

Celebrating the NHS

NHS stands for **N**ational **H**ealth **S**ervice. It began in 1948 and helps people when they are hurt or unwell.

People in the NHS

Many people work for the NHS. There are lots of jobs in the NHS. They are all needed to make sure that people are well.



Doctor

Paramedic

Dentist

Nurse

Midwife

Cleaner

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People in the UK wanted to thank the NHS workers for all that they do. They have been celebrating in lots of ways:



People stand outside their homes to clap for the NHS.

Children have put rainbow pictures up in their windows.

Some people have even raised money for the NHS.

Questions

1. What do the letters NHS stand for? Tick one.

- ☐ National Health Service
- ☐ National Help Service
- ☐ National Help and Support

2. When did the NHS begin? Tick one.

- ☐ 1940
- ☐ 1948
- ☐ 1952

3. Who works for the NHS? Tick one.

- ☐ teacher
- ☐ farmer
- ☐ cleaner

4. What have children put in their windows? Tick one.

- ☐ cats
- ☐ rainbows
- ☐ cars

5. How have people been celebrating? Tick one.

- ☐ clapping
- ☐ flying
- ☐ eating