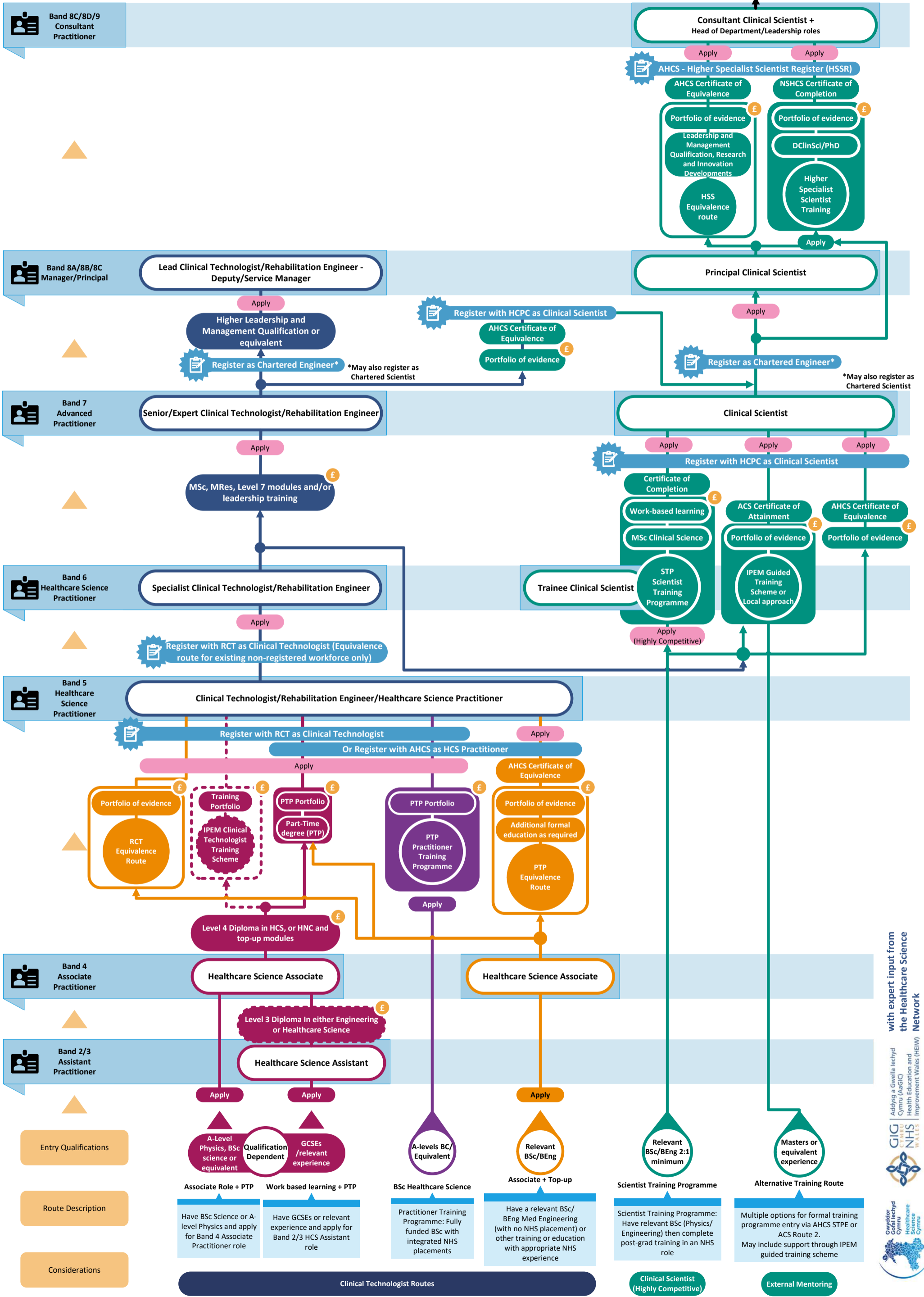


Clinical Engineering Careers in NHS Wales

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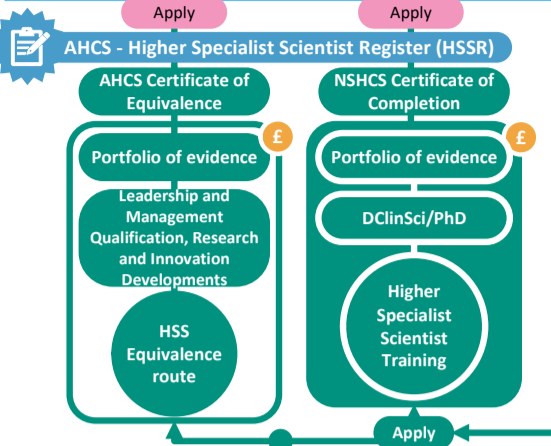
NHS Role **Registration** **Funding available** **Not available in all areas/cases**

Career pathway continues on to Assistant/Deputy/Executive Director of AHP and Health Science



Band 8C/8D/9
Consultant
Practitioner

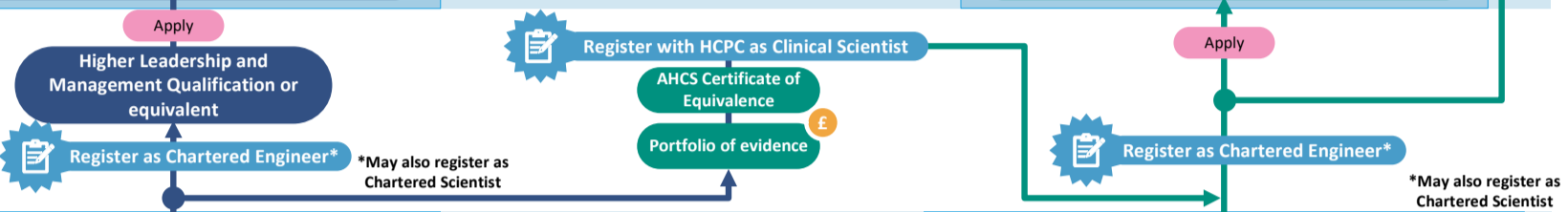
Consultant Clinical Scientist +
Head of Department/Leadership roles



Band 8A/8B/8C
Manager/Principal

Lead Clinical Technologist/Rehabilitation Engineer -
Deputy/Service Manager

Principal Clinical Scientist



Band 7
Advanced Practitioner

Senior/Expert Clinical Technologist/Rehabilitation Engineer

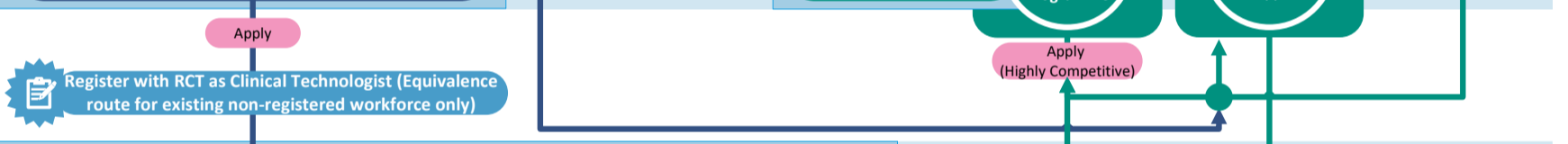
Clinical Scientist



Band 6
Healthcare Science Practitioner

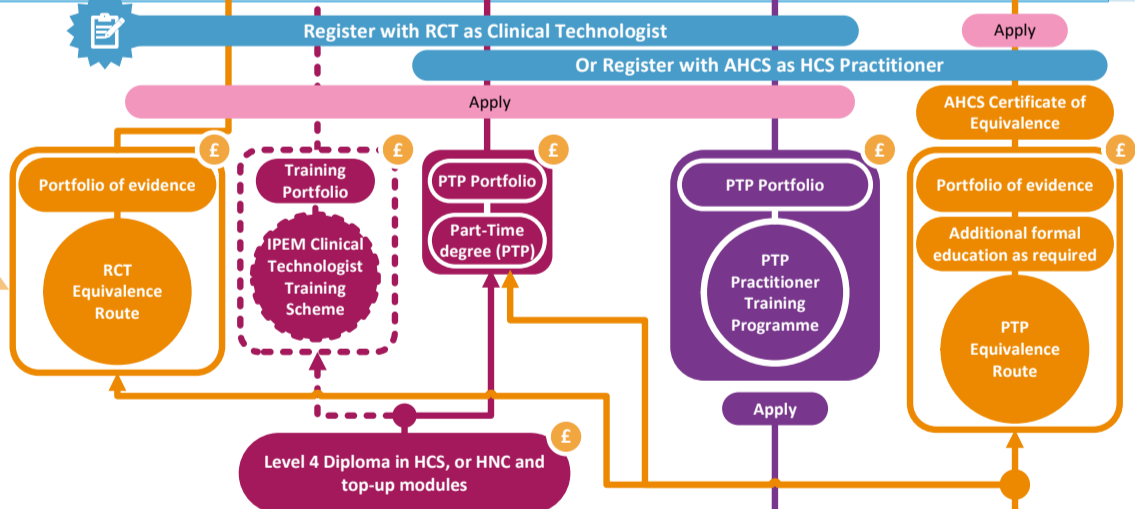
Specialist Clinical Technologist/Rehabilitation Engineer

Trainee Clinical Scientist



Band 5
Healthcare Science Practitioner

Clinical Technologist/Rehabilitation Engineer/Healthcare Science Practitioner



Band 4
Associate Practitioner

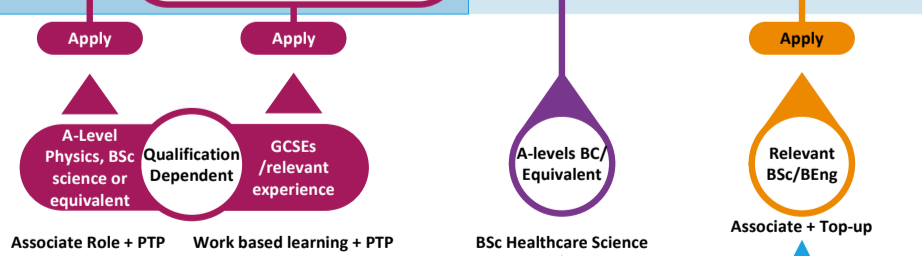
Healthcare Science Associate

Healthcare Science Associate

Level 3 Diploma In either Engineering or Healthcare Science

Band 2/3
Assistant Practitioner

Healthcare Science Assistant



Associate Role + PTP

Work based learning + PTP

Have BSc Science or A-level Physics and apply for Band 4 Associate Practitioner role

Have GCSEs or relevant experience and apply for Band 2/3 HCS Assistant role

BSc Healthcare Science

Practitioner Training Programme: Fully funded BSc with integrated NHS placements

Associate + Top-up

Have a relevant BSc/ BEng Med Engineering (with no NHS placement) or other training or education with appropriate NHS experience

Scientist Training Programme

Scientist Training Programme: Have relevant BSc (Physics/ Engineering) then complete post-grad training in an NHS role

Alternative Training Route

Multiple options for formal training programme entry via AHCS STPE or ACS Route 2. May include support through IPEM guided training scheme

Clinical Technologist Routes

Clinical Scientist (Highly Competitive)

External Mentoring

with expert input from the Healthcare Science Network

GIG Cymru (AaGIC) Health Education and Improvement Wales (HEIW)

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