

**Job Reference**

<b>Job Title:</b>	Prostate Cancer UK Support Worker
<b>Area of Work</b>	Whiston based but work potential to work over both sites
<b>Department</b>	Urology and General Surgery
<b>Working pattern</b>	37.5 hours per week
<b>Job Type</b>	2 years fixed term
<b>Pay Band</b>	AFC 4

We are looking for an exceptional person to join the urology team. An exciting opportunity has arisen to be involved in an innovative project funded by Prostate Cancer UK, looking at follow up methods for prostate cancer patients. St Helens and Knowsley Trust are one of five pilot sites involved in this national project.

The post holder will play an integral part in the project to assist, support and co-ordinate the pathway for patients with prostate cancer entering into remote monitoring follow up.

The successful applicant will work independently and be the first point of contact for patients and carers involved in the project, They will work closely with, and under the supervision of the Macmillan Uro-Oncology CNS's.

The individual will require excellent communication and organisation skills to ensure the efficient channelling and close co-ordination of the patient pathway ensuring robust communication between members of the urology team, medical staff, GPs, patients, relatives, members of the public and other disciplines within the Trust and close liaison with the community staff and oncology teams and the co-ordinating research site.

A unique aspect of this role is the co-ordination and facilitation of 'Self Management Workshops' for men who enter the remote monitoring programme of care. The successful applicant will be responsible for establishing and running these groups under the supervision of the Macmillan Uro-Oncology CNS. Therefore the post holder will require an understanding of the issues faced by men with prostate cancer.

For further information about this post please contact:

Nancy Chisholm or Eleri Phillips, Macmillan Urology Nurse Specialists on 0151 430 1076/1270

Successful applicants will require an enhanced disclosure from the criminal records bureau.

Human Resources Department, Warrington Road, Prescot, Merseyside, L35 5DR. Tel: 0151 430 1771. Please apply on-line via [www.jobs.nhs.uk](http://www.jobs.nhs.uk).

Remember to check your email account regularly from which you apply as we invite successful applicants to interview via an email in the first instance.

Successful applicants will be called for interview within 2 weeks of the closing date.