

Person Specification

Post:	Theatre Practitioner - Theatres	Grade:			Band 6
Department	Theatres	Candidate Name			Notes
Attribute		Essential	Desirable	How Assessed	
Education / Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RGN/RN– Diploma / Degree in Operating Department Practitioner. Proof of Registration with NMC (nurses) Mentorship and/or Preceptorship Course. Recent experience working within Theatres as a Recovery practitioner. Will have post graduate course related to Recovery nursing. Recovery Coursed. HDU Course. 	X X X X	X		
Skills & Abilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Able to work under minimum supervision. Able to work as a team member. Able to manage learners. Able to manage Junior nursing team. Good verbal and written communication skills Prioritisation skills Good IT skills 	X X X X	X		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competence on a range of skills and any additional training undertaken. • Experience in a Theatre setting. • Good knowledge of all specialties. • An understanding of Equality and Diversity within the professional Healthcare Setting. 	X X X X X			
Knowledge & Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of a range of surgical procedures • COSHH regulations • Health and Safety regulations • NMC Code of Professional Conduct • Equal Opportunities • Data Protection • Infection control regulations • Risk management • Current nursing/operating department research and developments • Evidence based practice in theatres. • The role of all practitioners in theatres • Commitment to/ evidence of Continuing Professional Development • Knowledge of audit process • Current NHS issues • Ability to prioritise and demonstrate clinical decision-making skills. 	X X X X X X X X X X X X X	 X X X X		
PERSONAL QUALITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional manner • Good communication skills with patients and colleagues of all 	X			

