

Lived Experience Panel Member

Person Specification

Requirements	Essential Desirable	Method of Assessment A = App Form I = Interview
1 Skills and competencies		
(a) Ability to exercise independent judgement.	E	A / I
(b) Ability to contribute to the development of key policies, strategies, service redesigns and quality performance.	E	A / I
(c) Excellent communication skills, capable of playing an active role at meetings and engaging with people in different capacities and from different communities.	E	A / I
(d) Good written and verbal communication and active listening skills.	E	A / I
(e) Good information technology skills.	D	A / I
(f) Ability to prioritise areas of focus and objectives for the Lived experience Panel group.	E	A/I
(g) To review and discuss items on the Lived Experience Panel agenda to develop Tasks and Actions to be developed	E	A/I
2 Knowledge – type and depth		
(a) Knowledge and awareness of the areas and communities with which the organisation works, and their key issues within the Rochdale Borough	D	A / I
(b) Knowledge of health and happiness, health and social care, or community development.	D	A / I
(c) Good understanding of the duties and function of Northern Care Alliance.	D	I
3 Learning and development – type and depth		
(a) Willingness to follow learning, development, or training through to completion.	E	A / I

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4 Experience – <i>quality and relevance</i>		
(a) Broad and varied life experience.	E	A / I
(b) Experience of making significant or difficult decisions about an organisation.	D	A / I
(c) Experience of working effectively as a member of a team.	D	A / I
(d) Experience of health and/or social care services, as a user, or as a carer of someone who has used services, or through previous employment within Rochdale borough.	E	A / I
5 Personal qualities and circumstances – <i>essential and directly relevant to post</i>		
(a) Strong desire to make the world a happier and healthier place to live.	E	A / I
(b) Ability to act honestly, reasonably and with integrity.	E	A / I
(c) Flexible, adaptable and open minded.	E	A / I
(d) Passionate about promoting better outcomes in health & social care for all.	E	A / I
(e) Active commitment to equality and diversity.	E	A / I
(f) Time and commitment to effectively discharge the responsibilities of the post.	E	A / I
(g) Representative of one or more of these key areas: Health Services, Mental Health, Children & Young People, Elderly, BAME communities, people with physical or learning disabilities, Primary Care Health Services, Secondary Care Health Services, Adult Social Care, Children's Social Care or a Carer.	E	A / I

Please ensure you refer to this information when filling out your application form.

Closing date is Monday 15th March 2021.



I really enjoy being part of the Lived Experience Panel, it gives me the opportunity to talk about where I feel improvements to services can be made.



Shirley, Lived Experience Panel Member