

Role: Clinical Specialist

Location: South-West London

Salary: £29,000 - £35,000

Hours: Full time – 40 hours per week / 3 days PT considered for the right applicant

Reports to: Clinical Director

Start date: November/December 2019

Application deadline: Monday 7th October 2019

What is Good Boost?

Good Boost is an award winning social enterprise that delivers community musculoskeletal (MSK) services in partnership with local leisure centres. We provide the training and technology for staff and volunteers to deliver therapeutic exercise sessions. A key element of Good Boost is our technology: we have developed artificial intelligence to enable personalised exercises be delivered through tablet computers in leisure centres. The best way to get an idea of what we do and how we do it is to watch this video: tiny.cc/goodboost

Our goal is to improve MSK health everywhere. We're an ambitious start-up with strong sector support, and you'll be joining a dedicated team, pioneering new models of healthcare using cutting edge technology. But for us, the human, social and fun side of healthcare are just as important; we want everyone to love looking after their MSK health.

Role summary

We're looking for someone who's excited about breaking new ground in community healthcare and pioneering something completely new. You should be an experienced clinician in the treatment of MSK conditions with an enthusiasm for technology.

Your role will include developing the clinical elements of programmes delivered through our technology, designing and testing new features that are informed by the evidence-base and clinical guidelines. You'll be testing the software and equipment with our users and leisure centre staff, making sure it can be effectively implemented and adopted.

Role purpose

To develop optimal rehabilitation exercise programmes for delivery through digital technology, following clinical decision-making pathways. This 'digital clinical thinking' will deliver maximal improvement of the MSK health of Good Boost participants. The development and integration of rehabilitation programmes on land and water will cater for a wide variety of MSK conditions and special populations. In addition to rehabilitation exercise, Good Boost includes targeting self-management resources and 'nudge' education to create long-lasting improvement of pain, function and quality of life.

Main Responsibilities

- Work within the clinical development team, led by the Clinical Director, to optimise and improve Good Boost's clinical effectiveness and positive impact on health behaviour
- Test and develop the clinical reasoning for prescription of therapeutic exercise programs and their progressions on land and water
- Test and develop new equipment to gather objective functional measures from participants in leisure settings
- Work with leisure centres to ensure Good Boost technology is user friendly
- Learn from participants, leisure centre staff, and people living with an MSK condition how we can improve our offering, through focus groups
- Review the evidence-base and clinical guidelines for MSK conditions
- Manage clinical relationships with clients and stakeholders, acting as the main point of contact for clinical matters
- Work closely with the wider Good Boost team including Operations and Technical departments, to ensure effective delivery of the service
- Act a representative of Good Boost, engaging with related organisations such as the Academic Science Health Network, MSK representative charities and NHS

Qualifications/ Experience

- Must be either a Chartered Physiotherapist or a Registered Osteopath
- Must be HCPC registered (if a Physiotherapist)
- A Masters in a health- related subject is desirable
- Minimum 3 years post graduate clinical experience with MSK, surgical or other rehabilitation management
- Any experience of aquatic therapy would be beneficial
- UK-valid driving licence required

Skills, abilities and personal qualities

- Strong understanding of pain management and exercise rehabilitation science
- Ability to independently review published research and draw conclusions
- Able to make judgements involving complex facts or situations which require the analysis, interpretation and comparison of a range of options
- Understanding of audit and service development
- Good organisational and planning skills, including risk management
- Results driven, possessing a proven track record of delivering against targets
- Strong interpersonal skills applicable to a range of people at differing levels
- Strong competency in computer packages such as Microsoft Word, Outlook, Excel, and PowerPoint; comfortable inputting and analysing databases
- Ability to work within a multidisciplinary team and on own initiative
- Energetic, proactive and driven to succeed

Benefits

- 30 days holiday plus bank holidays
- Flexible working with some remote working opportunities
- Joining a kick ass social enterprise that makes a real difference

Interested?

Email your CV and a covering letter to info@goodboost.org by Monday 7th October 2019. First interviews will be held through Skype in early October.