within the health board.



I am the specialist point of contact and subject matter expert on all resuscitation matters, such as policy, procedures and equipment. We collate information on all emergency calls to audit and act upon these. We implement and audit all resuscitation equipment and also have overall responsibility for one specific hospital in the health board for all resuscitation matters.

The job is incredibly rewarding and very varied with every day being completely different in a different location. The job carries a great deal of responsibility, it's challenging and rewarding in equal measures.

I have been in the medical profession for 41 years having trained in the Army medical services as an Operating Theatre Technician and Combat Medical Technician. And prior to taking up this role I was working as an Anaesthetic Practitioner.

I have a huge sense of pride for the NHS and despite current pressures it's a first-class service.



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