

Advert plan for Contraception and Sexual Health nurse – level 2 service

A new and exciting approach to sexual health is being developed to provide a 'One-Stop Shop' for all sexual health needs, sexual health screening, all contraception including LARC. Sexual health is a priority in healthcare and nurse led clinics are being developed to meet current needs in health education and health promotion.

We require experienced nurses to join our team and work closely with the Clinical Nurse Specialist. Applicants must have an interest in sexual health and family planning and likewise a post registration qualification in contraception and a sexual health related subject is essential. A sound clinical knowledge of sexually transmitted infections must be demonstrated.

The post involves dealing with a diverse range of sexual health needs including sexual health and contraception history taking, venepuncture, intimate genital examinations, specimen collection, partner notification, screening for sexually transmitted infections and contraception advice. The post also has a health education role in promoting safer sex and improving the sexual health of the population.

The post requires minimum qualifications of a level 1 Registered General Nurse with current NMC registration, evidence of having attended the STIF course and relevant experience of working within contraception and sexual health clinics.

About the employer

The Practice plc is a primary care company providing innovative community based healthcare for the NHS. It is one of the UK's leading providers of primary care services and delivers specialist clinical services including ophthalmology, dermatology, sexual health and secure health to GPs, the MoD and PCTs.

How to apply

If you are passionate about putting patients first, delivering a high quality service and committed to the new healthcare agenda, please send your CV and covering letter to: Susan.myers@thepracticeplc.com or telephone 07771 998550 for an informal discussion.

Job details:

Closing date: open until suitable candidate is found.

Interview date: TBC

Dept: Clinical Services – Sexual Health

Salary: Band 6 depending on experience

Location: Gateways Surgery, Shenley, Hertfordshire

Hours: Thursdays 5.30pm – 9.30pm