

Person Specification / Interview Score Sheet

Job Title: Staff Nurse

Accountable to: Ward Sister / Charge Nurse

Criteria	Essential Criteria	Desirable Criteria	Mgmt Score	Essential HI*	Desirable HI*
Qualifications	 NMC Registered Nurse Advanced Diploma/Degree in Adult Health Nursing Studies 				
Experience	 Experience of caring for patients with acute and long term conditions 				
Technical Skills Competencies	 Basic IT skills Demonstrable ability with vital signs monitoring equipment and ability to recognise the deteriorating patient Working towards non-IV and IV medication administration including administration of blood products. Able to check charts or calculate drug dosages for infusions requiring frequent concentration 				
Knowledge	 Ability to demonstrate fundamental nursing knowledge and practice skills 				
Other requirements specific to the role	 Adaptive to unpredictable workloads Ability to travel within the geographical areas as required by the service/requirements of the post 	Ability to work under pressure and with frequent interruptions			

Personal Attributes	 Flexible approach to the needs of the service Ability to demonstrate compassion Effective communication using a variety of methods. Ability to communicate sensitive and complex information to patients, carers and significant others. Able to work unsupervised and on own initiative Able to integrate and work within the MDT 	 Organisation and planning skills Prioritisation skills Time management skills 		
Language requirement	Be able to speak English as necessary to undertake the role	Total Score		

Scoring Key:		*HI – How Identified		
1	Does not meet criteria		Α	Application form
2	Below requirement (serious shortcomings)		I	Interview
3	Acceptable level of competence (some shortcomings in performance)		Т	Test
4	Acceptable level of competence (quality evidence provided)	1	Ρ	Presentation
5	Exceptional standard			