

GG&C Gastroenterology Consultant

Essential and Desirable Criteria

Qualifications

Essential criteria

- Entry on Specialist Register in General Medicine and Gastroenterology (or entry expected within 6 months from the date of interview)
- MRCP or equivalent
- Full GMC Registration

Desirable criteria

- A higher degree (e.g. MD or PhD)
- Experience and interest in specialised aspects of gastroenterology to complement colleagues
- Higher training in a dedicated Gastroenterology specialty training scheme.

Clinical Experience & Training

Essential criteria

- Clinical training and experience equivalent to that required for gaining entry on the General Medical Council (GMC) Specialist Register via one of the following:
 - a. Certificate of Completion of Training (CCT) (the proposed CCT date must be within 6 months of the interview)
 - b. Certificate of Eligibility for Specialist Registration (CESR)
 - c. European Community Rights
- Ability to offer expert clinical opinion in a range of problems within specialty
- Skills and independent competence in diagnostic and therapeutic upper GI endoscopy
- Ability to take full and independent responsibility for the care of patients
- Skills and independent competence in the assessment of patients requiring enteral nutritional support as well skills and competence in the endoscopic management of enteral feeding tubes including PEG, PEG-J and nasal feeding tubes (nutrition post)
- Competence in management of complex in & outpatient IBD in a multidisciplinary environment (IBD post)
- Competence in management of complex in & outpatient hepatology in a multidisciplinary environment (hepatology)

Desirable criteria

- Skills and independent competence in diagnostic and therapeutic colonoscopy

Professional and Multidisciplinary Team Working

Essential criteria

- Experience in attending MDT providing expert opinions and suggestions to colleagues from other specialties
- Ability to work effectively with colleagues and within a team

Academic Achievements, Research, Publications

Essential criteria

- Experience of conducting Clinical audit
- Interest in and willingness to develop teaching abilities and activities.

Desirable criteria

- Experience in teaching particularly of undergraduates
- Research/publications in general or specialist gastroenterology

Management and Administrative Experience

Essential criteria

- Good leadership skills, communication and interpersonal skills.

Desirable criteria

- Evidence of leadership
- Evidence of implementing change within a department /service

Personal Attributes

Essential criteria

- Ability to work under pressure, and as part of a multidisciplinary team
- Ability to work flexibly

Desirable criteria

- Collegiate work ethic
- Copes under pressure

Personal Circumstances

Essential criteria

- Ability and means to meet the travel requirements of the post
- Residence within 20 miles of base (return to base within 30 minutes if required)
- To be accessible by telephone for on call duties

