

Release date

19 August 2021

Number	Name	Description	Benefit/Value
1	New status for closed job adverts	We've added a new status called 'No applications received'. This status will show when a job advert closes, and no one applied for the job. The employer can reuse the listing or remove it.	The new status and clearer content will inform what users can do with the job listing, ensuring their dashboard can be managed easily.
2	Character count functionality	There's a new character count tool on the job description and job overview pages. The text boxes on these pages now have a character counter. The character count will decrease when characters are typed into the text box and increase when deleted. We've also made the content and guidance on these pages clearer.	Allows the user to view how many characters they have remaining when entering information into the text boxes.
3	Right to work status	We've added a new column to a page in the offer journey. The new column displays the applicant's immigration status.	Employers will have the relevant right to work information available before making an offer, to ensure they prepare to speak to the applicant about what is needed for their pre-employment checks.
4	Group internal	The group internal option will pass to the current NHS Jobs service via the API. Employers will need to follow the current NHS Jobs service process for requesting the group internal link from TotalJobs. This will allow staff from the relevant employers to view all group internal job listings. The new service will provide the URL when the current service is switched off.	Employers can use the 'Group internal' option to advertise jobs with a wider set of staff within the group internal pool.
5	Accessibility improvements	We've addressed some more accessibility issues in the service.	We're making sure we follow the Government Digital Service standards. We're also making sure we meet the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines.
6	Bug fixes	We've made several bug fixes to improve the system performance.	

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