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### PERSON SPECIFICATION

## Post Title: Domestic Assistant

# Directorate / Division: Adult Services & Health / Resource Centres

**Scale:** Scale 1

**Qualifications / Training:**

It is **desirable** that the post holder has:

1. Health & Safety Certificate
2. Food Hygiene Certificate

# Experience / Knowledge:

It is **essential** that the post holder has:

1. Worked effectively as part of a team

It is **desirable** that the post holder has:

1. C.O.S.H.H. Regulations (in-house training available)
2. Knowledge of Health & Safety issues and regulations
3. Work within a similar environment

# Skills and Abilities:

It is **essential** that the post holder has:

1. To understand the needs and rights of older people
2. Ability to use cleaning equipment e.g. vacuum cleaners and carpet cleaners
3. Ability to use laundry equipment – washing machine, sluices & iron

#### ADDITIONAL FACTORS

It is **essential** that the postholder has:

* A commitment to equal opportunities and anti-oppressive practice
* A full awareness of the need to preserve the dignity of every individual and accept total confidentiality
* The ability to work as part of a multi-disciplinary team
* Commitment to training and professional development

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