

## **Paediatric Staff Nurse Emergency Department Person Specification**

	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE	How Tested
Professional Qualifications	<ul> <li>Registered Children's Nurse</li> <li>Current NMC registration</li> <li>Evidence of professional development</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>6 months post registration experience</li> <li>Degree in Paediatric Nursing</li> <li>Post registration Courses (Such as Paeds HDU course)</li> <li>PILS trained</li> <li>Safeguarding level 3</li> </ul>	Application
Knowledge, skills and Experience	<ul> <li>Adaptable, able to work in a demanding and busy environment</li> <li>Able to relate anatomy and physiology to clinical practice</li> <li>Able to function as part of a multi-professional team</li> <li>Excellent understanding of safeguarding</li> <li>Problem solving skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evidence of implementing innovation in practice</li> <li>Experience of looking after the critically ill/intubated child</li> <li>Demonstrates an understanding of:         Professional accountability         Evidence based practice         Reflective practice         Awareness of current developments in healthcare / Emergency         Nursing         Clinical governance relevant to Emergency Nursing     </li> <li>Willing / motivated to supervise and teach others - (mentorship / SSA mentorship)</li> </ul>	Application/interview



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	Excellent written and verbal communication skills	
Attributes	Demonstrates the 6 C's throughout their practice	Application/Interview
	Team player	
	Motivated	
	Adaptable -     Willing to embrace change	
	<ul> <li>Able to identify and act upon own personal developmental needs</li> </ul>	
	Able to motivate team	
	Shows own initiative	
	• Reliable	
	Ability to deal with stress in self and others	



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Other	<ul> <li>Able to work a full complement of shifts including nights and weekends, to enable the effective delivery of a 24/7 paediatric emergency service.</li> </ul>	Application/Interview
	The Trust does have a flexible working policy, which can be discussed at interview if required.	