

Band 6 Rotational Physiotherapist

Department of Health & Social Care

We are looking for an enthusiastic and motivated individual to join our busy and friendly team in the Primary Care Division on the Isle of Man. This role provides a unique opportunity to work in a variety of settings within our beautiful Island community and the rotations within this role will allow you to further develop and acquire specialised physiotherapy skills.

We are a team who don't like to stand still and we are committed to continued service development - you could be part of our forward thinking team and help us deliver a great physiotherapy service to the people on the Isle of Man.

Responsibilities

You will:

- Work within a variety of situations and locations providing a high standard of physiotherapy for patients in various specialist areas
- Provide specialist physiotherapeutic assessment of patients to provide clinical diagnosis and determine appropriate pathways of care
- Deliver treatment programmes that are evidence based and designed to specifically address the individual needs of the patient
- Set appropriate and progressive treatment aims and objectives and agree rehabilitation goals in negotiation with the patient
- Communicate with and work effectively with other relevant healthcare professionals and agencies regarding patient progress and needs and attend multi-professional patient related meetings as required
- Participate and present in-service training programmes
- Collaborate with colleagues to ensure the provision of a quality and effective service as well as contribute to service development
- Have responsibility for the supervision and delegation of work to junior physiotherapists
- Take an active role in our on- call system

Our Values

In the Department of Health and Social Care we pride ourselves on being **committed**, **appreciative**, **respectful** and **excellent**. CARE represents what we are about, what we stand for and what we value. All our recruitment, performance management and development are based on our CARE ethos.



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Qualifications, Experience and Skills

- You will need to hold a BSc in Physiotherapy or hold a relevant recognised diploma
- Be registered with the Health Professionals Council
- Have a minimum of two years postgraduate experience as a Physiotherapist
- Have an interest and show enthusiasm for working in varied areas of physiotherapy
- Show good clinical skills and evidence of clinical reasoning
- Be a great team-player!
- Have strong communication skills
- Be organised and have the ability to prioritise and delegate workload
- Have a broad knowledge and experience in core clinical areas
- Have an understanding of clinical governance and its implications
- Have experience of supervising junior and support staff
- Demonstrate knowledge of legal and professional responsibilities of the profession
- Have experience working with multi-disciplinary teams or of cross- organisational working
- You will need to be committed to personal development, flexible and self motivated
- Hold a full valid driving licence and have access to your own vehicle
- Competent in IT skills

The full details of the responsibilities and requirements for the role can be viewed on the advert via the Role Description and Person Specification.

Why join us?

- Your salary would be £29,690 to £40,071 per annum
- **Attractive relocation package** with advice and support on relocation
- You'd be working with a **friendly and supportive team** who are **committed to delivering a quality service**
- **Competitive annual leave entitlement** - 27 Days Annual Leave & 10 General Public Holidays. Increased entitlement is available for candidates with 5+ years service within the UK NHS or IoM Department of Health & Social Care
- **Free car parking** on site at Noble's Hospital
- Developing our team to be the best they can be is important to us and we actively support your own personal career goals, **aspirations** and **development**
- Noble's Hospital operates a well-resourced education and training centre. We provide excellent opportunities for **professional learning** including an extensive CPD programme
- Our employees are able to take advantage of our **pension scheme**; we offer a defined benefit scheme where both you and the organisation contribute towards your future.

More Information

More details can be obtained from Ruth Cooil on **01624 650520** or at Ruth.Cooil@nobles.dhss.gov.im.

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Theresa Leach, Physiotherapist, Department of Health

What made you want to work in the team on the Isle of Man?

I had been on holiday in the Isle of Man previously and had enjoyed it so much that I decided to relocate to the Isle of Man and applied for a physiotherapist post here.

What makes working in your role on the Island great?

No matter where you live on the island you are near the sea and the countryside. You can strike a good work/life balance. You have plenty of opportunities to learn new skills.

What do you enjoy most about living and working on the Isle of Man?

The island is picturesque. There is something for everyone, whether you like walking in the countryside, kayaking, swimming in the sea or visiting places of historical interest.

How do you find your work life balance living and working here on the Island?

I am able to enjoy walking in the country and visiting historical places of interest without having to make long voyages on the motorway. I am able to do activities in the evening after work as well as at the weekend if I choose to. There is beautiful scenery and no very long commutes!

What were your initial impressions when you moved here?

I thought it was a beautiful island with lots of activities you can do. When I started at work everyone was approachable and helpful.

What is the team like that you work in?

They are approachable, fun, sociable and supportive.

You should work here because...

You will be part of a dynamic and diverse team. We have regular monthly CPD (continuing professional Development) training and mentoring. It is a great opportunity to work in a supportive and dynamic team and in a stunning part of the world.

What would you say to others considering a move to the Island?

Try it. I did and I didn't regret it.



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