PERSON SPECIFICATION



OUR VISION: 'TO BE THE LEADING HEALTH AND WELLBEING SERVICE IN THE PROVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH AND COMMUNITY CARE'

Job/Position Title:	SDFS Clinical Team Manager
Department/Location:	Nominal Base Harlow but required to work at other Trust locations as requested in
	response to the demands of the service.
Grade/Band:	7

Criteria for Selection	Essential	Desirable	Measurement
			Application Form - AF
			Interview - IN
			Assessment – AS
Education/Qualifications	Registration Mental Health Nurse RMN Part 3	Non-medical prescribing qualification	
	Post graduate qualification degree or extensive experience of community mental	Master's degree or willingness to undertake this	
	health nursing Mentorship Preparation	Able to deliver from a range of possible key therapeutic interventions	
	Meet the requirements for revalidation as set out by the NMC	including CBT, Psychosocial interventions, Family Interventions, DBT approaches	
	High standard of education		

	Good written and spoken English	
	Highly specialist knowledge developed and supported by theory and experience	
Knowledge	Ability to supervise and conduct highly complex assessments and review of care in line with the requirements of the mental health care clusters	
	Knowledge of working with external agencies to support the service user group	
	Provide clinical leadership to support the team to meet their key performance indicators and contractual targets	
	Provide clinical leadership in the continuing development of a high quality service underpinned by	

evidence based	
practice	
Experience in the	
Performance	
Management and	
supervision of	
lower banded staff	
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Experience of	
using an electronic	
information system	
Experience of and	
participation in	
audit and research	
Experience,	
knowledge and	
understanding of	
health legislation,	
principles of CPA	
and Care	
Management,	
Mental Capacity	
Act, Mental Health	
Act 1983 and	
safeguarding, the	
NHS Constitution,	
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and risk	
assessment /	
management	
Experience and	
Experience and	
knowledge of	
current best	
practice and	
models within	
mental health	
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Understanding of	
the nature of	

	mental health conditions and how they can affect people's day to day life and impact upon recovery The ability to devise comprehensive care plans that incorporate effective, individualised and evidence-based therapy interventions Knowledge of the physical health needs of service users and monitoring of same Commitment to ongoing learning through CPD for self and others within operational area		
Skills/Experience	Literate in IT/Computer Skills - Word/Excel, PowerPoint and Outlook Good oral communication skills based on fluency on the English language	Provide clinical expertise and support to the Commissioning Panels (Health & Social Care)	AF/AS

Proven experience of working in a health / social care or community setting as part of a multi-disciplinary team Experience of working with, supervising lower banded staff of various disciplines. Managing the care of service users with highly complex needs Act as a care coordinator in highly complex cases within last 2 years. Experience of dealing with confidential and sensitive information Provide clinical leadership to lower banded staff in medicines management in line with NMC Standards and Trust policies and procedures Manage and coordinate multidisciplinary meetings i.e. referral / review / business / handover Demonstrate an understanding of the recovery principles Conduct specialist (including risk) assessments for service users / in the service user environment Extensive proven experience of working with service users with mental health conditions Experience of managing and coordinating Multidisciplinary meetings i.e. referral / review / business / handover Ability to work with the Clinical Manager in the development and implementation of operational / Trust policies

Lead / assist with the recruitment process of other clinical staff as required, supported by the Clinical Manager Deliver training to colleagues and lower banded staff Undertake physical health checks of services users and act on the findings Demonstrate an understanding of the Trust Core Values Understand the need for compassion in working with colleagues, servicer users and families Support families and carers within the boundaries of their role and NMC professional code of conduct The ability to deal effectively with multiple priorities whilst working

under pressure and meet deadlines as required Take on the role of lead practitioner	
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l lead practitioner	
Self-motivated with	
a desire to	
contribute to the	
ongoing service	
development, service reviews	
and research	
Able to	
demonstrate a	
level of flexibility,	
innovation and	
creativity in the	
working environment	
Ability to motivate	
people	
Prioritise own work	
load and give	
support to other	
staff in relation to	
priorities when required	
required	
Experience in risk	
assessment of	
service users	
The ability to	
practice effectively	
and flexibly as a	
senior practitioner	

in a multi- disciplinary team	
Knowledge and understanding of the recovery principles	
Demonstrate the ability to lead, facilitate and support group work i.e. anger management, psycho education and hearing voices	
Provide and oversee annual appraisals, mentorship and supervision to nursing team members	
Promote concordance with medication and treatment regimes in line with NMC regulations and Trust policy	
Requirement to undertake or supervise carers assessments in highly complex cases	

Undertake, supervise and sign off nursing needs assessments for service users with highly complex needs Provide clinical expertise and support to the commissioning Panels (Health & Social Care) Experience of carrying out SI investigations, disciplinary and grievance procedures plus any relevant investigations Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, both written and verbal, telephone manner including liaison with outside agencies Record all service user related information on Trust electronic records system and audit the interventions recorded by lower banded staff

Lead / chair professionals meetings and reviews Report back at professional meetings / reviews on an individual / group's performance Produce reports for managers' appeal / renewal hearings and mental health review tribunals Supervise the work of nursing students and support workers Excellent organisational skills, ability to prioritise own workload and that of others Ability to adapt to change when required Contribute to or conduct SI and other investigations as required

Personal Qualities	Shares the Trust's Beliefs and models this in their attitude and behaviour: Ensures that the organisational values of open, compassionate and empowering are demonstrated by self and others every day and that any matters of concern are addressed in a timely way, either directly; or raised with the relevant Line Manager; or through the relevant processes within the Trust as appropriate. Adhere to NMC professional code of conduct		AF/IN
	Promote and demonstrate an awareness of the importance of personal, therapeutic and professional boundaries with lower banded staff		
Additional Requirements	Fitness Analysis as appropriate	Current driving licence	IN/AS
	Ability to travel across sites and		

across Trust boundaries to attend meetings, etc.
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