

Person Specification

Job Title: Upper GI Cancer Care Navigator

Attribute	Essential	Desirable	Method of Assessment
Education And Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GCSE (Grade 9 – 4) or equivalent level including Maths and English Minimum of an NVQ level 4 or relevant experience in Upper GI Care or willing to undertake further training 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evidence of continued professional development Willingness to undertake learning and development courses 	Application CV Interview
Knowledge And Relevant Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience of working with cancer patients Experience of working in the NHS Experience of working within multi-professional teams Experience in the use of data management Experience of co-ordinating patient workload Knowledge of relevant cancer treatments and interventions and terminology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience of SaTH information systems Experience of SaTH Somerset Cancer Register Awareness of national cancer strategies and policies 	Interview References Application CV
Skills And Ability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate excellent communication skills (both written and verbal) with patients and staff at all levels Ability to show empathy and understand the difficulties faced by people affected by cancer Ability to deal with complex and difficult emotional situations Able to work effectively as part of a multi-professional team Able to work with minimal supervision Able to meet changing demands and priorities with a flexible approach Competent in the use of information technology systems Understanding of patient centred care Ability to prioritise own workload 		Interview References Application CV
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flexible and positive attitude to health care Self-motivated and positive Professional and caring with respect for others 		Interview