

Job Advert: NHS Diabetes Prevention Nurse Lead

Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) is part of Wave 1 of the National Diabetes Prevention Programme (NHS DPP). This is a nationally-funded behaviour change programme that aims to delay or prevent people from developing Type 2 diabetes through education about healthy eating and lifestyle changes, as well as bespoke physical activity sessions.

Expressions of interest are invited from suitably qualified and experienced Practice Nurses interested in supporting the CCG programme for an initial period until 31 March 2019.

The Nurse Lead for NHS DPP will provide clinical input and will help to support practice engagement to increase the number of referrals made into the programme. They will act as a point of contact for colleagues working in primary care.

A commitment for supporting the programme for a minimum of 1 session (3.5 hours) per week will be required. This for an initial fixed term to 31 March 2019.

Applicants interested in sharing the role should state the locality within the CCG area they wish to cover.

Supported by a full time Diabetes Project Manager, the core objectives will be to:

- Work with colleagues in primary care to help raise awareness of the programme and encourage referrals to the NHS DPP.
- Proactively contact local practices to understand issues they may be experiencing, and answer queries they may have regarding the NHS DPP.
- Identify localities to contact groups of practices to ensure this is done in a planned way.
- Attend practice visits as required to discuss the programme with primary care colleagues.
- Liaise with colleagues working for Independent Clinical Services (ICS), our local provider of the NHS DPP.
- Provide regular feedback to the CCG team on the outcome of practice contacts to help inform future planning.

Remuneration will be £140 per session (plus travel expenses). The role will be subject to an employment contract with the CCG.

Applications are by Expression of Interest.

To apply for the role please use the attached Expression of Interest Form and email to the CCG HR Team at CAPCCG.HR@nhs.net

The closing date for expressions of interest to be returned is **5pm on 28th September 2017.**

For an informal discussion please contact:

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