

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Details on the qualifications, experience, skills, knowledge and abilities that are needed to fulfil this role are set out below.

Job Title: Research Assistant (40%)

	Essential	Desirable
Knowledge, Education, Qualifications and Training Degree in relevant subject area MSc in relevant subject area Knowledge of research techniques, including the Cochrane methodology for systematic reviews, in reference to search, extraction, and write up	 X X	 X
Skills and/or Abilities Basic research skills Training in quantitative research methods, and in applying methodological critique across all designs Proven ability to analyse and write up data using bespoke software (Cochrane) Ability to present complex information effectively to a range of audiences Ability to write complex reports and papers accurately and clearly Excellent communication skills Understanding and being able to describe meta analysis	 X X X X	 X X X
Experience Experience of working in a research environment Research experience carrying out a systematic review using Cochrane methodology Experience of working in the higher education sector Experience of research collaboration	 X X	 X X