

CONSULTANT PSYCHIATRIST Rehabilitation and Recovery Mental Health Services

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Job Title: CONSULTANT							
Criterion			How Tested				
Qualifications	Essential ✓	Desirable ✓	Application ✓	Interview ✓	Presentation ✓		
Registered with the GMC	√ 		✓				
Licensed to practice	~		✓	√			
On Specialist Register with GMC as a Consultant Psychiatrist	~		✓				
or eligible for CCT within 6 months of date of interview and have passed exit exam							
or a statement of eligibility for registration issued by PMETB							
or a primary medical qualification and recognized specialist qualification from a European Member State which will allow							
direct entry to the GMC Specialist Register Further relevant degree/diploma		✓	✓				
Teaching qualification/Higher qualification in medical education		~	√				
Experience							
Evidence of an ability to develop effective working relationships, on an individual and multi-disciplinary basis with all levels of staff ("Working Together")	~		~	~			
Evidence of working with management and clinical colleagues to improve a service ("Always Improving")	~	~	~	~			
Values partnership with other agencies ("Working Together")	~	~		✓			
Development and commissioning of Rehabilitation and Recovery services (what specific experience do you require of the post?)	~	✓	√	✓			



Evidence of teaching and training of	v		Ŷ	v	
post/undergraduate clinical staff					
Evidence of initiating, progressing and	\checkmark		✓	✓	
completing audit					
Experience of research in psychiarty	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Experience of e.g. psychological therapy	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	~	
Skills & Abilities					
Effective leadership; ability to take	\checkmark		✓	 ✓ 	\checkmark
responsibility and demonstrate leadership					
when appropriate					
Understands the importance of effective	\checkmark			✓	\checkmark
Team Working with all levels of staff, take					
time to listen, understand and involve					
people; receptive to appropriate change					
("Working Together")					
Understands and can apply the principles	•			•	¥
of Prudent Healthcare					
("Caring for each other")					
Excellent interpersonal skills – ability to	V		V	√	v
communicate effectively (written and					
verbal) with patients, colleagues, relatives					
and staff; communicate openly and					
honestly and explain things clearly					
("Caring for each other")					
Demonstrates learning in Improvement		\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark
science and methodology, ability and					
drive to use information and experience					
to improve the service					
("Always Improving")					
Understands information systems and	\checkmark			\checkmark	
technology (IT)					
Clinical Skills	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	✓	
Section 12 approval					
Personal Attributes					
Flexible and adaptable to competing	✓		\checkmark		
demands with the ability to work					
effectively under pressure and cope with					
setbacks					
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Ability to undertake on-call	•	•		•	
A commitment to continuous	\checkmark			\checkmark	
improvement, with a positive attitude,					
seeks out learning, and continually					
develops skills and the service ("Always					
Improving")					
Enthusiasm to take a lead role in clinical	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
development					
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Empathy and sensitivity: ability to listen,	√		
understand and involve people; see			
people as individuals			

