

## **Band 6 Orthotist - Nottingham**

## **Job Overview**

An exciting opportunity exists for an Orthotist with some post-graduate experience to join the in-house Orthotics department at Nottingham University Hospital NHS Trust in a permanent, part-time role. This is a largely clinical role treating inpatients and outpatients in various clinics in an acute trust. The role also involves training students and supervising junior staff.

Our provision of cost-effective care gives us opportunities to utilise up-to-date orthotic technology including stance phase control KAFOs and innovative spinal bracing.

Multi-disciplinary teamwork is thoroughly encouraged and the trust has numerous multi-disciplinary and complex caseloads. These include diabetic foot, adult foot & ankle, neurology, paediatric, spinal including HALO's, scoliosis, trauma, kyphosis and cervical conditions.

All Orthotists have weekly in-service training sessions and are allowed appropriate time for CPD and departmental service development, which is strongly encouraged.

## Working for our Organisation

Nottingham University Hospitals is a regional Trauma and Spinal centre; it is one of the UK's largest teaching hospitals.

The Orthotics department aims to provide the most efficient and effective care to patients, to set new standards in orthotic treatment and to constantly improve to meet the demands of our users and commissioners.

The successful candidate will form part of a team of 10 Orthotists, 6 technicians and 6 administrators. There is an on-site workshop with CAD-CAM scanner and milling machine. The clinicians have access to a Rodin and I-pad scanner. It is an innovative team who work closely with orthotic companies and the wider trust to develop new ways of effectively treating patients. The majority of clinical activity will be at the Queens Medical Centre and City Hospital campuses, although work in the community may be required.

## **Detailed Job Description and Main Responsibilities**

Applicants must be HCPC registered and preferably members of BAPO.

If you would like to join the friendly dynamic orthotic team at NUH and gain experience working in a busy acute hospital we would welcome your application.

In addition to the above summary, you need to familiarise yourself with the full job description and person specification on the NHS jobs website.

For further information or an informal confidential conversation please contact

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Please apply through the NHS jobs website, the closing date is **28th September 2022** 



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