

Person Specification – Registered Nurse Band

ATTRIBUTE	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
Trust Values	Demonstrable ability to meet the Trust Values	
Education & Qualifications	Registered nurse	•
Experience	 Previous experience of team work General understanding of a patient's holistic care needs Experience of care- can demonstrate you are compassionate and caring 	 Previous experience of customer care Interest or experience within a carer role/setting
Skills & Aptitudes	 Ability to provide individualised care and empathy Good organisational Skills Able to communicate effectively with patients, relatives and multi-disciplinary team Ability to work in a team Values the feelings and beliefs of others / demonstrates respect Adapts working methods to suit the patients' needs Ability to work independently under the supervision of others Able to demonstrate an awareness of the important of confidentiality/privacy and dignity 	

	 Can explain the principles of infection control Willing to develop own knowledge and practice Understands they will be required to actively seek and take part in learning opportunities 	
Professionalism	Awareness and understanding of the need to meet the Trust standards of conduct, dress code and appearance for the role	
Physical, mental and emotional Ability	 Awareness of the physical, mental and emotional effort required to support patients with their needs Has the ability to work a flexible shift pattern including nights and weekends as required by the departments 	