**Post/Role:** Clinical Supervisor to facilitate Admiral Nurse Peer Group clinical supervision

We are inviting expressions of interest from suitably experienced and qualified clinical supervisors to facilitate peer group, clinical supervision for Admiral Nurses, specialists in dementia care. Peer group clinical supervision group is held monthly for 2-hours, with a maximum of 10 Admiral Nurses in each group.

Positions are currently available in the following sites/regions to commence in **2017**:

- **Southampton**
  - Venue: Royal British Legion Offices, 104 Above Bar Street, Southampton, Hampshire, SO14 7DT
  - Date: 2\textsuperscript{nd} Fri of each month. Commencing asap.

Further vacancies are anticipated in the next 3-6 months: (exact locations tbc)

You are invited to apply by sending your CV and a supporting letter for the post of clinical supervisor, outlining how you meet the identified requirements to: recruitment@dementiauk.org :

(Please state which area you are interested in)

**Person specification/qualifications**

**Essential:**
Experience of working in health/social care settings
Understanding of theory and facilitation of clinical supervision
Understanding of dementia, its impact on families and the role of the Admiral Nurse.
Experience of facilitating peer group clinical supervision

**Desirable**
Relevant qualifications in supervision/ coaching expertise
Relevant qualifications in dementia care/ family interventions
Experience of working with Admiral Nurses/ Dementia UK

**Approach to clinical supervision**

Dementia UK recognises the benefits of Clinical Supervision to Admiral Nurses, Dementia UK, Admiral Nurse host organisations and importantly to families affected by dementia. Clinical Supervision is an integral part of professional practice and is recommended in professional nursing guidance.

The facilitation of peer group clinical supervision enables a formal process of professional and peer support, as a means of encouraging self-assessment, analytical and reflective skills. It enables evaluation of the Admiral Nurse’s interaction with the client to ensure that the best quality of care is provided as well as supporting professional development and growth.
**Group format**

Each Admiral Nurse clinical supervision group is held during the morning of a monthly ‘practice development day’ for 2-hours, with a maximum of 10 Admiral Nurses. The afternoon is dedicated to practice development issues, supported and facilitated by the Dementia UK Professional and Practice development team.

**Pay, terms and conditions**

We offer a 2-year terms of agreement for clinical supervision from the date of appointment.

The services to be delivered by the clinical supervisor as ‘Consultant’ under this agreement include:

- Facilitation of peer group clinical supervision for Admiral Nurses for 2 hours per month
- Preparation and submission of monthly statistics to the Admiral Nurse Administrator on the attendance of the Admiral Nurses within the Consultant’s group
- Preparation and submission of an Annual Report summarising the themes and outcomes from clinical supervision
- To attend an annual 2 hour meeting for Clinical Supervisors, which is hosted and arranged by Dementia UK; date for which will be circulated in advance.

We offer an hourly rate of £75 plus remuneration for travel time and expenses.

Two references supporting your application will be required. Please include their names and contact details.

Closing date for expressions of interest: on going at present
On line or face to face interviews will be arranged individually

For further information please contact Caroline Scates (Admiral Nurse Professional & Practice Development Facilitator, Dementia UK) on;
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Applications should be sent directly to: [recruitment@dementiauk.org](mailto:recruitment@dementiauk.org)