

Mercy University Hospital, Cork is a Catholic Voluntary Hospital founded in 1857 by the Sisters of Mercy. It is a centre of National and International excellence, renowned for its research and tertiary services and is a teaching hospital of University College Cork. The Mercy University Hospital provides specialist in-patient, day-patient out-patient services and accident and 24/7 emergency services in the centre of Cork City.

We are currently looking for candidates to fill the following position(s);



Clinical Nurse Manager II (Permanent)

Care of Deteriorating Patient

(Under the Governance of Mercy University Hospital Cork CLG.)

The primary purpose of this post is to provide clinical support and education to all grades of clinical staff working in non critical care areas on the implementation and use of these early detection and management systems.

Responsibilities - The post holder will be responsible for;

- Provide an expert clinical nursing service for all clinical areas whose patients trigger early warning scoring systems as per escalation pathways.
- Undertake a lead role in planning, coordinating, delivering and evaluating the service provided to patients
- Undertake comprehensive patient assessment and utilise advanced skills to support clinical decision making and actions. This is done using best evidence based practice in referring patients to medical staff as clinically appropriate and utilising current referral and care escalation pathways.
- Provide clinical advice and expertise where necessary in relation to patients recently discharged from a critical care area and/or patients with the potential to deteriorate, with emphasis on supporting and teaching ward staff in the delivery of appropriate clinical care.

A full job description is available from recruitment@muh.ie

Eligibility Criteria - Candidates:

- Be registered in the General Division of the Register of Nurses kept by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland (NMBI)
- Have at least five years current post registration experience including a minimum of three years experience in an critical care/high dependency care area
- Have a post-registration qualification in critical care or be willing to undertake same
- Have current AHA ACLS provider status
- Have the clinical, managerial and administrative capacity to properly discharge the functions of the role
- Have a proven track record of initiating and implementing change in clinical practice
- Provide evidence of ongoing professional development
- The post holder will hold a recognised Nurse medicinal prescribing and/or Nurse x-ray prescribing qualification or be willing to undertake such a qualification

Closing date for application; Tuesday 12th June 2018 at 1pm

1. Email

E-mail a letter of application together with your CV and names and numbers of 3 referees to:

recruitment@muh.ie

2. Post

Send 3 hard copies of your CV together with a letter of application and names and numbers of 3 referees to:

Human Resources, Mercy University Hospital,
Grenville Place, Cork, Ireland

recruitment@muh.ie

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