Person Specification

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| Requirements | Essential | Desirable |
| Education and qualifications | BSc Degree or Postgraduate Diploma In Dietetics approved by the British Dietetic Association   Up to date registration with Health Professional Council  Membership of the British Dietetic Association | Post graduate dietetic study/training e.g. BDA approved courses/modules  Postgraduate training in specialist diabetes management and dietetics |
| Experience | Post graduate clinical experience in a specialist diabetes setting  Experience of working with a variety of clinical specialities and population groups  Development and delivery of group sessions | >2 years post graduate clinical experience in an specialist diabetes setting  Experience of research / clinical audit.  Experience as a supervisor of Dietetic staff  Experience of student training supervision |
| Skills, abilities and knowledge | Competency in provision of Dietetics in line with current best practice  Ability to prioritise own, and others, workload and work under pressure  Excellent communication skills  Ability to reflect and critically appraise own performance  Knowledge of health and social care legislation and guidelines e.g. Department of Health documents, National clinical guidelines and application to Dietetic practice.  Work in line with the professional code of conduct  Able to demonstrate multi- disciplinary team working  Clinical supervision  Evidence of working in a manner conducive to achieving departmental team goals  Portfolio of documented evidence of personal Continuing Professional Development  Competent in a range of IT systems e.g. word processing, email and internet skills | Ability to develop Dietetic resources  Dietetic management of paediatric patients |
| Personal Qualities | Chinese origin or have a good understanding of the diversity of Chinese cuisine  Self-motivated, enthusiastic, innovative  To demonstrate flexibility to meet unexpected and unusual circumstances related to providing direct patient care.  Able to demonstrate a commitment to life-long learning | Bilingual - fluent in English and Mandarin |