

Flyer for Drug Treatment and Testing order (DTTO) Clinical Team Post

The City of Edinburgh Council provides a Drug Treatment and Testing Order (DTTO) Service as part of the core criminal justice social work services required by the Scottish Government. This procedure is designed to ensure that a consistent, quality service in accordance with the Scottish Government's DTTO Guidance for Schemes and Community Justice Partnership and Scottish Governments policy for reducing harm caused by addiction is delivered. It is also designed to ensure that the delivery of the service is transparent, accountable and reflects the principles of Best Value.

A person placed on a DTTO is allocated a dedicated treatment team consisting of a nurse, resource worker and social worker, this multi-agency integrated approach is evidenced as best practice when providing treatment for people with addiction problems.

We are seeking enthusiastic and skilled band 5 registered mental health nurses to join a developing team. An interest in working with people with addiction problems is essential, as is excellent communication skills and an empathetic and compassionate approach. We are a service that promotes NHS Lothian values and investment in people. This is an excellent opportunity for both newly qualified and experienced nurses to gain and develop key knowledge and skills in providing a high standard of patient care and service development.