

Person Specification

Job Title	Senior Environmental Health Officer	Req No	
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Essential Criteria - Vital requirements for the post holder

Relevant Experience:

Experience of working in an Environmental Health team or similar environment

Working experience of responding to planning and licensing consultations

Interpret the law and implement appropriately/ enforce appropriately

Qualifications/training:

MSc, BSc. or Diploma in Environmental Health

EHRB certificate of Registration and member of CIEH

Management qualification or working towards a qualification

Special Knowledge:

Knowledge of Environmental Health and Licensing legislation and Police and Criminal Evidence Act

Disposition/attitude:

Well motivated and conscientious. Can use initiative, Innovative.

Can work independently of detailed supervision or as part of a team

Ability to be discreet and tactful

Ability to handle difficult situations in a sensitive and persuasive manner

Ability to work under pressure and a flexible approach to changing work patterns

Practical/intellectual:

Good written, verbal and communication skills, good IT skills

Able to keep clear and accurate records of all work activities

Able to undertake research, present findings, analyse data, information and statistics

Able to make decisions. Problem solving skills.

Report writing and presentation to committees and cabinet members

Methodical and organised

Physical Requirements:

Must be able to work unsocial hours

Current Full driving licence

Additional Requirements:

Desirable Criteria – Additional requirements relevant to the post

Daily management/supervision of team of professional officers

Knowledge of Harrogate District.

Knowledge of taxi/hackney carriage legislation and working practices