

Cardiology Assessors for MBRRACE-UK Confidential Enquiries into Maternal Deaths

MBRRACE-UK is seeking to appoint new assessors for the MBRRACE-UK Confidential Enquiries into Maternal Deaths. We are seeking to appoint several Cardiology assessors responsible for caring for women with major medical complications of pregnancy, or who care for pregnant or postpartum women in the acute medical setting. It is anticipated that assessors will be expected to review 10-15 cases per year, limited to deaths of women relevant to their speciality area. The initial term for assessors will be three years, renewable for a further three years. It is anticipated that most work will be undertaken electronically and therefore travel will not be required. The position is not remunerated but assessment work may be considered as part of continuing professional development.

For an informal discussion of the role, please contact Cathy Head, Dr Catherine Head - Consultant Cardiologist | Clinical Lead Adult Congenital Heart Disease Service, Norfolk and Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust. Email: cathy.head@nnuh.nhs.uk, PA Kayleigh Huggins, Tel: 01603 289697, Email: Kayleigh.Huggins@nnuh.nhs.uk

The applicants will be assessed on the basis of the following criteria:

Essential:

- a) In good standing with the College
- b) Recent active clinical practice

Desirable:

- a) Evidence of a contribution to and interest in patient safety, quality improvement, national audit and research
- b) Experience of confidential case review
- c) Experience of Committee work at a national level
- d) Evidence of forging links within and outwith one's own professional group
- e) Relevant specialist experience