

Job Description

Job Title:	Specialist Nurse Practitioner – Breast
Reporting to:	Clinical Lead - Breast
Accountable to:	Clinical Director - Breast and Managing Director Managing Director
Hours of work:	Variable

Introduction

The role as Specialist Nurse Practitioner – Breast, is focused on running BreastCheck clinics in accordance with BreastHealth UK standards and protocols.

Within the BreastCheck appointment, the Specialist Nurse Practitioner will:

- Review the Client’s Personal Risk Assessment Score and discuss the results of this with the client (including Family History risk and Lifestyle recommendations)
- Discuss the BHUK recommended Personalised Breast Screening guidelines with the client
- Answer any related questions
- Perform a Clinical Breast Examination
- Teach breast awareness technique.

The employee handbook provides further guidance on other aspects of the employment.

You will report to the Clinical Lead – Breast, for any operational issues relating to your clinical practice and be accountable to the Clinical Director – Breast, for any medical clinical issues. You will be answerable to the Managing Director for any commercial or employee issues.

Clinical Practice

- To work in accordance with the standards of BreastHealth UK protocol for BreastCheck
- To respect client confidentiality at all times
- To work within the nursing team to maintain BreastCheck services
- To be accountable to NMC as per Code of Conduct
- To work within NMC Scope of Professional Practice
- To co-operate with the Company in meeting CQC requirements, complying with any duty or requirement concerning Occupational Health and Health and Safety at Work
- To acquaint yourself with essential Health and Safety Procedures and Facilities at your site of work, including fire safety and emergency evacuation, accident reporting, first aid and emergency assistance, infection control and cleanliness

Person Specification

	Essential	Desirable
Educational		
Registered Nurse NMC Level 1 Registration	✓	
Masters degree or equivalent portfolio of evidence	✓	
ENB 237 or Advanced Breast Cancer Course	✓	
Counselling Skills Certificate or equivalent	✓	
IT literate and confident	✓	
Proof of mandatory training in accordance with the CQC's requirements which are currently Manual Handling, Fire, Health and Safety, Basic Life Support, infection Ct=control as well as Protection of Vulnerable Adults and child Protection Training Level 1	✓	
Work experience		
Highly skilled in breast examination, having completed NHS training in this extended role	✓	
Personal attributes		
Able to demonstrate necessary knowledge and skills for undertaking clinical breast examination and be confident and able to make entirely autonomous clinical decisions in this field	✓	
Caring, polite, respect individuals, thoughtful, welcoming, helpful, kind, supportive, accountable, reliable and with excellent skills in listening, informing and communicating	✓	
Value our clients' time to minimise waiting	✓	
Willing to be measured/monitored for quality in service delivery and competency	✓	
To actively participate in educational events provided by the company	✓	
Able to provide a credible source for demonstrating possession of specialist clinical	✓	

knowledge		
Recognition of own limitations and seek advice or refer on as appropriate	✓	
Maintenance of personal and professional improvement led by research and evidence, highlighting innovation and best outcomes through evidence-led clinical care and taking an active role in self-development	✓	
Able to travel across a wide area covering our private clinic sites and must be capable of working in the temporary clinics established within corporate settings.	✓	

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