

Clinical Supervisor Dental Therapy - School of Medicine and Dentistry - Grade H

Job Description

Purpose

To contribute to achieving the academic objectives of the School via clinical supervision of undergraduate students and to contribute to the academic development, teaching, and course administration within the School.

Duties

1. To engage in the teaching of dental programmes and assessment of undergraduate students, within the clinical environment.
2. To monitor the activities and actions of undergraduate students in order to ensure development of clinical skills and knowledge, aligned with the learning outcomes of the courses.
3. To offer appropriate feedback and encourage reflection of students.
4. To offer guidance in clinical dental practice within the GDC scope of practice.
5. To ensure clinical dental education standards are maintained by working to evidence-based practice and National and Locally agreed clinical guidelines and care pathways.
6. To take day to day responsibility for the organisation and co-ordination of patient treatment within undergraduate dental programmes.
7. To be involved in the assessment of students in line with the quality assurance requirements of the School.
8. To undertake administration in relation to clinical supervision of students.
9. To contribute towards programme developments.
10. To engage in development activity in relation to dental therapy and training of the dental team.
11. To maintain clinical skills via contribution to patient treatment and care.
12. To participate in the School's research activities as appropriate.
13. To engage in commercial/income-generating activity within area of expertise.
14. To work productively as part of a team in the recruitment and admission of students.
15. With regards to the nature of your role and its impact upon our students, make an active contribution to and support the improvement of the student experience.
16. To undertake any other duties relevant to the School's activities and commensurate with the level of the post, as directed by the Head of School.

Person Specification

Knowledge, Skills, and Behaviours (Essential)

- Substantial experience of working as a dental hygienist/therapist within a primary care setting (Application/Interview).
- Experience in clinical training of a dental team (Application/Interview).

- Diploma in Dental Hygiene Therapy / Degree in Oral Sciences or Dental Hygiene and Therapy (If diploma only, must be willing to undertake degree study on appointment) (Application).
- Registration with the GDC as a Dental Hygienist / Therapist (Application).
- Excellent clinical and communication skills (Application/Interview).
- Ability to demonstrate and undertake effective clinical supervision of students (Application/Interview).
- Ability to work within a team (Application/Interview).
- IT literate in use of standard Microsoft packages (Application/Interview).
- Ability to travel independently between sites (Application/Interview).
- An understanding of and demonstrable commitment to the University's Values of Achieving Together, Being Proud, Creating Opportunity and Supporting All, as a framework for decisions, actions, and behaviours (Application/Interview).

Knowledge, Skills, and Behaviours (Desirable)

- Teaching experience within Higher Education (Application/Interview).
- Formal teaching qualification (Application).
- Active member of appropriate Professional Bodies/Networks (Application).
- Experience in the clinical assessment of students (Application/Interview).