

# A Day in the Life of.....

Meet Tony Hayward  
Senior Radiographer



**My job is about performing xray examinations on patients from every part of the Hospital.**

**My job is split; in Xray I undertake examinations for patients from A&E, clinics and use portable kit on the wards. We also work in Theatres eg bladder stent positioning and also with the Pain Clinic for spinal pain relief; in Nuclear Medicine we undertake a large number of cardiac stress tests. Providing a 24 hour service with over 200 patients per day can be quite a challenge - as a senior I am responsible for ensuring that our staffing levels are adequate and for advising radiographers on adaptive techniques to get the best possible image. We also have to be aware of legal and the risk/benefits of xrays, and are responsible for suggesting alternative modes of imaging where appropriate.**

**The best thing about working here? The people - I wouldn't travel a 76 mile round trip each day otherwise.**