Consultant Practitioner Trainee programme: Frailty

We are recruiting to a Consultant Practitioner pathway that will develop clinical leaders to work with people who live with frailty. We are supporting one trainee through a specifically designed three year programme.

This exciting opportunity has arisen following several high profile documents and reports that demand the reshaping of the workforce and the development of clinical leaders to work with the population who access healthcare the most. The training posts will be funded by Health Education England; working across Wessex and are offered as a secondment opportunity for future potential leaders formally nominated by a provider Trust within Wessex.

The successful trainee will have the opportunity to negotiate clinical placements in a range of settings across the region. There will be opportunities for negotiated specialist experience further afield, where appropriate. The trainee’s time will be divided between delivering clinical care, the trainee’s development and a quality improvement project within each placement. The aim is to focus on development of the four domains of clinical practice, education, leadership and quality improvement, necessary for expert clinical leaders. At the end of the programme the trainee will be equipped with the skills necessary to take up a Senior Clinical leadership role. Funding is provided towards higher education (Masters or Clinical Doctorate) as an integral part of the programme. Applicants must evidence Masters level study and have contributed to guideline development, service improvement and/or clinical audit.

Mentorship will be provided by a Senior Clinician within the sponsoring Trust, with placement supervisors within the various clinical placements.

This programme is a really exciting opportunity within a growing specialism.

We seek highly motivated practitioners who are passionate about leading and advancing integrated practice development. Applicants must evidence support for their development from a professional lead within their Trust in order to link development to organisational strategic plans.

For further information or informal enquiries please contact:
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Closing date for applications: 09:00am 30 August 2016

Interview date: 14 September 2016
at Southern House, Otternbourne, Winchester
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