

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Post: Consultant Clinical Scientist

	<i>ESSENTIAL</i>	<i>DESIRABLE</i>
<i>QUALIFICATIONS</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FRCPATH Examination or equivalent training and experience ▪ Full HCPC and AHCS registration with certification to Practice as a consultant Clinical Scientist or eligible for registration within six months of interview. ▪ Registration on AHCS Higher Specialist Scientific Register or be eligible for entry within six months of date of interview. ▪ MSc or equivalent in relevant subject 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ PhD or equivalent ▪ Experience post HCPC registration ▪ Management training on an accredited course ▪ Specialist in one or more areas (e.g. clinical virology, molecular diagnostics)
<i>EXPERIENCE</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ability to take responsibility for delivering service without direct supervision ▪ Knowledge and understanding of UK microbiology laboratory practice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Experience in antimicrobial chemotherapy and clinical management of patients with infection ▪ Knowledge and experience in infection prevention and control ▪ Experience of multi-agency working e.g. Public health or other national fora
<i>TEACHING AND RESEARCH</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ability and willingness to teach all levels of laboratory and clinical staff 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Research and development experience ▪ Publications and national/international experience
<i>DISPOSITION</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ability to work within a team ▪ Effective verbal and written communication skills ▪ Effective people management and influencing skills ▪ Ability to communicate effectively with GPs, nurses and other agencies ▪ Commitment to continuing professional development. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Willingness to develop skills in areas of interest
<i>PERSONAL CIRCUMSTANCES</i>		