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| NHS LANARKSHIRE  PERSON SPECIFICATION  Prescribing Adviser - AHP.0010 – Band 8a | | | | |
| Criteria | Essential | | Desirable | |
| Qualifications & Training  Level of education, professional qualifications, training and learning programmes/courses | Registration with the General Pharmaceutical Council (GPhC)  Evidence of continuing professional development  A relevant postgraduate qualification (e.g. Diploma in Prescribing Science or M.Sc in Clinical Pharmacy Practice) or equivalent experience | |  | |
| Experience  Length and type of experience, level at which experience gained | Extensive post-registration experience as a pharmacist with a wide range of experience in different branches of pharmacy practice  Evidence of multidisciplinary working  Experience in provision of patient education/information | |  | |
| Knowledge  Depth and extent of knowledge | Demonstrates a good understanding of national and local priorities in the NHS  The post holder should have a working knowledge of the common computer systems used in general practice and must be able to interpret prescribing data provided by PRISMS and PIS and information provided by Information and Statistics department in Edinburgh  Good knowledge of Microsoft Office programmes is essential  Knowledge of email and internet functions | |  | |
| Skills/Abilities  Range and level of skills  i.e. communication (oral, written, presentation),  planning/organisation,  numeracy, leadership etc | Proven negotiation skills and the ability to motivate others and develop systems of work to address a variety of prescribing issues  Excellent interpersonal and networking skills with the ability to communicate effectively | |  | |
| Specific Job Requirements  Environmental conditions, unsociable hours, car driver etc |  | |  | |
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