**Purpose** Plan and implement high standards of perioperative care, following Hospital guidelines and protocols, promoting a patient-focused approach to care.

**The post holder will:**

* Where necessary plan and appropriately prepare and assess, plan, deliver and evaluate care for patients in the perioperative phase
* Accurately enter patient information on IT systems
* Ensure patient care areas are safe, fit for purpose and effectively maintained
* Maintain the safe custody of medications and controlled drugs

**Role Profile – Theatre Practitioner**

**Key Result Areas**

* Deliver safe quality care for patients during their peri-operative phase of care
* Act as the patient’s advocate, maintaining their dignity at all times
* Carry out duties according to policies and procedures, contributing to quality improvement, and promoting best evidence-based practice
* Ensuring that data is correctly recorded in accordance with the current Hospital policy and procedure
* Promote a patient-focused approach to care in collaboration with all relevant healthcare professionals
* Support the theatre lead (under the direction of the Theatre manager) in the running of theatre lists on a daily basis
* Contribute to budgetary management by exercising care and economy in the ordering and use of equipment and consumables
* Undertake all activities in a professinal and proficient manner, including mandatory surgical checks prior to the start of the procedure, during and pre-wound closure



**Skills and Experience**

* First level Registered Nurse/HCPC registered ODP
* Post registration education/experience in a relevant speciality is desirable defined in Scrub, anaesthetic or recovery
	+ Ability to organise, plan and problem-solve on a case-by-case basis
	+ Strong communication, negotiation and interpersonal skills to build and support team working in a positive and challenging culture
	+ Strong patient-centred approach
	+ Basic computer skills e.g. MS Outlook and web-based reporting systems
* Foster a culture of professionalism and a positive working team environment
* Demonstrate honesty, integrity and ethics in the workplace
* Ability to communicate with people of all ages and from different backgrounds

**Measurement**

* Adhere to all regulatory requirements and clinical standards
* Comply with the Hospital’s policies and procedures
* Maintain professional development
* Work in line with the Hospital’s Values
* Comply with all mandatory and statutory training

**Values**

**Departmental Structure**

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