

Job Advert - Band 8A Clinical Specialist Orthotics/Service Lead University Hospital Birmingham

Band 8A Clinical Specialist Orthotics/Service Lead or Suitable Band 7 development opportunity into 8a role

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The closing date is 20/10/2025

Job summary

Are you looking for a new and exciting opportunity to develop your career as part of an experienced Senior Clinical Therapy Leadership Team in Orthotics? Would you like to contribute to the leadership and profile of our forward thinking inter-disciplinary Therapy Directorate?

If you are an HCPC registered Orthotist with a passion for delivering highly efficient and effective services, this would be an ideal opportunity for you.

A Band 8a post has become available combining clinical specialist roles with local operational leadership on the Birmingham Heartlands, Good Hope and Solihull sites. These leads will work very closely with the QEHB lead to address service delivery and grow our own NHS employees.

A suitable band 7 staff member would also potentially be considered to develop into the 8A role with completion of successful on site competency training.

One site would be allocated as your main base, with cross site cover needed when required

Main duties, tasks & skills required

We are looking for a forward thinking orthotist who is dynamic, inspirational and has a proven record of leadership, operational management and some experience of service redesign and development. You will have excellent inter-personal and communication skills that allow you to inspire, influence, engage and empower staff at all levels.

The role will

- *Confirm service plans for NHS Orthotists and appliance needs

- *Review and implement training to support recruitment and retention including apprentices

- *Review and implement patient information that is based on clinical pathways and orthotics guidelines

The post holder will be a highly specialised Orthotics clinical practitioner that can support development and progression

Interviews will be scheduled on Monday **November 4th 2025**

For an informal discussion or further information please contact :

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Applications are through NHS Jobs website
<https://www.jobs.nhs.uk/candidate>

The job description and person specification are available and PS are available from the website site

Applicants must be HCPC registered and preferably members of BAPO



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