**Royal Brompton & Harefield Hospitals**

**Clinical Academic Career Development Programme**

**APPLCIATION FORM AND GUIDANCE NOTES**

Please complete this application and send it as a PDF file to [clinical.academic@rbht.nhs.uk](mailto:clinical.academic@rbht.nhs.uk) before midnight on Monday 24th October 2022. Please ensure you read the FAQs before completion. Please note the requirement for word limits on specific questions.

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| **Name of line manager**  *This is the person responsible for making the application and for managing the subsequent post* |
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| **Professional group of role**  *Nurse / Allied Health Professional (AHP) / Healthcare Scientist (HCS) / Pharmacist / Pharmacy technician / Other (please specify)* |
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| **Clinical department**  *The clinical area that will host the post and match fund 50% of their salary* |
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| **Whole Time Equivalent (WTE) of proposed role**  *The programme will cover 0.5WTE (50%) of a Band 5, Band 6 or Band 7 Agenda for Change role, but the role does not have to be full time. If the role is only 0.8WTE you can apply for funding to support 0.4WTE of the role. The research component must be at the same WTE as the clinical component* |
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| **Site**  *Please specify the host site as either Royal Brompton (RBH) or Harefield (HH)* |
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| **Proposed banding of role**  *Must be Agenda for Change Band 5, Agenda for Change Band 6 or Agenda for Change Band 7* |
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| **Applicant**  *Please specify either ‘Candidate in place’ or ‘Role to be advertised’*  *Candidate in place*  *If the candidate is already in place, please give their name here and send their brief CV to* [*clinicalacademic@rbht.nhs.uk*](mailto:clinicalacademic@rbht.nhs.uk) *before 10th October and their eligibility will be assessed. CV’s cannot be assessed after this date.*  *Role to be advertised*  *If the role is to be advertised, it is expected that a member of staff with research experience will be part of the interview panel. Please ensure you adhere to the timelines for start of the award which are detailed in FAQ 12.* |
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| **Description of clinical role** [this response has a 750-word limit]  *Include a brief overview of the clinical team and the service they provide and detail the post holder’s proposed role within the service. Available education, teaching and training (to acquire, improve and maintain clinical skills during the post) should also be described here. This element should make up 50% of the overall role.* |
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| **Name and role of person supervising research role**  *If different to line manager* |
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| **Description of research role** [this response has a 750-word limit]  *Include a description of the work the post holder will undertake during the term of their 12-month post. Include a brief outline of a project that is realistic and feasible within the timescale (including time to obtain REC/HRA approvals where required). This section should also include available opportunities to begin to develop research skills such as critically appraising literature and writing abstracts. Details of any preexisting research and clinical collaborations between the academic and clinical teams should also be described here. This element should make up 50% of the overall role.* |
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| **Proposed organisation for research collaboration**  *Please refer to FAQ 6 if unsure.* |
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| **Date funding to start for clinical role (if not already secured)**  *Please give date if not already secured. If secured, please specify ‘funding already confirmed’’.* |
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| **If this programme is oversubscribed and you are not successful in securing funding, would you like further research mentoring and support for your area to help you increase research activity and apply for further funding?**  *Please specify Yes or No.* |
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| **Statement of support from Service Lead**  *Please confirm support for the role and provide assurance that you can make the necessary adjustments to working pattern for the post holder, plus any other information you feel relevant. We would particularly like to see a commitment made to the research time (50%) and that this will be protected for the duration of the award.* |
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