

Job Description

Job Title: Clinical Nurse Deputy Manager Reports to: Service Manager

Based at: Saint Paul's Nursing Home, Selly Park,

Birmingham

Date: April 2025

This description gives an over view of the post, the key responsibilities and the context within which the post is offered. It is not intended to be an exhaustive statement of Terms and Conditions within SJOG.

Principles & Values: The values of the Sisters of Charity of St Paul the Apostle are important to our home and alongside these the values of SJOG are explicit in how we practice. Our values are important to us and are not just words on paper, they are part of everything that we do. We believe that our Deputy Service Manager must be highly committed to providing exceptional quality of nursing care & support within a hospitable and enabling environment that is designed to meet the needs of each and every Sister.

Job Purpose: The Clinical Nurse Deputy Manager will support the Service Manager with the day to day management and the leadership of the team, who specialise in providing exceptional standards of nursing and care, to elderly members of the Sisters of the Charity of St Paul the Apostle community, whereby the outcomes are seen in quality, compliance and contractual requirements set out by SJOG, the local clinical commissioning group statutory requirements and the Care Quality Commission

The Clinical Nurse Deputy Manager will also be the clinical lead and will ensure the effective performance management of the team, and lead the team to deliver exceptional clinical care.

Objectives	Typical Tasks
To confidently engage and lead a team and continuously challenge, change and improve practice	 To be visible within the team, work shifts as part of the role, and ensure that all staff understand the homes Statement of Purpose, values, philosophy of care and service objectives. To demonstrate 'Practice Leadership' within the team by adopting a hands on approach Adopt Practice Observations on a weekly basis and make a record of these so that staff can learn and shape their practices positively and constructively. Be constructive in leadership so that staff understand what is expected of them within their Job Descriptions and be visible so that this can be monitored. Be responsible for clinical governance and ensure that best practice is always achieved, consistent with national guidance. Ensure our care follows national standards such as NICE guidelines Challenge practice quickly where this falls below our standards, and demonstrate positive practice Create a home that people are proud of and can promote and share their good practice. Work very closely with the nursing team, leading and directing the care of sisters to the highest standard
Assist in the development and maintain internal and external channels of communication for provision of information	 Ensure all complaints and incidents are recorded, reported and acted upon in accordance with relevant policy and procedure. Coach other team members to learn best practice in incident documentation
	 Participate / organise and attend reviews for the religious community and with Professionals, Such as GP reviews weekly.

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and service	 In the absence of the service manager, participate in and prepare documentation for Monthly Service Report and Quarterly Service Review meetings In the absence of the service manager participate in SJOG RSMT monthly meetings In the absence of the service manager ensure full explanation is assured of quality and compliance during monthly auditing by senior operational management.
Ensure the pastoral, religious and spiritual care is promoted to the highest of standards	 Support the sisters to be able to practice their religious and faith beliefs and practices. Work with the Homes Pastoral sisters to meet the needs of our sisters
Participation in budget planning and on-going monitoring and control of agreed budget	 To be involved in the budget planning for the home Be aware of expenditure and monitor this within remit Support the manager in delivering the budget and ensuring cost saving where needed
Assist in managing and developing and development high performing teams to ensure the standards of care/support are maintained in line with internal policies and procedures	 Support the manager in safer recruitment of staff, Interview and induct new team members Work with the team and manager to strive to be a NIL agency home. Liaise with local Universities and Colleges and promote the use of student nurses. Identify training and development needs and ensure mandatory training reaches SJOG's performance standards of 95%. Ensure the training matrix is compliant and demonstrates all mandatory training and specialised training needs according to each Sisters assessments. Assist with the implementation and delivery of identified training. Review staff resource to ensure on-going adequate cover and manage robustly establishment hours e.g. holidays, sickness, training etc. Conduct appraisals and supervisions, setting objectives to improve performance and motivation. Link this to the Service Development Plan. Performance manage in line with appropriate policy and procedure and take responsive and effective action where staff fall below standards of practice or do not comply with policy and procedure. Promote a consultative and participative work environment i.e. organising and chairing regular staff meetings. Ensure the induction of new staff and assist in the process of familiarising them with methods, procedures and values of the Charity. Support the nursing team in developing a robust personal development plan that will work in conjunction with NMC revalidation Support the nursing team by providing regular clinical supervision, and leading quarterly Nurse Forums
	 Work with the training department to identify the Nurse Development pathway and essential clinical skills training Ensure clinical knowledge and abilities adhere to the most up to date guidance.

