

Guidance on placement travel times

Students from Oxford Brookes University are accommodated across a wide geographical area in order to provide sufficiently diverse placements. The spread of placements is dependent upon programme, contractual arrangements with placement providers/practice learning partners, as well as current placement availability. The possible range of placements and their spread is made explicit to students in application packs, on open and visit days, at interview, on practice education web pages and at programme induction.

Students are responsible for ensuring that they arrive at placement in good time allowing sufficient travel time.

Travel time to placements will vary and typically may be up to 1.5 hours.

Long journey times that exceed the above may impact upon student and patient safety and are to be avoided, (for example, seeking an alternative place to stay near placement).

N.B.

For Oxford nursing students and paramedic students who have a term time address outside of Oxfordshire, the journey time to placement will be calculated from Marston Road campus/Oxford train station as appropriate to the journey required.

For Swindon Nursing Students who have a term time address outside of Swindon, the journey time to placement will be calculated from the Swindon campus/Swindon train station as appropriate to the journey required.

For ODP students please refer to Programme specific information.