

TK's pumped when a campaign he's been backing for a drive for more nurses gets the go ahead. Madonna welcomes the news - the last few months have been difficult with staffing shortages. TK sympathises - he's keen to change this and instructs Madonna to pick a nurse to front the TV campaign. After a bit of consideration, Madonna recommends Cece audition to be the poster girl. Cece is initially a little daunted but TK endorses her and she decides to put herself forward. After this, Cece and TK hit a difficult spot in their relationship, when TK's affair becomes public knowledge. When Cece gets the news that she has been selected to front the campaign she balks, no longer feeling strong enough to put herself in the public eye. **She thinks that Louis would've been a great frontman for the campaign considering the particular lack of male nurses and wishes he were still here.** However, Madonna manages to persuade her that she should do this for herself and Cece goes ahead.

Alongside this, Steph, Curtis' undercover ex has reappeared in Esther's life. Steph has extricated herself from the Iron Dogs gang and is determined to help others do the same. However, her enthusiasm for 'saving' other people from the gang world lands her in trouble and she ends up on Esther's doorstep with a young woman she has tried to help, but who needs medical attention. Esther helps Steph patch up the victim of the gang, and sees a new side of the fiery Steph - her passion and tough love approach soothes the victim. Aware Steph is a little frustrated at how best to help people, Esther encourages Steph to put her passion into a more formal setting and apply to be a nurse. Steph's reluctant at first, believing nursing to be for people unlike herself, but Esther assures Steph she's the perfect candidate and Steph applies...