

WGU Nursing Patch Placement

The WGU nursing patch should be attached to the upper-left arm of the top of the uniform. Iron the WGU nursing patch on the left shoulder of the scrub top and/or secure with the same color thread as the border. Patch should be 3" down from the shoulder seam of the scrub top or jacket and centered from left to right. If a white coat is worn over the scrub top, a patch should be on each item of clothing.

How to Apply Heat Seal Patches

Keep in mind we recommend attaching your heat seal patches with a heat press machine, but they can be applied with a handheld iron as well if necessary. Be sure to test your garment to ensure that the high temperatures created by the heat press machine or iron will not damage the fabric. If your garment is made of certain materials and is exposed to very high temperatures for too long, it can result in a distorted patch or burned fabric.

To apply your heat seal patches with an iron, simply follow these steps:

1. Set your household iron to the highest setting (typically Cotton)
2. Adjust your garment so it is flat on an ironing board
3. Lay a piece of cloth on top of your garment to protect it and prevent burning
4. Start by pressing the iron onto your garment to preheat the area. Hold firmly for approximately 10 seconds
5. Carefully place your heat seal patch in the desired location
6. Lay the piece of cloth over your patch so you don't burn it and press as firmly as you can for another 60 seconds
7. Repeat the ironing process again to ensure the glue has adhered to the garment
8. Repeat the process listed above to the under side of your garment making sure to cover with the cloth as instructed
9. Let your garment sit undisturbed until the glue has time to cool and fasten