Prepare and maintain up Up dating of personnel files. to date records for Recording of relevant personnel data e.g. timesheets, annual leave. compliance purposes e g Maintaining up-to-date records of all care/support needs for the religious GDPR, Data Protection Act, community. CQC Inspection, Mental Recording and maintenance of Individual Care Plans. Capacity Act/DOLS Preparation of Health and Safety documentation. Maintaining safeguarding governance of safeguarding referrals, CQC notifications etc. and ensure these are recorded on the central database. To lead CQC inspections confidently. Assess mental capacity as and when required and follow a best interest and least restrictive approach to practice and monitor staff to ensure the standards are assured. Manage and monitor all Deprivation of Liberty standard and urgent authorisations and record on SIOG's DOLS database. Ensure that all DOLS are renewed as and when required. Participate in the setting up of any maintenance contracts required, arranging for Responsible for security and maintenance of the regular inspections. Home in conjunction with Report any faults to relevant parties. the Site Operations Liaise regularly with the Health & Safety Manager on all H&S areas and record Manager information on centralised database. Meet with the Religious Community Maintenance Manager as and when necessary and ensure a record of this is maintained. Be responsible for the management and monitoring of all maintenance in the home and to report concerns immediately. Be aware of your Maintain a safe working environment. responsibilities under the Report all incidents or potential hazards. Charity's Health and Safety Complete Health and safety Audits as required policy, taking all possible Ensure specific Risk assessments are completed and the team follow the guidance steps to ensure a safe working environment Ensure relevant standards are followed at all times and maintained in accordance Be responsible for the implementation and with professional registration. ensure staff adhere to Maintain good working knowledge of relevant standards in order to implement internal and external safely and appropriately. policies and standards e g Actively promote the use of research and innovation in the home's practice. NMC Code of Professional Ensure that all staff understand their roles, responsibilities, policies and procedures Conduct guidelines, so that codes of conduct are assured. Department of Health, CQC, Health and Safety Take immediate action where any professional standard or code of conduct has Executive, NMC Code of been breached. Conduct, Duty of Candour, Ensure that legal care planning meets compliance e.g. DNR, Advance Care Planning General Social Care etc. and liaise with the necessary professionals for agreement. Council's Code of Conduct

Continuous Self Development to ensure knowledge and skills are relevant to the service	 Keep up to date with skills and knowledge. Promote the use of lesson learning and reflective practice in the home. Attend mandatory training. Attend other training and development activity where appropriate. Participate in development reviews. Read and seek to understand all relevant communication e g staff handbook, written communication, marketing literature. Attendance at meetings as required.
Actively support the vision, philosophies and values of the Charity	 Promote the core values of the Charity i.e. hospitality, respect, compassion Act in a non-discriminatory manner. Maintain confidentiality at all times. Act as a positive role model to the team. Undertake any other duties that are in keeping with the values of the Charity that you have the skill/ability to carry out.

Dimensions

All:

- Level of Disclosure Enhanced
- Require an awareness of the sensitive needs of the religious community

Saint Paul's Care Home with Nursing, Selly Park

- Service: Registered Centre for a religious congregation of women
- Registered Nurse (1st Level) qualification
- Unsociable hours and weekend working will be necessary, occasional night duty
- Regular on call duties
- Staff: Directly supervise 50 staff

Person Specification

Essential

- An ability to demonstrate the core values of the Charity
- Registered Nurse (1st Level) qualification
- A recognised management qualification (NVQ4), or willing to attain
- Leadership qualities energetic, passionate about your work
- The ability to change cultures and practices
- Will power and emotional resilience determined
- Experience of managing in a registered service
- Post registration experience working with elderly persons
- Experience of managing budgets
- Knowledge of Health & Safety Legislation
- Good use of Information Technology
- Supervisory/management experience of a large staff team
- Ability to communicate effectively with staff and members of the religious community
- Good organisational/leadership skills
- Good verbal and written communication skills
- Ability to develop the service and staff
- Ability to motivate staff and others
- Ability to work on own initiative and with a team
- Effective change management skills
- Good networking/negotiation skills
- Proven skills in budgetary control and financial systems
- Able to work flexible hours, weekends, on call as necessary; covering any sickness, annual leave
- Valid full UK driving licence

<u>Desirable</u>

- Leadership and Management qualification
- Specialism in a relevant field e.g. End of Life Care, Dementia
- D32/D33 Assessors Award or equivalent
- ENB 998 or equivalent mentorship award
- ENB 941 Care of the Elderly or equivalent
- Understanding of issues affecting religious communities