## Whittington Health MHS

## **Person Specification**

Post:	Senior staff nurse Critical care	Grade:		6	
Department	Critical care unit surgical division	Candidat Name			Notes
Attribute		Essential	Desirable	How Assessed	
Education / Qualifications	<ul> <li>Registered Nurse</li> <li>On going professional development</li> <li>Critical Care academic qualification to at least diploma level</li> <li>Teaching qualification</li> </ul>	X X X	x		
Skills & Abilities	<ul> <li>Knowledge and skills in the management of critically ill patients</li> <li>Ability to communicate effectively with all staff and relatives</li> <li>Ability to prioritise workload</li> <li>Ability to work as part of a multi- disciplinary team <ul> <li>Good verbal and written communication skills</li> </ul> </li> <li>Rotate on to days and night duty</li> <li>Experience of utilising evidence based practice</li> <li>Take responsibility for developing junior staff with the assistance of mentor</li> <li>Contribute to the learning environment</li> <li>Demonstrate understanding of the role of supporting the shift co-ordinator</li> </ul>	X			

	<ul> <li>Is a positive role model</li> <li>Promote teamwork and motivate colleagues</li> <li>Must have minimum of 18 months in this speciality within the past 2 years</li> </ul>	Х		
Knowledge & Experience				
PERSONAL QUALITIES	<ul> <li>Flexible approach to work to meet the changing needs of the NHS</li> <li>Friendly disposition with a 'can do' approach</li> <li>Knowledge of E grade role <ul> <li>Genuine interest in speciality applied for</li> <li>must have good attendance record</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	x		
Other	Essence of Care and Clinical Governance - Basic computer skills	Х		

Completed by: .....

Date:....

Offer post Yes/ No

Comments .....