

PERSON SPECIFICATION

JOB TITLE: Admin Officer GRADE: 4 PREPARED BY: Helen Poynter DEPARTMENT: Business Support - Childrens POST NO: 45008373 DATE: October 2012

Ε	= ESSENTIAL SOURCE OF EVIDENCE - APPLICATION =	Α
D	= DESIRABLE TEST = INTERVIEW =	T I
	1. EXPERIENCE, direct work experience, other relevant experience.W =5	
Е	Considerable administrative experience, to include customer contact	A/I
D	Basic experience of supervising staff	A/I
Е	Experience of providing support to a number of managers within a team environment including organising and minuting complex and sensitive meetings	A/I
	2. KNOWLEDGE, without which the job cannot be done effectively. W =4	
Ε	Up to date and relevant knowledge of administrative and secretarial practices and procedures	A/I
E	Excellent knowledge of Microsoft Office Systems including Word, Excel, Outlook and Calendar, PowerPoint	A/I/T
D	Knowledge of the work and areas covered by social care on the Isle of Wight	A/I
	3. SKILLS & ABILITIES, Essential/Capable of doing, Desirable/Able to train. W =5	
Е	High speed, accurate word-processing and keyboard skills	A/I
Е	Ability to work effectively within a team and to work under pressure prioritising workloads and handling changing priorities showing an ability to be flexible and adaptable	A/I
Е	Ability to work under minimum supervision, to make decisions act on own initiative and use good organisational skills	A/I
Ε	Ability to utilise effectively a variety of IT packages including Microsoft Office	A/I
Е	A professional and polite telephone manner with a focus on Customer Care showing an awareness and understanding of customer needs	A/I
Ε	Good communication skills and both verbal and written.	A/I
	4. QUALIFICATIONS, TRAINING & EDUCATION, also identify training to be given. W =3	
Е	BTEC National / A levels or equivalent / NVQ Level 3	A/I
Е	Four GCSEs Grade A – C or equivalent including Maths and English	A/I
D	RSA III typing qualification, ECDL or equivalent	A/I
D	IAM Diploma / NVQ Level 4 or equivalent	A/I
	5. PERSONALITY, SOCIAL SKILLS, Relationships, thinking style, disposition. W = 3	
Е	The ability to communicate effectively at all levels with the public, staff, Members and other agencies on sensitive and personal issues	1
Ε	Must be able to operate in a highly confidential and professional manner at all times.	A/I
	6. OTHER FACTORS, Physical, Mobility, Availability, Conditions, etc. W =	A/I
Ε	Must present a positive image of the Isle of Wight Council	
Ε	Must be able to work in more than one location.	
	CONTRA INDICATIONS, if any W =	A/I
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