

## **Band 8A Advanced Practitioner Paediatric Dietitian - Gastrointestinal Rehabilitation Team, Band 8a**

Permanent 37.5 hours

An exciting opportunity has arisen for a permanent Band 8a dietitian to work within gastroenterology and surgery. These services at GOSH provide tertiary and quaternary care for patients with inflammatory bowel disease, intestinal failure and dysmotility.

The Dietetic gastrointestinal rehabilitation team consists of three band 8A dietitians, four band 7/6 dietitians and a dietetic assistant and is responsible for delivering specialised dietetic care to inpatients and outpatients in gastroenterology, NICU and surgery.

The successful candidate will lead the dietetic service for the Mucosal Immunology sub division within Gastroenterology working with 4 Consultant Paediatric Gastroenterologists. The post holder will be responsible for running the dietetic led coeliac clinic and managing patients with inflammatory bowel disease. As an expert in their field they will lead research and audit in their clinical area and participate at national and international meetings.

The post also involves the development and education of the members of the Dietetic and wider Gastroenterology Team as well as line managing Band 7/6 dietitians, deputising for the Team Leader in her absence and mentoring designated dietitians working in the team.

We are looking for a dynamic, flexible and approachable individual with previous paediatric gastroenterology experience who will continue to move the service forward and thrive on the challenges this post has to offer.

If you would like further information please contact Sarah Macdonald, team lead for the gastroenterology dietetic service [sarah.macdonald@gosh.nhs.uk](mailto:sarah.macdonald@gosh.nhs.uk) or Philippa Wright, Head of Dietetics [philippa.wright@gosh.nhs.uk](mailto:philippa.wright@gosh.nhs.uk)