



Benefiting Harlow

Over the past four years we have established strong and lasting links across Harlow. PHE Harlow will provide a **range of benefits** in **employment** and **training**, as well as **investment** in the local economy.

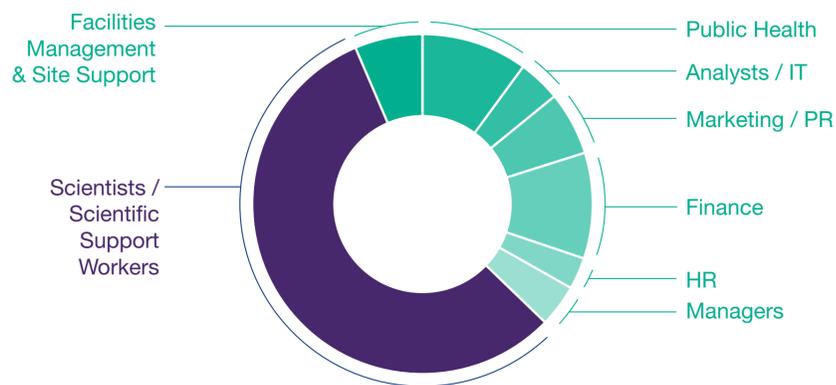
Roles at Harlow

Co-locating most of Public Health England's science functions on one site will result in an estimated 2,450 roles moving to Harlow.

Whilst we anticipate a proportion of PHE staff will move from existing sites at Porton and Colindale, as well as the London-based national functions and headquarters, PHE will actively look to recruit locally where vacancies open.

Did You Know?

Many different types of scientist work in PHE - not all of them in laboratories.



Scientific roles

- › Biomedical Scientist/Clinical Scientist
- › Medical Virologist and Medical Bacteriologist
- › Research scientist
- › Epidemiologist
- › Bioinformatician
- › Geneticist
- › Mathematicians, Modellers and Software Developers
- › Engineers
- › Scientific Support Workers

Other roles

- › **Public Health workers** – those working on health promotion and protection strategies, policies and campaigns.
- › **Marketing and PR professionals**
- › **Corporate functions** including finance/accounts, HR, legal, communications and health and safety.
- › **Facilities/support staff** including receptionists, catering assistants, gardeners, security, cleaners, warehouse/stores assistants and porters.

Training and apprenticeships

PHE is committed to providing opportunities for local people to take advantage of. To date we have:

- Signed memorandums with the Anglia Ruskin, Hertfordshire and Essex universities, as well as Harlow College to explore opportunities for mutual benefit.
- Provided work experience and introductions to science activities for hundreds of school children.
- Opened a Construction Skills Centre to equip local people with the skills they need to be ready to work.

We are also targeting:

- 2.3% of PHE's directly employed staff to be apprentices, equating to 55-60 new apprentices every year
- 90 employment opportunities created by the three main construction contractors for graduates and apprentices
- 750 training days to be provided during construction
- 1,000 students to be reached through engagement and have use of on-site training
- Estimated 10,000 jobs in the construction supply chain

PHE is committed to being a big part of Harlow's future. We are working with Harlow Council and other partners to ensure the benefits from our presence are maximised and add to the town's status as a place for cutting-edge science and research.

Thanks to an extensive range of engagement and outreach activities, connections with the community are stronger than ever.

