

Respiratory Clinical Lead for the long COVID Programme for Cheshire & Merseyside

(1PA/half a day per week, initially for 12 months £300 per PA)

The North West Coast Clinical Networks (NWC CN) are looking for an exceptional clinician to establish and work with our Respiratory team to provide strong clinical leadership to the Respiratory Clinical Network, across Cheshire & Merseyside. By providing an expert clinical voice, the post holder will enable the best possible standards of healthcare for our population in support of both Local ICS, NHS England's Long-Term Plan and the Five-Year Forward View. The post holder will be instrumental in the successful delivery of the local and national plans for the long COVID Programme.

The initial key areas of work will include cross system stakeholder engagement to support service improvement and transformation in the respiratory workstream programmes; highlighting need for sustainability; increasing access to vulnerable groups in the community and strategy with regards to reducing winter pressures.

The successful candidate will be an experienced clinical leader with the ability to motivate and inspire others to ensure that the strategic ambitions of the Clinical Network are delivered. They will have a proven track record of supporting improvements for patients and their families by addressing health inequalities, working with key stakeholders in developing effective partnerships and supporting commissioners to transform care across the system, in a complex and challenging climate.

The knowledge, skills and competencies will reflect the seniority and importance of this role and it is essential that they have an ability to command credibility and to constructively challenge and influence internal and external stakeholders with a driven, inspirational and collaborative leadership style. They will have strong analytical and decision-making skills with a focus on delivering impressive results and innovative solutions.

Travelling is required for this role, however currently meetings are being held remotely.

For further information

For a discussion about this post please contact Tracie Keats, Programme Manager at the NWC CN, tracie.keats1@nhs.net

How to apply

To apply, please submit an expression of interest with a CV including references and an accompanying letter highlighting your suitability and, addressing the Job Description / Person Specification requirements to Tracie Keats by 22nd April 2022.

Please note that you should secure support from your employer prior to applying. Payment will normally be made via your substantive employer or alternatively you may be employed "for tax purposes" and paid directly.