

Stroke Clinical Lead for Lancashire and South Cumbria

(2 PA/one a day per week, until 31.10.23 – equivalent of Band 8a (step 1))

North West Coast Clinical Network (NWC CN) are looking to recruit a Clinical Lead in Community Specialist Rehabilitation. This role is ideally suited to an Occupational Therapist or Physiotherapist who will be supporting the existing SLT Clinical Lead and Regional Clinical Workforce Development Lead for Stroke. This post is for 2 sessions per week/1 day.

NWC CN are leading on the Acute and Rehabilitation elements of the stroke pathway as part of the service reconfiguration in Lancashire and South Cumbria. The NWC CN work to ensure there is equity of access to resources offered by commissioners and providers across wide geographical areas, together with consistency of treatment and improved outcomes for patients and focus on both the strategic and operational elements of care delivery. The NWC CN supports improvements in stroke services across the whole patient journey including acute care in hospitals as well as post-acute care in a community setting.

Supporting the development of high quality and equitable stroke services, to achieve the best outcomes and experience for patients. We will do this by:

- Working collaboratively with our stakeholders
- Facilitating transformational change through effective partnership working
- Being patient centred
- Encouraging the early adoption of evidence in stroke services

The post holder will provide clinical leadership and senior management expertise in the area of implementation of Integrated Community Stroke rehabilitation Teams to the L&SC ISNDN and the NWC CN. They will support the L&SC ISNDN and NWC CN in facilitating the commissioning and implementation of a standardised model and service specification (as developed by the Clinical Network) for Stroke in the Integrated community rehabilitation services across the Lancashire and South Cumbria footprint.

They will work closely with the L&SC ISNDN stroke project management team, SLT Clinical Lead and Squire Lead to support LSC ICB and their community rehabilitation providers in understanding and implementing agreed model. They will also work closely with the Lancashire and South Cumbria Neuro Rehabilitation services to try and achieve similar models/specifications across both services.

They will provide appropriate clinical expertise and leadership to ensure stakeholders understand and are bought into the proposed model and service specification for stroke. They will also advise commissioners and providers on how they could evolve/develop existing services to meet the requirements of the model and service specification. They will engage and communicate with key stakeholders and help facilitate the change management process across the conurbation. They will also engage with other providers of stroke services including voluntary sector organisations and will ensure that patients and carers views are also reflected in the programme of work. Also representing the NWC CN in these activities and will be expected to reflect the vision and aims of the organisation when in this role.

For further information

For a discussion about this post please contact Elaine Day, ISNDN Programme Manager at the NWC CN
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How to apply

To apply, please submit an expression of interest with a CV including references and an accompanying letter highlighting your suitability to **Elaine Day by Friday 7th October 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.