

Educational Psychologist

Person Specification

We will use these criteria to assess your suitability for the job.

Essential

1. Degree in psychology or equivalent qualification that provides basis for registration with the BPS
2. Relevant post-graduate training in Educational Psychology that confers eligibility to be registered with the HCPC.
3. Knowledge of relevant legislation and statutory guidance in relation to SEN, disability and safeguarding
4. Commitment to inclusion, equal opportunities, preventative practice and early intervention
5. Knowledge of children's development.
6. Knowledge of current issues as they apply to the wellbeing of children and young people with a particular focus on those who have additional needs.
7. Able to work effectively with children, young people and their parents/carers to achieve positive outcomes.
8. Able to work effectively and positively with other professionals, in the pursuit of shared goals.
9. Able to work independently and also as part of a team.
10. Able to make well considered recommendations about next steps based on a considered analysis of strengths and needs, in relation to both individual and strategic level work.
11. Willing to engage in continuous development activities, in response to organisational changes and developments in the Children and Families Directorate and applied educational psychology.

12. Experience of contributing to the development of EP practice.
13. Capacity to manage time and prioritise work in an effective and productive way including evidence of good planning, organisational, and analytical skills
14. Demonstrates high professional ethical standards, shows integrity, is reliable and trustworthy and understands the needs and limitations of confidentiality.
15. Good written and oral communication skills.
16. Able to manage the travel requirements of the post

Desirable

1. Evidence of further professional development in relation to working with children within a Children's Services environment.
2. Planning of and participation in staff development and training delivery.
3. Driving licence and use of a car.

Additional Requirements

- Valid Health and Care Professions Council registration

Our Values

Do you share our values of **proud**, **fair**, and **ambitious**?