Neonatal Home Care Team



Band 6

There is an exciting new opportunity within the Neonatal Home Care Team. We are seeking dynamic, enthusiastic, motivated and experienced neonatal nurses to be part of our homecare team. These new posts will help to provide a comprehensive service by maintaining our existing 7 day working and contributing to the creation of a brand new home phototherapy service. Being a part of the Neonatal service at NUH means you will also work within the north hub region of the EMNODN. This will allow for opportunities to network across the north hub, access training and support and gain knowledge in other neonatal services within the network. This may also involve travel across the region.

Our current working hours are between 0800-1800, this service is currently going through consultation to extend the working hours to accommodate the new phototherapy service. The proposed hours of work will be between 0800-2000, which may be worked on either a 12 hour, or split shift basis. These opportunities within East Midlands Neonatal Operational Delivery Network (EMNODN) are to work within the North Hub of the region based at Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust (NUH) neonatal service and will include extensive travel across the region.

Band 6 neonatal nurses based at NUH are required to promote safe, early discharge of babies from the neonatal units, transitional care and paediatrics. Families will be supported by providing ongoing care needs in the home environment, for example the provision of nasogastric tube feeding at home, management of oxygen in the home environment, providing ongoing care for surgical babies, and the jaundice management of the baby requiring phototherapy at home.

We take great pride in delivering high standards of care to our local neonatal population and are excited to create a network wide service to support vulnerable neonates on discharge from the neonatal service.

Candidates must have current experience of caring for neonates in a hospital or community environment, and must be QIS trained in speciality. These posts offer a fantastic opportunity to utilise and develop your knowledge and skills in caring for babies in the home setting.

These posts will support the existing outreach team in planning the care and transition from the neonatal unit, transitional care and paediatrics through a structured discharge process, promoting safe early discharge from hospital to home. You will liaise with other members of the multidisciplinary team and support parents in providing high quality care in the home environment.

Candidates will be expected to undertake a regular clinical shift on either unit, equivalent to 10% of weekly hours.

Job shares will be considered

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Closing date: