PROFILE LABEL: Clinical practitioner Advanced - **DRAFT** JOB STATEMENT:

- 1. Assesses patients; plans, implements the treatment and monitors care; provides highly specialist advice; maintains associated records
- 2. Lead specialist in defined area of care
- 3. Provides specialist education and training to other staff, students and/patients / clients
- 4. Undertakes research or clinical audits in specialist area

Factor		Relevant Job Information	JE Level	JE
1.	Communication & Relationship Skills	Provide and receive complex, sensitive information; barriers to understanding/ Provide and receive highly complex, sensitive or contentious information; barriers to understanding; Provide and receive complex, sensitive or contentious information; hostile, antagonistic or highly emotive atmosphere Communicates sensitive/ highly sensitive, confidential information concerning patients or clients requiring empathy, persuasion and reassurance. Some may have special needs; patients or clients may be hostile, antagonistic	4 (a) - 5 ab	Score 32 - 45
2.	Knowledge, Training & Experience	Highly developed specialist knowledge, underpinned by theory and experience Professional knowledge acquired through degree supplemented by post graduate diploma specialist training, experience, short courses plus further specialist training to masters equivalent level	7	196
3.	Analytical & Judgmental Skills	Complex facts or situations requiring analysis, interpretation, comparison of a range of options Skills for assessing and interpreting complex needs of patients or client conditions, appropriate diagnosis; skills for development of Specialised treatment programmes	4	42
4.	Planning & Organisational Skills	Plan and organise complex activities or programmes, requiring formulation, adjustment Plans Specialised health and education programmes; coordinates multi-disciplinary groups in specialist area	3	27
5.	Physical Skills	Developed physical skills; advanced sensory skills/highly developed physical skills requiring a high degree of precision and high levels of hand, eye and sensory co-ordination Dexterity and accuracy required for, e.g. intravenous injections, syringe pumps and infusion, insertion of catheters and removal of sutures cannulation/ intubation, suturing	3ab - 4	27- 42
6.	Responsibility for Patient/Client Care	Develop specialised programmes of care or care packages; Provide highly specialised advice in relation to care Assesses, plans, implements and evaluates specialist clinical care of patients or clients; gives highly specialist advice to patients, clients or carers	6ac	39

7.	Responsibility for Policy/Service Development	Implement policies and propose changes to practices, procedures for own area Implements policies and proposes changes to working practices or procedures in own work area	2	12
8.	Responsibility for Financial & Physical Resources	Personal duty of care in relation to equipment, resources/ Maintain stock control; Authorised signatory, small payments Responsible for equipment used/ orders supplies; signs timesheets	1 – 2acd	5 - 12
9.	Responsibility for Human Resources	Day to day supervision; Regularly responsible for Professional or clinical supervision /Responsible for Teaching or delivery of specialist training Supervises work of others; clinical supervision of staff, students; provides training to others / Delivers specialist training in area of expertise	2abc – 3c	12 - 21
10.	Responsibility for Information Resources	Record personally generated information Maintains records relating to clients, patients	1	4
11.	Responsibility for Research & Development	Undertake surveys or audits, as necessary to own work Occasional participation in R&D activity	1	5
12.	Freedom to Act	Guided by principles and broad occupational policies Accountable for own professional actions, lead specialist for defined caseload	4	32
13.	Physical Effort	Frequent light effort for several short periods/ Frequent moderate effort for several short periods Walks, sits and stands/ Walks and stands most of shift; kneels and crouches to e.g. dress wounds/ Manoeuvres patients, lifts substantial equipment	2b – 3c	7 - 12
14.	Mental Effort	Frequent concentration; work pattern predictable/ Unpredictable Concentration on patient assessments and diagnosis, providing clinical care, e.g. calculating drug doses for infusion, carrying out tests/ Interruptions to deal with staff or emergencies	2a – 3a	7 - 12
15.	Emotional Effort	Occasional distressing or emotional circumstances/ Frequent distressing or emotional circumstances; Occasional highly distressing or emotional circumstances Imparts unwelcome news, care of terminally ill/ safeguarding issues, e.g. child abuse. Some challenging behavior	2a – 3ab	11-18-
16.	Working Conditions	Frequent unpleasant conditions; Occasional/ Frequent highly unpleasant conditions Body odours, / Body fluid, verbal aggression	3ab- 4b	12-18
JE S	core/Band		Band 7	477 - 539