

Mercy University Hospital, Cork, founded in 1857 by the Sisters of Mercy, is one of the oldest and most respected hospitals in Ireland. 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 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);



## Occupational Therapist - Senior Grade (Permanent)

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

The Occupational Therapist will be responsible for the provision of a high quality person-centred Occupational Therapy service as part of a multi-disciplinary team in Mercy University Hospital (MUH) Cork. The successful candidate will have experience and knowledge of the impact of acute physical conditions on functional performance and occupation, with ability to plan and provide appropriate assessment and treatment with emphasis on discharge planning within the given environment and resources.

**Responsibilities** - *The post holder will be responsible for the Care of the Elderly service within Mercy University Hospital*

- Be responsible for assessment, planning, implementation and review of treatment / intervention programmes for service users according to service standards
- Manage own caseload in accordance with the needs of the post
- Communicate verbally and / or in writing results of assessments, treatment / intervention programmes and recommendations to the team and relevant others in accordance with service policy
- Operate within the scope of Irish Occupational Therapy practice and in accordance with local guidelines
- Other duties as laid down by the Occupational Therapy Manager.

**Eligibility Criteria - Candidates:**

- A B.Sc (Hons) Degree in Occupational Therapy or Post graduate masters in Occupational Therapy from a recognised University
- 3 Years Occupational Therapy Experience in an acute hospital setting (some of which is in Care of the Elderly)
- Must be registered with CORU

**Closing date: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2019**

### 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**

*Terms and conditions of employment are in accordance with the Department of Health and Children regulations. Mercy University Hospital is an equal opportunities employer. Canvassing will disqualify.*