PERSON SPECIFICATION

Factors	Essential	Desirable	Assessment
	The essential criteria are those which the role cannot operate without.		 Application Form (App) Interview (I) Assessment (Ass)
Qualifications/ Training What should the candidate have already attained?	A registered nurse or paramedic (or equivalent), with at least two years' face-to-face clinical experience. A Minimum of three GCSE's or 'O' Level qualification, Grade C and above or the equivalent qualification including GNVQ, NVQ level 2.	Recognised leadership/management training qualification A recognised clinical audit qualification A recognised quality improvement qualification/experience	Application
Knowledge What particular knowledge should the candidate already have?	Detailed working knowledge of ambulance operational processes and clinical care. In depth knowledge of electronic and paper care records and the data they produce. Technical knowledge of data analysis, data presentation and report writing. Detailed knowledge of the Ambulance Clinical Outcome Indicators and the national audit programme. Knowledge of the audit improvement cycle and health informatics	Technical knowledge of GRS and admin systems to enable first line support to direct reports before escalation to IT support.	Application and Interview
Experience What previous type of experience should the candidate have?	Excellent understanding of the ambulance service environment through direct experience. Experience of conducting clinical audit from scoping standards, report writing, improvement activities and re-audit.	Experience as a first line supervisor, and ability to effectively manage performance related issues and provide a supportive and open environment for staff to meet their full potential.	Application and Interview
Skills What particular skills should the candidate already have?	Confident to work independently and make own clinical judgements. Effective self-management, e.g. self-starter, demonstrates ability to effectively		Application and Interview

	time manage and able to deliver against		
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	Competent in the use of various Trust information systems in order to retrieve and document complex information.		
	Competent in the analysis and presentation of quantitative and qualitative information.		
	Excellent communication and listening skills.		
	Solid report writing skills.		
	Ability to multi task and prioritise existing workloads using a methodical and systematic approach to work.		
	Ability to work within a new and developing role and take on new responsibilities, where there are opportunities for development and progression, which may be challenging due to uncertainties.		
	Demonstrates ability to be organised, innovative, supportive and decisive approach to work.		
	Excellent at forming professional working relationships with a wide variety of internal and external stakeholders.		
Personal Qualities	Able to maintain frequent and prolonged periods of concentration due to nature of work		Application and Interview
	Demonstrate a positive approach to work and continuous improvement of processes.		
Other	Able to travel between sites for work purposes.		Application and Interview
	Able to undertake further training/development as necessary.		
	A commitment to quality & personal excellence in all areas of work.		
	Ability to use reflective practice and participate in peer review.		
	A commitment to and evidence of Continuous Professional Development.		
	Patient experience and clinical care quality focused.		
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NOTE: Candidates should meet all the essential criteria if they are to be shortlisted

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