Band 5 Orthotist Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust

Job overview

An exciting opportunity exists for a permanent orthotist, to join the in-house orthotics department at Nottingham University Hospital NHS Trust. This is a varied clinical role with inpatient and outpatient clinics in a wide range of disciplines. The team has a strong focus on career development and staff wellbeing. The varied workload and large clinical team makes this an ideal setting to start or develop your orthotic career. The post holder will cover outpatient clinics 6-7 clinical sessions per week and inpatient clinics 1-2 sessions per week with 1 session per week of CPD. Outpatient clinics include paediatrics, neuro, KAFO, diabetic foot and general clinics, some are joint with other orthotists and some multidisciplinary. All clinicians are encouraged to be actively involved in their own development and the improvement of the department.

Working at NUH

The department is set in an acute trust with a major trauma unit and spinal centre, this creates a diverse patient group. All referrals are triaged to the appropriate clinic and there are a number of opportunities for joint clinical working. There is a fully equipped in-house workshop on campus with 6 technicians to support clinical staff.

The majority of clinical activity will be at the Queens Medical Centre and City Hospital campuses, although work in the community may be required. The department is due to move into new, custom designed premises on the QMC campus early summer 2023.

The successful candidate will form part of a supportive team of 10 orthotists, 2 assistants, 6 technicians and 7 administrators. 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.

Multi-disciplinary teamwork is thoroughly encouraged and the department has numerous multi-disciplinary and joint orthotic clinics. These include diabetic foot, neurology, paediatric, complex footwear and spinal.

Applicants must be HCPC registered and preferably members of BAPO.

Salary: £27,055-£32,934 per annum Closing Date: 15/03/2023 23:59

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