Job Description



Job Title:	Associate Lecturer in Dental Hygiene / Dental Therapy	
School:	School of Dentistry	
Grade:	G	
Responsible to:	Director of BDS Programme	

Job Purpose: The postholder will provide clinical supervision and demonstration of clinical dental procedures, within the GDC scope of DH/DT practice, to undergraduate DH/DT and BDS dental students and will also contribute to student support and the assessment of clinical competence.

Main Duties and Responsibilities:

- 1. Contribute to the clinical supervision and assessment of DH/DT and other undergraduate dental students who are treating patients in the clinical setting
- 2. Deliver clinical demonstrations within scope of practice to dental students
- 3. Contribute to teaching within a classroom / phantom head setting
- 4. Offer guidance to students in clinical dental practice, within the GDC scope of practice
- 5. Assess student feedback and provide feedback
- 6. Assist in the delivery of OSCE assessments
- 7. Provide pastoral support to students and sign-post to appropriate university services where required
- 8. Attend and contribute to relevant meetings
- 9. Undertake administrative duties in relation to the clinical supervision of students
- 10. Contribute towards the recruitment and admission of dental students
- 11. Maintain own clinical skills and continue to develop teaching and learning skills
- 12. Carry out any other duties commensurate with the grade

Signature:	
Date:	

Person Specification



Attributes	Essential	Desirable	Measured By
Work Experience	Comprehensive experience of working as a Dental Hygiene / Therapist in a primary care setting	Experience in the delivery of clinical teaching to undergraduate students	Application Form or Interview
	Relevant experience in an academic environment and/or demonstrating clinical procedures		
Education/ Qualifications	Diploma in Dental Hygiene Therapy / Degree in Oral Sciences or Dental Hygiene Therapy If diploma only, must be willing to undertake degree studies on appointment Registration with the GDC as a Dental Hygienist / Therapist	Formal Teaching qualification	Application Form
Skills/ Abilities	Excellent clinical skills Ability to demonstrate and undertake effective clinical supervision of students Ability to work within a team Excellent communication skills Ability to use IT and relevant software packages in the support of clinical teaching		Application Form, Interview, and Presentation

Flexibility to meet the demands of a rapidly changing educational environment An understanding of and demonstrable commitment the University's Values of Common Sense, Compassion, Teamwork, Attention to Detail, and True as a framework for decision actions and behaviours.	ust	Interview
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